Maryland Medical Assistance Program Department of Health and Mental Hygiene - Long-Term Care Services for Cognitive and Functional Impairments - Study and Analysis

FOR the purpose of requiring certain conditions under which an individual shall be determined medically eligible to receive certain services under the Maryland Medical Assistance Program; requiring certain physicians to make a certain certification; defining certain terms; and generally relating to the Maryland Medical Assistance Program and requiring the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, in consultation with certain stakeholders, to conduct a certain study and analysis of options available to the State to increase access to certain long-term care services for certain individuals with cognitive and functional impairments; requiring the Department to submit certain reports to the Governor and certain committees of the General Assembly on or before certain dates; providing for the termination of this Act; and generally relating to a Department of Health and Mental Hygiene study and analysis of increasing options for accessing long-term care services for cognitive and functionally impaired individuals.

BY repealing and reenacting, without amendments,

Article -- Health -- General
Section 15-101(a) and (h)
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2005 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

BY adding to

Article — Health — General
Section 15—115.1
Annotated Code of Maryland
(2005 Replacement Volume and 2006 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Health - General

15-101.

- (a) In this title the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (h) "Program" means the Maryland Medical Assistance Program.

15-115.1.