

Defined terms: "Consumer" § 7-501
"Program" § 7-501

7-508. REGULATIONS.

WITH SIGNIFICANT CONSUMER PARTICIPATION, THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THIS SUBTITLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 41, § 6-7A-02(b).

The former reference to "involvement" is deleted as included in the reference to "participation".

Defined term: "Consumer" § 7-501

7-509. CONSUMER RIGHTS.

(A) RIGHT TO BE INFORMED; RIGHT TO PRIVACY.

A COMMUNITY ATTENDANT SERVICES AND SUPPORTS PROVIDER SHALL INFORM THE CONSUMER OF THE CONSUMER'S RIGHTS WITH RESPECT TO:

(1) SELECTING, MANAGING, AND CHANGING THE CONSUMER'S COMMUNITY ATTENDANT SERVICES AND SUPPORTS; AND

(2) PRIVACY AND CONFIDENTIALITY.

(B) RIGHT OF APPEAL.

A CONSUMER WHO IS DISSATISFIED WITH THE PROGRAM MAY APPEAL TO THE DEPARTMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 41, § 6-7A-03(g) and (j).

In the introductory language of subsection (a) of this section, the requirement that a provider "inform the consumer" of the consumer's rights is substituted for the former requirement that a provider "assure that a consumer is informed" for brevity.

In subsection (a)(1) of this section, the defined term "community attendant services and supports" is substituted for the former reference to "personal assistance services" for consistency throughout this subtitle.

Defined terms: "Community attendant services and supports" § 7-501
"Consumer" § 7-501
"Department" § 7-501
"Program" § 7-501

7-510. PERIODIC REPORTS.

SUBJECT TO § 2-1246 OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT ARTICLE, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 1, APRIL 1,