

reference to "appropriate" agreements is deleted as implicit in the authority to establish agreements. Similarly, the former reference to "necessary" regulations is deleted.

Also in the introductory language of subsection (c) of this section, the former reference to "rules" is deleted in light of the reference to "regulations". See General Revisor's Note to article.

In subsection (c)(1) of this section, the reference to the "plan developed under subsection (a) of this section" is substituted for the former reference to the "Interagency Committee plan" for clarity and consistency.

In subsection (c)(2) of this section, the reference to "units of State government" is substituted for the former word "agency" for clarity and consistency. See General Revisor's Note to article.

Former Art. 70B, § 4C(a), which provided that the powers and duties under this section are in addition to any other powers and duties under this subtitle, is deleted as surplusage.

Defined terms: "Area agency" § 10-101

"County" § 1-101

"Department" § 10-101

"Interagency Committee" § 10-101

#### 10-307. SINGLE POINT OF ENTRY PROGRAM.

##### (A) IN GENERAL.

(1) THE INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE SHALL ESTABLISH AND COORDINATE A PROGRAM TO PROVIDE SINGLE POINTS OF ENTRY WITHIN EACH PLANNING AND SERVICE AREA.

(2) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL SUPERVISE THE PROGRAM FOR THE INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE.

##### (B) OPERATION.

EACH AREA AGENCY SHALL OPERATE A SINGLE POINT OF ENTRY PROGRAM TO ASSESS THE NEEDS OF SENIORS AND THEIR CAREGIVERS AND PROVIDE APPROPRIATE SERVICES.

##### (C) SERVICES.

THE FOLLOWING SERVICES SHALL BE PROVIDED THROUGH A SINGLE POINT OF ENTRY:

(1) PROVIDING CURRENT INFORMATION ON AVAILABLE PROGRAMS, SERVICES, OR BENEFITS;

(2) DETERMINING THE SERVICE NEEDS OF EACH SENIOR WHO REQUESTS SERVICE;

(3) PROCESSING REQUESTS FOR SERVICE FROM SENIORS;