

(IV) CONTINUING CARE SERVICES;

[(vi)] (V) Educational services[.];

[(vii)] (VI) SERVICES FOR VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE;

AND

(VII) Other preventive or rehabilitative services or treatment.

(2) Research and training that are designed to improve or extend these services are proper items of expense.

(B) THE SECRETARY SHALL CONDUCT A PREVALENCE STUDY AND REPLICATION PREVALENCE STUDIES TO MEASURE THE RATE OF PROBLEM AND PATHOLOGICAL GAMBLING IN THE STATE.

(C) (1) SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE SECRETARY SHALL CONTRACT WITH AN INDEPENDENT RESEARCHER TO CONDUCT THE PREVALENCE STUDIES.

(2) THE SECRETARY SHALL UTILIZE THE MOST CURRENT PSYCHIATRIC OR DIAGNOSTIC CRITERIA FOR PROBLEM AND PATHOLOGICAL GAMBLING AS THE BASIS FOR THE PREVALENCE STUDIES.

(D) THE INITIAL PREVALENCE STUDY SHALL BE COMPLETED ON OR BEFORE JULY 1, 2009.

(E) REPLICATION PREVALENCE STUDIES SHALL BE CONDUCTED NO LESS THAN EVERY 5 YEARS WITH MEASURES TAKEN TO PERMIT COMPARISONS BETWEEN THE INITIAL PREVALENCE STUDY AND SUBSEQUENT REPLICATION PREVALENCE STUDIES.

[(b)] (F) Services under this subtitle shall be provided by public agencies or, under contract, by nonprofit organizations.

Article - State Government

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(a) The Commission consists of [5] NINE members appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate.