

(1990 Replacement Volume and 1991 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That Section(s) 21-501 through 21-506, inclusive, and the subtitle "Subtitle 5. Attendant Care Program" of Article - Education of the Annotated Code of Maryland be repealed.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article 41 - Governor - Executive and Administrative Departments**

**SUBTITLE 7. ATTENDANT CARE PROGRAM**

6-701.

(A) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(B) "DIRECTOR" MEANS THE DIRECTOR OF THE ATTENDANT CARE PROGRAM.

(C) "DEPARTMENT" MEANS THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES.

(D) "SECRETARY" MEANS THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES.

(E) "ATTENDANT CARE SERVICES" MEANS THE FOLLOWING SERVICES FOR THE DISABLED INDIVIDUAL, WHICH ARE CERTIFIED AS NECESSARY BY AN ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR BY A REGISTERED NURSE:

- (1) DRESSING;
- (2) PREPARING FOOD AND ASSISTING THE DISABLED INDIVIDUAL WITH EATING;
- (3) BATHING AND PERSONAL HYGIENE;
- (4) ASSISTING WITH ROUTINE BODILY FUNCTIONS, INCLUDING BOWEL OR URINARY CARE;
- (5) MOVING INTO, OUT OF, OR TURNING IN BED;
- (6) LAUNDERING AND PROVIDING OTHER CLOTHING CARE;

AND

(7) CLEANING HOUSE AND PERFORMING OTHER SERVICES OF DAILY CARE, INCLUDING SHOPPING AND TRANSPORTATION, AS REQUESTED BY THE DISABLED INDIVIDUAL AND THE DEPARTMENT.

(F) "ELIGIBLE DISABLED INDIVIDUAL" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO: