

CHAPTER 253C

RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT PROGRAMS:
REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

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Subdivision 1. Definition. As used in this section, "residential program" means (1) a freestanding primary treatment program or hospital-based primary treatment program that provides residential treatment to chemically dependent or mentally ill minors, or (2) a facility licensed by the state to provide services for emotionally disturbed minors on a 24-hour basis.

Subd. 2. Annual report required. Beginning June 1, 1986, each residential program shall collect the information listed in this subdivision. Each residential program shall file a report no later than December 31, 1986, containing the information collected as of that date. Thereafter, each residential program shall prepare an annual report for the year ending June 30 of each year and file the report no later than December 31 of each year. Hospital-based primary treatment programs shall file the report with the commissioner of health. All other residential programs shall file the report with the commissioner of human services. The reports are public data and must contain at least the following information for the period covered by the report:

- (1) number of minors admitted to the program;
- (2) number of minors discharged from the program;
- (3) primary diagnoses of each admitted minor;
- (4) number of minors who remained in residence for less than 30 days;
- (5) number of minors who remained in residence for between 30 and 60 days;
- (6) number of minors who remained in residence for more than 60 days;
- (7) average length of stay of minors in the program;
- (8) number of minors who have received psychotropic medications;
- (9) age, race, and sex of each minor;
- (10) copy of written notices, forms, and other procedures being used to advise minors and their parents of their rights;
- (11) number of minors admitted or presently in residence who have previously had residential treatment;
- (12) number of minors who are on private pay or third-party reimbursement payment and number who are receiving government funds for treatment;
- (13) criteria for admission and continued stay;
- (14) number of minors whose admission is court-ordered; and
- (15) number of beds on a locked unit and number of beds on an unlocked unit.

The information required by this subdivision must be separately stated for chemically dependent, mentally ill, and emotionally disturbed minors as defined by the residential programs.

Subd. 3. Release and summary of data. The reporting requirement of this section must not release individual names of minors or other identifying information. The commissioner of health and the commissioner of human services shall make the reports available to interested persons upon request.

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