

## **CHAPTER 25-10 MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES**

**25-10-01. Mental health services.** The department of human services shall perform the following functions in the field of mental health:

1. Cooperate in providing services to state and local departments and agencies and other groups for programs of prevention of mental illness, and other psychiatric disabilities.
2. Assist in providing informational and educational services regarding mental health to the public and lay and professional groups.
3. Assist in providing consultative services to schools, courts, and health and human service agencies, both public and private.
4. Assist in providing outpatient diagnostic and treatment services.
5. Assist in providing rehabilitation services for patients suffering from mental or emotional disorders and other psychiatric conditions, particularly those who have received prior treatment in an inpatient facility.

The above services must be undertaken by the department to the extent funds are available to the department for the performance of these functions.

**25-10-01.1. Unified mental health delivery system.** The division of mental health services shall plan, develop, implement, and supervise a unified mental health delivery system. The system must include the mental health services provided by the regional human service centers, the state hospital, and contracted services with providers in accordance with the state mental health plan.

**25-10-02. Psychiatric clinic.** Repealed by S.L. 1987, ch. 570, § 45.

**25-10-03. Mental health coordinating committee - Membership - Purpose.** Repealed by S.L. 1971, ch. 276, § 1.

**25-10-04. Transfer of institutions under the director of institutions.** Repealed by S.L. 1985, ch. 82, § 162.

**25-10-05. Mental health and retardation service units.** Repealed by S.L. 1981, ch. 486, § 37.