

TITLE III—ALCOHOLIC AND NARCOTIC ADDICT REHABILITATION

SEC. 300. This title may be cited as the "Alcoholic and Narcotic Addict Rehabilitation Amendments of 1968".

PART A—ALCOHOLIC REHABILITATION

SEC. 301. The Community Mental Health Centers Act (42 U.S.C. 2681, et seq.) is amended by adding after part B the following new part:

"PART C—ALCOHOLISM

"CONSTRUCTION GRANTS

"SEC. 241. (a) Grants from appropriations under section 261 for construction of any facilities may be made only to a public or nonprofit private agency or organization and only upon an application (1) which meets the requirements for approval under clauses (1) through (5) and clause (A) of section 205(a), (2) which is for construction of a facility for the prevention and treatment of alcoholism, and (3) which contains—

"(A) a showing of the need, in the area to be served by the applicant, for special facilities for the inpatient or outpatient treatment, or both, of alcoholism;

"(B) satisfactory assurance that the services for prevention and control of alcoholism to be provided through the facility to be constructed, alone or in conjunction with other facilities owned or operated by the applicant or affiliated or associated or having an arrangement with the applicant, will include, or be part of a program providing, principally for persons residing in or near the particular community or communities in which such facility is situated, at least those essential elements of comprehensive mental health services and services for the prevention and treatment of alcoholism, including postinstitutional aftercare and rehabilitation, that are prescribed by the Secretary;

"(C) satisfactory assurance that the application has been approved and recommended by the single State agency designated by the State as being the agency primarily responsible for care and treatment of alcoholics in the State, and, in case this agency is different from the agency designated pursuant to section 204(a) (1), a showing that the application has also been approved and recommended by the agency designated pursuant to section 204(a) (1);

"(D) a showing that the project is entitled to priority over other projects for treatment of alcoholism, if any, within the State in accordance with regulations of the Secretary as to general manner of determining priority, and is in accordance with such criteria, including the willingness and ability to provide satisfactory alternatives to custodial care, as the Secretary may determine to be appropriate for purposes of this section; and

"(E) a showing that adequate provision has been made for furnishing needed services for persons unable to pay therefor in accordance with regulations of the Secretary under section 203(4) and for compliance with State standards for operation and maintenance.

"(b) The amount of any such grant with respect to any project shall be such percentage of the cost thereof, but not in excess of 66⅔ per centum, as the Secretary may determine.

"STAFFING, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE GRANTS

"SEC. 242. (a) Grants from appropriations under section 261 may be made to any public or nonprofit private agencies and organizations to assist them in projects for the operation, staffing, and maintenance of new facilities for prevention and treatment of alcoholism or of new services in facilities for prevention and treatment thereof.

"(b) Grants under this section may be made only upon an application which meets the requirements for approval under part B. In making such grants, the Secretary shall take into account the relative needs of the several States for alcoholism programs and the relative financial need of the applicants and the relative population of area to be served by the applicants. In the case of any project the application for which is approved under this section, the maximum