

LOCAL OMBUDSMAN QUESTIONNAIRE

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STATE: _____
AGENCY: _____
CONTACT: _____
POSITION: _____

DATE: _____
INTERVIEWER: _____

START TIME: _____

1. Does the ombudsman program in this state require visits to board and care homes at regular intervals?

_____ No
_____ Yes SPECIFY INTERVALS _____

2. How many staff does your ombudsman program have who deal with B&C issues?

Enter number of full time equivalent: _____

3. How does your program provide information to the public and others about board and care homes and issues?

(CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)

- _____ A. Making B&C home survey reports available
- _____ B. Making ombudsman program information available
- _____ C. Providing training on B&C regulations and problems
- _____ D. Providing B&C consumer guides
- _____ E. Other: (SPECIFY)

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

4. Are there unlicensed board and care homes in your state?

_____ Yes
_____ No IF NO, SKIP TO QUESTION 8.

5. Can you estimate the number of unlicensed homes in your state?

Enter number of homes: _____

6. In your opinion how effective is your state in identifying unlicensed board and care homes?

7. In your opinion how effective is your state in closing unlicensed homes?

8. Are you satisfied with the current division of responsibility for board and care homes within your state?

_____ Yes
_____ No

Comments:

NATIONAL BOARD AND CARE SURVEY DESIGN

REPORTS AVAILABLE

Searching for a Needle in a Haystack: Creative Use of the Decennial Census Dress Rehearsal Data to Find Board and Care Places in Central Missouri

Executive Summary: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/reports/1992/haystkes.htm>

HTML: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/reports/1992/haystk.htm>

PDF: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/reports/1992/haystk.pdf>

DATA COLLECTION INSTRUMENTS

All Respondents Questionnaire

HTML: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/AllResp.htm>

PDF: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/AllResp.pdf>

Interagency Councils Questionnaire

HTML: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/IntCoun.htm>

PDF: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/IntCoun.pdf>

Licensure Questionnaire

HTML: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/Licensure.htm>

PDF: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/Licensure.pdf>

Local Agency Questionnaire

HTML: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/LocalAg.htm>

PDF: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/LocalAg.pdf>

Local Ombudsman Questionnaire

HTML: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/LocalOm.htm>

PDF: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/LocalOm.pdf>

Payment/Eligibility Questionnaire

HTML: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/PayElig.htm>

PDF: <http://aspe.hhs.gov/daltcp/instruments/PayElig.pdf>