



CHAPTER 122C

ARTICLE 1A - MH/DD/SA CONSUMER ADVOCACY PROGRAM

N.C.G.S. § 122C-16.

(This Article has a contingent effective date
- see note) State/Local Consumer Advocate;
resolution of complaints.

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- § 122C-16(a)** Following receipt of a complaint, a Consumer Advocate shall attempt to resolve the complaint using, whenever possible, informal mediation, conciliation, and persuasion.
- § 122C-16(b)** If a complaint concerns a particular consumer, the consumer may participate in determining what course of action the Consumer Advocate should take on the consumer's behalf. If the consumer has an opinion concerning a course of action, the Consumer Advocate shall consider the consumer's opinion.
- § 122C-16(c)** Following receipt of a complaint, a Consumer Advocate shall contact the service provider to allow the service provider the opportunity to respond, provide additional information, or initiate action to resolve the complaint.
- § 122C-16(d)** Complaints or conditions adversely affecting consumers that cannot be resolved in the manner described in subsection (a) of this section shall be referred by the Consumer Advocate to the appropriate licensing agency under Article 2 of this Chapter. (2001-437, s. 2; 2002-126, s. 10.30; 2003-284, s. 10.10; 2005-276, s. 10.27.)

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