- (2) strengthening licensing, regulation, or registration standards for eligible child care providers;
- (3) assisting eligible child care providers in meeting licensing, regulation, or registration standards, including rehabilitating the facilities of the providers, in order to bring the facilities into compliance with the standards;
- (4) enforcing licensing, regulation, or registration standards for eligible child care providers, including holding increased unannounced inspections of the facilities of those providers;
- (5) providing health consultants to provide advice to eligible child care providers;
- (6) assisting eligible child care providers in enhancing the ability of the providers to serve children with disabilities and infants and toddlers with disabilities;
- (7) conducting criminal background checks for eligible child care providers and other individuals who have contact with children in the facilities of the providers;
- (8) providing information to parents on what factors to consider in choosing a safe and healthy child care setting; or
- (9) assisting in improving the safety of transportation practices for children enrolled in child care programs with eligible child care providers.

# (b) Supplement, not supplant

Funds appropriated pursuant to the authority of this subchapter shall be used to supplement and not supplant other Federal, State, and local public funds expended to provide services for eligible individuals.

(Pub. L. 106-310, div. A, title XIV, §1406, Oct. 17, 2000, 114 Stat. 1145.)

# § 9859f. Reports

Each State that receives an allotment under section 9859c of this title shall annually prepare and submit to the Secretary a report that describes—

- (1) the activities carried out with funds made available through the allotment; and
- (2) the progress made by the State toward achieving the goals described in the application submitted by the State under section 9859d of this title.

(Pub. L. 106-310, div. A, title XIV, §1407, Oct. 17, 2000, 114 Stat. 1145.)

# SUBCHAPTER III—FOLLOW THROUGH PROGRAMS

PART I—DIRECT SERVICES

# §§ 9861, 9862. Repealed. Pub. L. 103–382, title III, § 391(w), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 4025

Section 9861, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §662, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 508; Pub. L. 101–501, title II, §202, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1243, authorized financial assistance for Follow Through programs.

Section 9862, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, 663, as added Pub. L. 101–501, title II, 203, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1244; amended Pub. L. 102–119, 660, Oct. 7, 1991, 105 Stat. 607, related to consideration of applications.

A prior section 9862, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §663, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 509; Pub. L. 98-558, title III, §301, Oct.

30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2887; Pub. L. 99–425, title II,  $\S 201(a)$ , Sept. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 966, related to funding requirements, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 101–501, title II,  $\S 203$ , Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1244.

## PART II—PROGRAM IMPROVEMENT

# §§ 9863 to 9865. Repealed. Pub. L. 103-382, title III, §391(w), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 4025

Section 9863, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §664, as added Pub. L. 101–501, title II, §204(a), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1245, authorized financial assistance for research regarding Follow Through programs and approaches.

A prior section 9863, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, \$664, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 509, related to grants or contracts for research, demonstration, and pilot projects, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 101-501, title II, \$204(a), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1245.

Section 9863a, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §664A, as added Pub. L. 101–501, title II, §204(a), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1245, related to technical assistance and training.

Section 9863b, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §664B, as added Pub. L. 101-501, title II, §204(a), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1246, authorized grants to entities which operate, or previously operated, effective Follow Through programs.

Section 9863c, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §664C, as added Pub. L. 101–501, title II, §204(a), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1246, related to grant to establish national clearing-house on Follow Through programs.

Section 9864, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §665, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 510; Pub. L. 101–501, title II, §205, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1246, related to announcement of research and evaluation contracts.

Section 9865, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §666, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 510; Pub. L. 101-501, title II, §206, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1247, related to continuing evaluation of programs under this subchapter.

# PART III—GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

# §§ 9866 to 9869. Repealed. Pub. L. 103–382, title III, § 391(w), Oct. 20, 1994, 108 Stat. 4025

Section 9866, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §667, as added Pub. L. 101–501, title II, §207(a), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1247, related to authorization of appropriations to carry out this subchapter.

out this subchapter. A prior section 9866, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §667, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 511, provided for technical assistance and training, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 101-501, title II, §204(b), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1246.

\$204(b), Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1246. Section 9867, Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §668, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 511; Pub. L. 99–425, title II, §201(b), Sept. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 967; Pub. L. 101–501, title II, §\$201(2), 209, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1243, 1248, related to special conditions on financial assistance.

Section 9868, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §669, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 511, related to applicability of other provisions to administration of this subchapter.

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Section 9869, Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §669A, as added Pub. L. 101-501, title II, §208, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1248, related to participation of entities that receive funds under this subchapter in other Federal educational activities and programs.

# SUBCHAPTER IV—GRANTS TO STATES FOR PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT OF DEPENDENT CARE PROGRAMS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

## CODIFICATION

Subchapter is based on subchapter E, formerly D, of chapter 8 of subtitle A of title VI of Pub. L. 97–35, as added by Pub. L. 98–558, title I, §109, Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2880, and amended and redesignated.

## § 9871. Authorization of appropriations

For the purpose of making allotments to States to carry out the activities described in

section 9874 of this title, there is authorized to be appropriated \$13,000,000 for fiscal year 1995.

(Pub. L. 97–35, title VI, §670A, as added Pub. L. 98–558, title I, §109, Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2880; amended Pub. L. 99–425, title III, §301, Sept. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 967; Pub. L. 101–501, title III, §301, Nov. 3, 1990, 104 Stat. 1248; Pub. L. 103–252, title I, §122, May 18, 1994, 108 Stat. 650.)

#### AMENDMENTS

1994—Pub. L. 103–252 substituted "is authorized to be appropriated \$13,000,000 for fiscal year 1995" for "are authorized to be appropriated \$20,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 1990 and 1991, and such sums as may be necessary for fiscal years 1992, 1993, and 1994".

1990—Pub. L. 101–501 substituted "are authorized" for "is authorized", struck out "1987, 1988, 1989, and" before "1990", and inserted "and 1991, and such sums as may be necessary for fiscal years 1992, 1993, and 1994" after "1990".

1986—Pub. L. 99–425 amended section generally. Prior to amendment, section read as follows: "For the purpose of allotments to States to carry out the activities described in section 9874 of this title, there are authorized to be appropriated \$20,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 1985 and 1986."

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1994 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 103–252 effective May 18, 1994, but not applicable to Head Start agencies and other recipients of financial assistance under the Head Start Act (42 U.S.C. 9831 et seq.) until Oct. 1, 1994, see section 127 of Pub. L. 103–252, set out as a note under section 9832 of this title

#### EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1990 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 101-501 effective Oct. 1, 1990, see section 1001(a) of Pub. L. 101-501, set out as a note under section 8621 of this title.

## EFFECTIVE DATE OF 1986 AMENDMENT

Amendment by Pub. L. 99-425 effective Oct. 1, 1986, see section 1001 of Pub. L. 99-425, set out as a note under section 8621 of this title.

## SHORT TITLE

For short title of this subchapter as the "State Dependent Care Development Grants Act", see section 670H of Pub. L. 97-35, set out as a note under section 9801 of this title.

## § 9872. Allotments

- (a) From the amounts appropriated under section 9871 of this title for each fiscal year, the Secretary shall allot to each State an amount which bears the same ratio to the total amount appropriated under such section for such fiscal year as the population of the State bears to the population of all States, except that no State may receive less than \$50,000 in each fiscal year.
- (b) For the purpose of the exception contained in subsection (a) of this section, the term "State" does not include Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands.
- (Pub. L. 97–35, title VI,  $\S670B$ , as added Pub. L. 98–558, title I,  $\S109$ , Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2880.)

# TERMINATION OF TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

For termination of Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, see note set out preceding section 1681 of Title 48, Territories and Insular Possessions.

# § 9873. Payments under allotments to States

The Secretary shall make payments, as provided by section 6503(a) of title 31, to each State from its allotments under section 9872 of this title from amounts appropriated under section 9871 of this title.

(Pub. L. 97-35, title VI, §670C, as added Pub. L. 98-558, title I, §109, Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2880.)

## § 9874. Use of allotments

### (a) Referral systems; information; contents

- (1) Subject to the provisions of subsections (c) and (d) of this section, amounts paid to a State under section 9873 of this title from its allotment under section 9872 of this title may be used for the planning, development, establishment, operation, expansion, or improvement by the States, directly or by grant or contract with public or private entities, of State and local resource and referral systems to provide information concerning the availability, types, costs, and locations of dependent care services. The information provided by any such system may include—
  - (A) the types of dependent care services available, including services provided by individual homes, religious organizations, community organizations, employers, private industry, and public and private institutions;
  - (B) the costs of available dependent care services:
  - (C) the locations in which dependent care services are provided;
  - (D) the forms of transportation available to such locations;
  - (E) the hours during which such dependent care services are available:
  - (F) the dependents eligible to enroll for such dependent care services; and
  - (G) any resource and referral system planned, developed, established, expanded, or improved with amounts paid to a State under this subchapter.
- (2) The State, with respect to the uses of funds described in paragraph (1) of this subsection shall—
  - (A) provide assurances that no information will be included with respect to any dependent care services which are not provided in compliance with the laws of the State and localities in which such services are provided; and
- (B) provide assurances that the information provided will be the latest information available and will be kept up to date.

# (b) School-age child care services; assurances; estimates

(1) Subject to the provisions of subsections (c) and (d) of this section, amounts paid to a State under section 9873 of this title from its allotment under section 9872 of this title may be used for the planning, development, establishment, operation, expansion, or improvement by the States, directly, or by grant or contract, with public agencies or private nonprofit organizations of programs to furnish school-age child care services before and after school. Amounts so paid to a State and used for the operation of such child care services shall be designed to en-