

Sec. 6. **[144.346] INFORMATION TO PARENTS.** The professional may inform the parent or legal guardian of the minor patient of any treatment given or needed where, in the judgment of the professional, failure to inform the parent or guardian would seriously jeopardize the health of the minor patient.

Sec. 7. **[144.347] FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY.** A minor so consenting for such health services shall thereby assume financial responsibility for the cost of said services.

Approved May 26, 1971.

CHAPTER 545—S.F.No.1667

An act relating to local tuberculosis control programs; amending Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 376.50, Subdivision 3.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1969, Section 376.50, Subdivision 3, is amended to read:

Subd. 3. **TUBERCULOSIS; CONTROL PROGRAMS; DIRECTION.** The state board of health is hereby authorized to make grants to assist counties or any combination thereof in the establishment and operation of local tuberculosis control programs, including outpatient diagnostic and treatment services. At the beginning of each fiscal year the state board of health shall allocate available funds to the tuberculosis control programs for disbursement during the fiscal year on the basis of the proportional share of the state's population which the population of the county or combinations of counties represents. The state board of health shall, from time to time during the fiscal year, review the budgets and expenditures of the various programs and if funds are not needed for a program to which they are allocated, the board may after a reasonable notice and opportunity for hearing, withdraw such funds as are unencumbered and reallocate them to other programs. The local tuberculosis control program shall be under the direction of the county sanatorium commission, if there be one in the county or combination of counties, otherwise it shall be under the direction of the county board or boards through a tuberculosis advisory committee set up by the board or boards in the same manner in which sanatorium commissions are established, according to Minnesota Statutes, Sections 376.29 and 376.30 or

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through the county health department, county chest clinic, or county hospital, if there be one in the county or combination of counties .

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CHAPTER 546—S.F.No.1795

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An act relating to the St. Cloud metropolitan transit commission; authorizing additional compensation for the treasurer thereof; authorizing the commission to act without approval of the St. Cloud area metropolitan planning commission; amending Laws 1969, Chapter 1134, Section 3, Subdivisions 1, 4, 7 and 8.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Laws 1969, Chapter 1134, Section 3, Subdivision 1, is amended to read:

Subdivision 1. **ST. CLOUD METROPOLITAN TRANSIT; ORGANIZATION; OFFICERS; MEETINGS; SEAL.** Within 90 days after July 1, 1969, or as soon as practicable after the selection and qualification of a majority of the first members of the commission, they shall meet to organize the commission at the call of a majority of the members, upon seven days notice by registered mail to all those who have qualified, at a time and place within the area designated in the notice. A majority of the commissioners appointed shall constitute a quorum at that meeting and all other meetings of the commission. At that meeting the commission shall elect a chairman from its membership, a vice chairman, a secretary, and a treasurer, which latter two officers shall serve at the pleasure of the commission, to serve until the regular monthly meeting of the commission to be held in the month of July next following or until their successors are elected and have qualified. At that regular monthly meeting and at the regular meeting held in the month of July in alternate years thereafter the commission shall elect successors to those officers to serve for two years or until their successors are elected and have qualified. The commission shall hold a regular meeting at least once in each month at a time and place within the area designated by the commission. Special meetings may be held as directed by the commission or at the call of the chairman or any two commissioners upon at least seven days notice by mail to all commissioners. All meetings of the commission shall be open to the public. Any authorized action may be taken by the commission upon the vote of a

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