

**231B.16 Coordination of the long-term care system — transitional provisions.**

1. A hospital licensed pursuant to [chapter 135B](#), a health care facility licensed pursuant to [chapter 135C](#), an assisted living program certified pursuant to [chapter 231C](#), or an adult day services program certified pursuant to [chapter 231D](#) may operate an elder group home, if the elder group home is certified pursuant to [this chapter](#).

2. [This chapter](#) shall not be construed to require that a facility licensed as a different type of facility also comply with the requirements of [this chapter](#), unless the facility is represented to the public as an elder group home.

3. A certified elder group home that complies with the requirements of [this chapter](#) shall not be required to be licensed or certified as a different type of facility, unless the elder group home is represented to the public as another type of facility.

[2005 Acts, ch 62, §16](#)