226.8 Persons with an intellectual disability not receivable — exception.
A person who has an intellectual disability, as defined in section 4.1, shall not be
admitted, or transferred pursuant to section 222.7, to a state mental health institute unless
a professional diagnostic evaluation indicates that such person will benefit from psychiatric
treatment or from some other specific program available at the mental health institute to
which it is proposed to admit or transfer the person. Charges for the care of any person
with an intellectual disability admitted to a state mental health institute shall be made by
the institute in the manner provided by chapter 230, but the liability of any other person
to any county for the cost of care of such person with an intellectual disability shall be as
prescribed by section 222.78.
[R60, §1468, 1491; C73, §1434; C97, §2298; C24, 27, 31, 35, 39, §3490; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62,
66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, §226.8]
96 Acts, ch 1129, §113; 2012 Acts, ch 1019, §75