

(2) In Worcester County, a connection charge shall be equal at least to:

(i) The actual cost of making the connection between a water system or sewerage system and the property served by the system; or

(ii) The average cost of making a connection based on:

1. The diameter and the length of the connector; or

2. The diameter of the connector and the width of the way in which the water pipe or sewer pipe is laid.

(3) In the case of connectors constructed under § 9-661 of this subtitle during construction of the water line or sewer line, the Sanitary Commission of Worcester County shall determine a connection charge under paragraph (2)(ii) of this subsection that is the same on each side of the way in which the line is laid.

(c) The Sanitary Commission may set benefit assessments on all property, improved or unimproved, that abuts a way in which a water main or sewer has been built.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 2001.

Approved April 10, 2001.

CHAPTER 79

(House Bill 463)

AN ACT concerning

HIV and AIDS Cases - Confidentiality and Reporting Provisions

FOR the purpose of providing that any record, report, statement, note, or other information that is assembled or obtained for research or study by the AIDS Administration in the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene is a "confidential record" for certain purposes; requiring certain physicians to report AIDS cases based on diagnosis, not suspicion; eliminating the requirement that institutions report suspected cases of AIDS; specifying that certain facilities must make available to the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene certain information necessary to compile an HIV/AIDS care report under certain circumstances; defining certain terms; and generally relating to HIV and AIDS reporting.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 4-101, 4-102, 18-201, 18-202, and 18-207

Annotated Code of Maryland

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