

under the age of 21, less an amount equivalent to the State's obligation of general funds in fiscal year 1987 for inpatient psychiatric services provided in private facilities for persons under the age of 21. The amount of funds shall be calculated as follows: Multiply \$100 (one-half of the average per diem Medicaid rate of reimbursement established by the Cost Accounting Division of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene) by the number of Medicaid eligible persons under the age of 21 in each Department of Health and Mental Hygiene psychiatric facility accredited by the Joint Commission for the Accreditation of Hospitals as of September, 1986. Multiply that product by the number of bed days during fiscal year 1986 for each of the above persons. The resulting amount shall be placed in the fiscal year 1988 budget and shall be in addition to the amount of non-Title XIX moneys appropriated in fiscal year 1987 for the programs identified herein. The amount included in the operating budget of the Mental Hygiene Administration under this Act shall be used for community residential and support services for persons with mental disorders under the age of 21 including the development of additional therapeutic group homes and other group home placements, specialized foster care placements, community housing and rehabilitative services for young adults age 18 to 21, outreach, in-home intervention, and other services linking the community mental health system with the schools, courts, and local departments of social services and other child care agencies.

Further, the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall, by December 1, 1986, integrate into the Five-Year Deinstitutionalization Plan and the Interagency Plan for Children with Special Needs a method for expending the anticipated funds. The Department of Health and Mental Hygiene shall be prepared to implement the method with the revenues collected in fiscal year 1988.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1986.
