

(1) Is between 19 through 20 years old, during fiscal year 1980; and

(2) Was unable to attend school or was unable to receive appropriate services because of:

(i) The unavailability of special educational services;

(ii) The nonimplementation of approved State and local comprehensive educational plans;

(iii) The nonimplementation of individualized educational programs (IEP);

(iv) Dismissal for reasons related to the handicap; or

(v) Health related reasons which prevented attendance for 180 consecutive days.

(b) Compensatory special education services shall not be terminated solely because a handicapped individual reaches the age of 21.

(c) The programs established under this section shall terminate on June 30, 1983.

(d) Disagreements regarding an individual's eligibility are to be resolved in accordance with the review requirements in Section 8-415 of this article.]

8-402.

(a) [(1)] The State and each county shall make free educational programs available to each handicapped child, including a child who is severely handicapped [and an individual eligible for compensatory special education services], as provided by this subtitle.

[(2) The State shall reimburse a county in full for compensatory special education services provided to an individual over age 21.]

(b) Appropriate special educational services [and compensatory special educational services] are to begin as soon as [an individual] A CHILD can benefit from them, whether or not he is of regular school age.

8-403.

(a) The State Board shall adopt, as bylaws, standards for the identification, diagnosis, examination, and education of each child in this State who is under the age of 21 and is found to