

1 AN ACT in relation to criminal law.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,  
3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Unified Code of Corrections is amended  
5 by changing Section 3-15-3 as follows:

6 (730 ILCS 5/3-15-3) (from Ch. 38, par. 1003-15-3)

7 Sec. 3-15-3. Persons with mental illness and  
8 developmental disabilities.

9 (a) The Department must, may by rule, establish  
10 standards and procedures for the provision of mental health  
11 and developmental disability services to persons with mental  
12 illness and persons with a developmental disability confined  
13 in a local jail or juvenile detention facility as set forth  
14 under Section 3-7-7 of this Code.

15 Those standards must address screening and  
16 classification, the use of psychotropic medications, suicide  
17 prevention, qualifications of staff, staffing levels, staff  
18 training, discharge, linkage and aftercare, the  
19 confidentiality of mental health records, and such other  
20 issues as are necessary to insure that inmates with mental  
21 illness receive adequate and humane care and services.

22 (b) At least once each year, the Department must inspect  
23 each local jail and juvenile detention facility for  
24 compliance with the standards established. The results of the  
25 inspection must be made available by the Department for  
26 public inspection. If any jail or facility does not comply  
27 with the standards established, the Director of Corrections  
28 must give notice to the county board and the sheriff of such  
29 noncompliance, specifying the particular standards that have  
30 not been met by the jail or facility. If the jail or  
31 facility is not in compliance with the standards when 6

1 months have elapsed from the giving of such notice, the  
2 Director of Corrections may petition the appropriate court  
3 for an order requiring Jail or facility to comply with the  
4 standards established by the Department or for other  
5 appropriate relief.

6 (Source: P.A. 88-380.)