HEW's Office of Education proposes interim regulations

HEW's Office of Education has propsed interim regulations covering grants to State Agencies for the special education needs of children in institutions

This marks the first time separate regulations have been prepared for this program. While the regulations are final, they are considered interim because they include a request

for additional comments which could bring about further changes.

The regulations, which ap-

pear in today's "Federal Register" clarify the term average daily attendance, a factor in determining how much money an applicant State agency will recieve.

They also explain the types of education programs that a state agency can consider for grants, requirements on needs assessment, and the criteria for the approval of programs.