

# Health and Social Care (Quality and Engagement) (Wales) Act 2020

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### PART 3

### **DUTY OF CANDOUR**

Procedural and other requirements

## VALID FROM 01/04/2023

# 5 Primary care providers: duty to prepare report

- (1) As soon as practicable after the end of each financial year, a primary care provider must prepare a report under this section.
- (2) The report must state whether, during the reporting year, the duty of candour has come into effect in respect of the provision of health care by the primary care provider.
- (3) If the duty of candour has come into effect during the reporting year, the report must—
  - (a) specify how often this has happened during the reporting year,
  - (b) give a brief description of the circumstances in which the duty came into effect, and
  - (c) describe any steps taken by the provider with a view to preventing similar circumstances from arising in future.
- (4) If during the same financial year the primary care provider has provided health care on behalf of two or more Local Health Boards, a separate report is to be prepared under this section in respect of each of those bodies.
- (5) In this section and sections 6 to 8—

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- (a) references to a financial year are to each period of 12 months ending on 31 March;
- (b) references to a reporting year, in relation to a report, are to the financial year to which the report relates.

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