

Ancillary Services

REGULATIONS, DATED 17TH AUGUST, 1948, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION THIRTY OF THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1948. No. 255

The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sub-section (3) of section thirty of the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1948 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") as amended by section ninety-nine of and the Third Schedule to the Mental Health Act (Northern Ireland), 1948, hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Health Services (Ancillary Services) (Hospitals) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these Regulations as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2. The Northern Ireland Hospitals Authority may determine that any of the ancillary services referred to in sub-section (1) of section thirty of the Act may be administered, in whole or in part, as if those services or any one of them formed part of the hospital and specialist services, and, in the event of the Authority so determining, the said ancillary services shall be administered accordingly.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this seventeenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight in the presence of :—

(L.S.)

Thos. Elwood,

Assistant Secretary.

Prescribed Appliances

REGULATIONS, DATED 30TH NOVEMBER, 1948, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION TWENTY-ONE OF THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1948. No. 309

The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by paragraph (d) of sub-section (2) of section twenty-one of the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1948 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") hereby makes the following regulations :—

1.—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Health Services (Prescribed Appliances) (Hospitals) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1921, shall apply for the purpose of the interpretation of these regulations in like manner as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of the Parliament of Northern Ireland.

2. The Authority may supply for the proper treatment or benefit of any patient who is receiving hospital and specialist services as defined in sub-section (1) of section 21 of the Act, any appliance in respect of which arrangements have been made for its supply to hospitals in accordance with a scheme to be prepared by the Authority and approved by the Ministry.

Provided that :—

- (1) the supply of the appliance is recommended by the Medical Officer of the hospital who is in charge of the treatment of the patient ;
- (2) an appliance shall not be supplied to or for the benefit of any person who already possesses an identical or similar appliance which, in the opinion of the medical officer of the hospital who is in charge of the patient, is in all respects suitable to that person unless the medical officer is satisfied that a second or further such appliance is necessarily required by that person ;
- (3) an appliance shall not be provided by the Authority for a person who is not an in-patient of a hospital if it can readily be obtained by that person under the provisions of Part II of the Act ;
- (4) a record showing the appliances recommended and the name of the Medical Officer making the recommendation shall be maintained at each hospital.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, this thirtieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and forty-eight, in the presence of :

(L.S.)

Thos. Elwood,

Assistant Secretary.

Charges for Appliances

REGULATIONS, DATED 30TH NOVEMBER, 1948, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION 21 OF THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1948. No. 310

The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section twenty-one