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2. Back of Form

EXPLANATORY NOTES

The treatment which may be the subject of this Form is as follows :---

Not more than two extractions

General Anaesthetic

for the relief of pain

THIS FORM MUST NOT BE USED EXCEPT FOR TREATMENT OF THE KINDS SPECIFIED ABOVE.

TO THE PATIENT

The aim of the General Dental Service is to provide you with all necessary dental treatment. The treatment you have now had may not be all you need. You would be well advised in future to arrange for your dentist to give you all the treatment required to make you dentally fit.

REGULATIONS, DATED 24TH MAY, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1949. No. 87

The Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by Section eleven of the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1948, hereby makes the following Regulations :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Services (General Dental Services) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1949, and shall come into operation on 1st June, 1949.

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.

3.—(1) In the Second Schedule to the Health Services (General Dental Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948 (a), the items "Radiological examination at a cost not exceeding $\pounds 2$ 2s. 0d." and "Radiological examination at a cost exceeding $\pounds 2$ 2s. 0d." shall be amended by the substitution for the figure of $\pounds 2$ 2s. 0d. of the words "12s. 6d. for intra-oral films or 15s. 6d. for an extra-oral film."

(a) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1948, No. 157.

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(2) In the Second Schedule to the Health Services (General Dental Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948, the items "Repairs to metal dentures at a cost not exceeding $\pounds 2$ " and "Repairs to metal dentures at a cost exceeding $\pounds 2$ " shall be amended by the substitution of the figure of $\pounds 1$ 15s. 0d. for the figure of $\pounds 2$.

4. The scale of fees set out in the Schedule hereto shall be substituted for the scale of fees contained in Parts I and II of the Schedule to the Health Services (General Dental Services Fees) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948 (a), as amended by the Health Services (General Dental Services) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1949 (b):

Provided that nothing in this Regulation shall affect the right of a dentist to receive payment, in respect of work undertaken prior to the commencement of these Regulations, in accordance with the provisions of the Regulations then in force.

5. The Health Services (General Dental Services Fees) (Amendment) Regulations, (Northern Ireland), 1949 (c) (except Regulation 5) and the Health Services (General Dental Services Fees) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1949 (d), shall as from the 31st day of July, 1949, cease to have effect : Provided that the adjustments for which provision is made by paragraphs (iii) and (iv) of Regulation 3 of the first-mentioned Regulations shall with such modifications as are necessary, be made at the end of July, 1949, instead of at the end of the year.

6. Paragraphs (ii) to (iv) of Regulation 4 of the Health Services (General Dental Services) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1949 (b), which amend the Schedule to the Health Services (General Dental Services Fees) Regulations, (Northern Ireland), 1948, are hereby revoked.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland this twenty fourth day of May, one thousand, nine hundred and forty-nine in the presence of

(L.S.)

J. E. Pittaway,

Assistant Secretary.

(a) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1948, No. 160.
(b) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1949, No. 78.
(c) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1949, No. 2.
(d) S. R. & O. (N.I.), 1949, No. 13.

SCHEDULE

SCALE OF FEES

PART I

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5s. 0d.,-but not chargeable :---

- (a) where the dentist has been paid or is entitled to payment of a similar fee for an examination within the preceding six months in the case of a patient 21 years of age or over or three months in the case of a patient under 21 years of age, and a dentist shall not be entitled to receive more than three such payments for any period of twelve months in respect of a person under 21 years of age;
- (b) in respect of repairs of dentures for edentulous patients;
- where a modified estimate form is (c) used.
- 12s. 6d.,-but not chargeable where the estimate includes subsequent extraction of the teeth charted for scaling unless the Dental Estimates Committee approve.
- Normal Scaling and Gum Treat-2. ment-per individual
- 3. Fillings-per filling :---(i) Amalgam (a) Involving one surface

	(b.)			more	than	one
	~	surfac	ce	••	•	•••
(ii)	Sili	cates	•••	•	••	•••

- 4. Conservation of deciduous teeth Fee per tooth
- Root treatment (per tooth) 5. (a) Single rooted (non-septic) £1 10s. 0d. (b) Multi-rooted and all septic £2 5s. 0d. teeth * Extractions 6. 1 or 2 teeth ... 7s. 6d. 3, 4 or 5 teeth 11s. .6d. 6, 7 or 8 teeth 15s. 6d. 9, 10 or 11 teeth 12, 13 or 14 teeth 15, 16 or 17 teeth 19s. 6d. 3s. 6d. 7s. 6d. ••• ... • • • 18, 19 or 20 teeth 11s. 6d. f_1 11s. 6d. f_1 17s. 6d. over 20 teeth • • • Administration of General Anaes-7.
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4-11 .teeth			•••	£1 0s. 0d. £1 10s. 0d.
12—19 teeth	•••	•••	•••	£1 10s. 0d.

15s. 0d., with a maximum fee of $\pounds 1$ 2s. 6d. per tooth.

£1 2s. 6d. 18s. 0d., with a maximum fee of £1 7s. 6d. per tooth.

7s. 6d.

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	20 teeth or over Provided that no fee in excess of 7s. 6d, shall be payable unless a doctor or dentist, other than the dentist carrying out the extraction, administers the anaesthetic, and no fee shall exceed £2 0s. 0d. per individual case.	£2 0s. 0d.
. 8.	* Dentures — (i) Full upper and full lower (ii) Per denture — 1, 2 or 3 teeth 4 to 8 teeth 9 to 14 teeth Provided that no fee for both upper and lower denture shall exceed £9 9s. 0d. (iii) Lingual bar	£9, 98. 0d. £4 58. 0d. £5 08. 0d. £5 78. 6d. Such additional fee as the Dental
9.	Relining of dentures — per denture	Estimates Committee may approve. £2 0s. 0d.
10.	 Repairs — (i) vulcanite or plastic denture : (a) cracks or fractures of a denture (b) Replacing of a tooth, band or wire on a denture (c) Addition of teeth, bands or wires to a denture (c) Addition of teeth, bands or wires to a denture (denture (denture (ii) orthodontic appliances, obturators, splints, radium applicators 	 15s. 6d. 15s. 6d. £1 5s. 0d. £1 15s. 0d. Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve.
11.	* Apicectomy — per tooth (includ- ing root treatment)	Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve within a range of \pounds 3 0s. 0d. to \pounds 3 15s. 0d.
12.	* Gingivectomy (including any scaling)	Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve within a range of $\pounds 1$ 7s. 6d. to $\pounds 11$ 0s. 0d. Based upon a minimum of up to 4 teeth ($\pounds 1$ 7s. 6d.) and rising by successive units of 4 teeth.
13.	* Prolonged Gum Treatment (in- cluding deep scaling, correction of traumatic occlusion and oral hygiene instruction, etc.)	Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve within a range of £1 10s, 0d. to £3 0s. 0d. or such other fee as they may, in special circumstances, approve.
14.	* Alveolectomy — for upper or lower jaw	Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve up to a maximum of £3 0s. 0d. or such other fee as they may, in special circumstances, approve.
15.	 Radjological Examination — (a) Intra-oral films: First film Each additional film (b) Extra-oral films: Each film (c) Extra-oral films : Each film 	7s. 6d. 5s. 0d. * up to a maximum of £2 5s. 0d. 15s. 6d. • up to a maximum of £4 0s. 0d.

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- 16. * Obturators Fee per case in addition to appropriate denture fee ...

17. * Orthodontic Treatment

- Treatment involving a special appliance, radium applicators, splints.
- 19. * Removal of Cysts, Buried Roots, Impacted Teeth
- 20. * Backing and Tagging Fee per tooth in addition to appropriate fee for non-metallic base denture — (a) Gold
 (b) White Gold
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 ...
 16s.

 (c) Stainless Steel
 ...
 12s.
- 21. Fee per case for the treatment of sensitive cementum, the taking of material for pathological or bacteriological examination etc. ...

22. Fee per case for arrest of bleeding

- 23. Domiciliary visits per journey to one or more patients
- 23A. Dressings of teeth fee per patient where a modified estimate form is used
- 24. * Fee for any other treatment not included in this scale which is clinically necessary and is not special treatment provided or supplied under Part V of the Health Services (General Dental Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948.
- 25. * Fee for special treatment such as is mentioned in Regulation 13(1) of the Health Services (General Dental Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948, provided or supplied at a patient's request under Part V of those Regulations not being treatment which, in the opinion of the Dental Estimates Committee, is required by the patient owing solely to his clinical condition.

- Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve within a range of £3 0s. 0d. to £5 0s. 0d. or such additional fee as they may, in special circumstances, approve.
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Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve up to a maximum of £5 17s. 6d. together with a special anaesthetic fee, where necessary, up to £2 0s. 0d., or such higher anaesthetic fee as they may, in special circumstances, approve.

£1 4s. 0d. 16s. 0d. 12s. 0d.

7s. 6d.

15s. 0d.

7s. 6d.

7s. 6d.

Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may approve.

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The appropriate fee for the correspending normal treatment together with such additional charge, payable by the patient, as may be agreed upon between the dentist and the patient.

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- * Fee for special treatment provided or supplied under Part V of the 26. Health Services (General Dental Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland), 1948, which, in the opinion of the Dental Estimates Committee, is required by the patient owing solely to his clinical condition, or any repair of a denture supplied as part of such treatment so required.
- Such fee as the Dental Estimates Committee may determine in accordance with a scale approved by the Ministry.
- * Treatment for which the prior approval of the Dental Estimates Committee is required, except that -

 - (a) extractions not necessitating the supply of dentures;
 (b) treatment for relief of pain or other urgent symptoms;
 (c) radiological examination up to a fee of 12s. 6d. for intra-oral films or 15s. 6d. for an extra-oral film; and
 - (d) repairs to metal dentures at a cost not exceeding f_{11} 15s. 0d. may be carried out without prior approval.

General Dental Services-Fees

REGULATIONS, DATED 5TH JANUARY, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1949. No. 2

This Order (except Regulation 5 which is of temporary effect), has been revoked by Order 1949 No. 87, and is not printed at length in this Volume.

REGULATIONS, DATED 28TH JANUARY, 1949, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1949. No. 13 Revoled 1949 S.R+0 (~.1) \$7

This Order has been revoked by Order 1949 No. 87, and is not printed at length in this Volume.

General Scheme : Modification

Order, dated 30th September, 1949, made by the Ministry of HEALTH AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNDER SECTION TWENTY-EIGHT OF THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1948.

1949. No. 176

WHEREAS sub-section (4) of section twenty-eight of the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland), 1948, provides that the Northern Ireland Hospitals Authority (in this Order referred to as "the Authority ") may from time to time, after consultation with the Ministry of Health and Local Government for Northern Ireland (in this Order

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