

Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) Act 2003

2003 CHAPTER 43

PART 4

DENTAL AND MEDICAL SERVICES

Primary dental services

170 Provision of primary dental services

In the 1977 Act, after section 16C insert-

"Functions of Primary Care Trusts and Local Health Boards

16CA Primary dental services

- (1) Each Primary Care Trust and Local Health Board must, to the extent that it considers necessary to meet all reasonable requirements, exercise its powers so as to provide primary dental services within its area, or secure their provision within its area.
- (2) A Primary Care Trust or Local Health Board may (in addition to any other power conferred on it) provide primary dental services itself (whether within or outside its area).
- (3) Each Primary Care Trust and Local Health Board must publish information about such matters as may be prescribed in relation to the primary dental services for which it makes provision under this Part.
- (4) A body on which functions are conferred under this section must co-operate with any other such body in the discharge of their respective functions relating to the provision of primary dental services under this Part.

Status: Point in time view as at 15/02/2006. This version of this provision has been superseded. Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Health and Social Care (Community Health and Standards) Act 2003, Section 170. (See end of Document for details)

- (5) Regulations may provide that services of a prescribed description are, or are not, to be regarded as primary dental services for the purposes of this Part.
- (6) Regulations under subsection (5) may in particular describe services by reference to the manner or circumstances in which they are provided."

Commencement Information

- II S. 170 partly in force; s. 170 in force at Royal Assent for certain purposes, see s. 199(1)(4)
- I2 S. 170 in force at 1.1.2006 for specified purposes for E. by S.I. 2005/2925, art. 4(2)(a)
- I3 S. 170 in force at 15.2.2006 for specified purposes for W. by S.I. 2006/345, art. 2(1)(c)

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