

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the National Health Service (Dental Charges) Regulations 2005 (“the Dental Charges Regulations”).

Regulation 2(2) of these Regulations amends regulation 4 of the Dental Charges Regulations to increase the applicable charge payable for courses of treatment. The charge payable for a Band 1 course of treatment increases by 1.9%. The charge payable for a Band 2 course of treatment increases by 2.2%. The charge payable for a Band 3 course of treatment remains at the 2008/2009 level of £198.00.

A full Impact Assessment has not been produced for this instrument as it has no impact on the cost of business, charities or voluntary bodies.