
WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 263

The National Health Service (Existing Liabilities Scheme for General Practice) (Wales) Regulations 2020

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations—

“the 2006 Act” (“*Deddf 2006*”) means the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006;

“ancillary health services” (“*gwasanaethau iechyd ategol*”) means services, other than primary medical services, provided as part of the health service by a person who, at the time of providing the services, was—

- (a) a Part 4 contractor whose principal activity consisted of the provision of primary medical services,
- (b) a primary medical services sub-contractor whose principal activity consisted of the provision of primary medical services, or
- (c) a person providing the services under a contractual arrangement with a person mentioned in paragraph (a) or (b);

“eligible person” (“*person cymwys*”) means a person specified in regulation 5;

“the health service” (“*y gwasanaeth iechyd*”) means the health service continued under section 1(1) of the 2006 Act;

“Local Health Board” (“*Bwrdd Iechyd Lleol*”) means a Local Health Board established in accordance with section 11(2) of the 2006 Act;

“medical defence organisation” (“*sefydliad amddiffyn meddygol*”) means an organisation—

- (a) that does not carry on activities for the purposes of making profits for distribution to its members or others, and
- (b) whose objects include the provision of professional indemnity cover, on a discretionary basis, for the persons providing services as part of the health service;

“Part 4 contractor” (“*contractwr Rhan 4*”) means a person providing, or making arrangements for the provision of, primary medical services in accordance with a contractual arrangement (including a contractual arrangement or agreement that is part of a set of arrangements for the provision of services, in addition to the primary medical services) made with that person under one of the following provisions of the 2006 Act—

- (a) section 41(2)(b) (primary medical services),
- (b) section 42(1) (general medical services contracts: introductory), or
- (c) section 50 (arrangements by a Local Health Board for the provision of primary medical services);

“primary medical services” (“*gwasanaethau meddygol sylfaenol*”) means the primary medical services that the Local Health Board is under a duty to secure in accordance with section 41 of the 2006 Act;

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“primary medical services sub-contractor” (*“is-gontractwr gwasanaethau meddygol sylfaenol”*) means a person providing primary medical services under a contractual arrangement made with a Part 4 contractor;

“relevant function” (*“swyddogaeth berthnasol”*) means—

- (a) providing or making arrangements for the provision of—
 - (i) primary medical services, or
 - (ii) ancillary health services, or
- (b) carrying out an activity in connection with any of the activities mentioned in paragraph (a);

“relevant liability” (*“atebolrwydd perthnasol”*) means an existing liability to which the Scheme applies;

“the Scheme” (*“y Cynllun”*) means the scheme established by regulation 3(1).