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PROSPECTIVE

SCHEDULE 3

Other contractual terms

PART 1

Provision of services

Attendance outside practice premises

6.—(1) Where the medical condition of a patient is such that, in the reasonable opinion of the contractor—

- (a) attendance on the patient is required, and
- (b) it would be inappropriate for the patient to attend at the practice premises,

the contractor must provide services to that patient at whichever of the places described in sub-paragraph (2) is in the contractor's judgement the most appropriate.

(2) The places described in this sub-paragraph are—

- (a) the place recorded in the patient's medical records as being the patient's last home address,
- (b) such other place as the contractor has informed the patient and the Local Health Board is the place where the contractor has agreed to visit and treat the patient, or
- (c) another place in the contractor's practice area.

(3) Nothing in this paragraph prevents the contractor from—

- (a) arranging for the referral of the patient without first seeing the patient, in any case where the patient's medical condition makes that course of action appropriate, or
- (b) visiting the patient in circumstances where this paragraph does not place the contractor under an obligation to do so.

Commencement Information

I1 Sch. 3 para. 6 in force at 1.10.2023, see [reg. 1\(2\)](#)

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- Sch. 3 para. 6 coming into force by [S.I. 2023/953 reg. 1\(2\)](#)

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- Sch. 3 para. 16(3) inserted by [S.I. 2023/1421 reg. 18\(b\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 2(2)(a)(iv)(aa) omitted by [S.I. 2023/1421 reg. 20\(d\)](#)
- Sch. 5 para. 2(2)(a)(i)(aa) word substituted by [S.I. 2023/1421 reg. 20\(c\)](#)