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## DIRECTIONS

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### NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE ACT 2006

#### The Primary Dental Services Statements of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2015

The Secretary of State for Health, having consulted in accordance with section 103(4) of the National Health Service Act 2006(a) with the bodies appearing to the Secretary of State to be representative of persons to whose remuneration these directions relate, gives the following Directions in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 103(1) and (3), 109(4) and (5), and 273(1) of that Act(b).

#### Citation and commencement

1.—(1) These Directions may be cited as the Primary Dental Services Statements of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2015.

(2) These Directions come into force immediately after they are signed, but have effect from 1st April 2015.

#### Amendments to the General Dental Services Statement of Financial Entitlements 2013

2.—(1) The directions given in the General Dental Services Statement of Financial Entitlements 2013(c) are amended as follows.

(2) In Section 2 (Negotiated Annual Contract Values), in paragraph 2.7 (annual contract value adjustment) for “1st April 2014 is 1.6%” substitute “1st April 2015 is 1.34%”.

(3) In Section 7 (payments in respect of foundation training)—

(a) in paragraph 7.2(c) (eligibility for payments in respect of vocational training), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”;

(b) in paragraph 7.4(c) (applications for payments under this Section), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”; and

(c) in paragraph 7.5 (foundation training payments to be made)—

(i) in sub-paragraph (a), for “£761” substitute “£769”, and

(ii) in sub-paragraph (b), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”.

(4) In Section 12 (glossary of terms), in paragraph 12.3 (definitions)—

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(a) 2006 c.41. Section 103 has been amended by section 55(1) of, and paragraph 45 of Schedule 4 to, the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (c.7) (“the 2012 Act”).

(b) Section 109 has been amended by section 55(1) of, and paragraph 50 of Schedule 4 to, the 2012 Act. Section 273 has been amended by sections 21(6), 47(7) and 55(1) of, and paragraph 137 of Schedule 4 to, the 2012 Act. By virtue of section 271(1) of the National Health Service Act 2006, the powers conferred by these sections are exercisable by the Secretary of State only in relation to England.

(c) The General Dental Services Statement of Financial Entitlements 2013, signed on 28th March 2013 is amended by the Primary Dental Services Statements of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2014 signed on 16th April 2014. Both documents are published on [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk). Hard copies of these documents can be obtained by writing to Claire Osborne, Dental and Eye Care Services, Policy and Legislation Unit, NHS Group, Room 201 Richmond House, 79 Whitehall, London, SW1A 2NS.

- (a) in the definition of “Foundation Trainer”, in paragraph (b), for “established by a Postgraduate Dental Education Committee,” substitute “established by a postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education,”; and
- (b) in the definition of “postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education” after “and standards of” insert “the General Dental Council,”.

### **Amendment to the Personal Dental Services Statement of Financial Entitlements 2013**

**3.—**(1) The directions given in the Personal Dental Services Statement of Financial Entitlements 2013(a) are amended as follows.

(2) In section 2 (Negotiated Annual Agreement Values), in paragraph 2.9 (annual uprating of NAAVs) for “1st April 2014 is 1.6%” substitute “1st April 2015 is 1.34%”.

(3) In section 7 (payments in respect of foundation training)—

- (a) in paragraph 7.2(c) (eligibility for payments in respect of foundation training), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”;
- (b) in paragraph 7.4(c) (applications for payments under this Section), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”; and
- (c) in paragraph 7.5 (foundation training payments to be made)—
  - (i) in sub-paragraph (a), for “£761” substitute “£769”, and
  - (ii) in sub-paragraph (b), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”.

(4) In Section 12 (glossary of terms), in paragraph 12.3 (definitions)—

- (a) in the definition of “Foundation Trainer”, in paragraph (b), for “established by a Postgraduate Dental Education Committee,” substitute “established by a postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education,”; and
- (b) in the definition of “postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education” after “and standards of” insert “the General Dental Council,”.

### **Amendment to the Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 Statement of Financial Entitlements**

**4.—**(1) The directions given in the Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 Statement of Financial Entitlements(b) are amended as follows.

(2) In Section 2 (Negotiated Annual Pilot Value), in paragraph 2.5 (nomination of the first Negotiated Annual Pilot Value – Type 1)—

- (a) for “at the beginning of the financial year 2014 to 2015” substitute “at the beginning of the financial year 2015 to 2016”; and
- (b) for “the financial year 2014 to 2015 which is 1.6%” substitute “the financial year 2015 to 2016 which is 1.34%”.

(3) In Section 4 (Negotiated Annual Pilot Value), in paragraph 4.5 (nomination of the first Negotiated Annual Pilot Value – Type 2)—

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(a) The Personal Dental Services Statement of Financial Entitlements 2013 signed on 28th March 2013 is amended by the Primary Dental Services Statements of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2014 signed on 16th April 2014. Both documents are published on [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk). Hard copies of these documents can be obtained by writing to Claire Osborne, Dental and Eye Care Services, Policy and Legislation Unit, NHS Group, Room 201 Richmond House, 79 Whitehall, London, SW1A 2NS.

(b) The Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 Statement of Financial Entitlements signed on 28th March 2013 is amended by the Primary Dental Services Statements of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2014 signed on 16th April 2014, the Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 Statement of Financial Entitlement (Amendment) Directions 2014 signed on 5th August 2014, and the Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 Statement of Financial Entitlement (Amendment) Directions 2015 signed on 25th March 2015. All of the aforementioned documents are published on [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk). Hard copies of these documents can be obtained by writing to Claire Osborne, Dental and Eye Care Services, Policy and Legislation Unit, NHS Group, Room 201 Richmond House, 79 Whitehall, London, SW1A 2NS.

- (a) for “at the beginning of the financial year 2014 to 2015” substitute “at the beginning of the financial year 2015 to 2016”; and
  - (b) for “the financial year 2014 to 2015 which is 1.6%” substitute “the financial year 2015 to 2016 which is 1.34%”.
- (4) In Section 6 (Negotiated Annual Pilot Value), in paragraph 6.5 (nomination of the first Negotiated Annual Pilot Value – Type 3)—
- (a) for “at the beginning of the financial year 2014 to 2015” substitute “at the beginning of the financial year 2015 to 2016”; and
  - (b) for “the financial year 2014 to 2015 which is 1.6%” substitute “the financial year 2015 to 2016 which is 1.34%”.
- (5) In Section 12 (payments in respect of foundation training)—
- (a) in paragraph 12.2(c) (eligibility for payments in respect of foundation training), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”;
  - (b) in paragraph 12.4(c) (applications for payments under this Section), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”; and
  - (c) in paragraph 12.5 (foundation training payments to be made)—
    - (i) in sub-paragraph (a), for “£761” substitute “£769”; and
    - (ii) in sub-paragraph (b), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”.
- (6) In Section 17 (exit from a Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 A greement), in paragraph 17.3(a) (adjustment to payments on returning to underlying PDS agreement)—
- (a) in paragraph (i), for “31st August” substitute “30th September”; and
  - (b) in paragraph (ii), for “1st September” substitute “1st October”.
- (7) In Section 18 (Negotiated Annual Pilot Value), in paragraph 18.5 (nomination of the first Negotiated Annual Pilot Value – Type 1)—
- (a) for “at the beginning of the financial year 2014 to 2015” substitute “at the beginning of the financial year 2015 to 2016”; and
  - (b) for “the financial year 2014 to 2015 which is 1.6%” substitute “the financial year 2015 to 2016 which is 1.34%”.
- (8) In Section 20 (Negotiated Annual Pilot Value), in paragraph 20.5 (nomination of the first Negotiated Annual Pilot Value – Type 2)—
- (a) for “at the beginning of the financial year 2014 to 2015” substitute “at the beginning of the financial year 2015 to 2016”; and
  - (b) for “the financial year 2014 to 2015 which is 1.6%” substitute “the financial year 2015 to 2016 which is 1.34%”.
- (9) In Section 22 (Negotiated Annual Pilot Value), in paragraph 22.5 (nomination of the first Negotiated Annual Pilot Value – Type 3)—
- (a) for “at the beginning of the financial year 2014 to 2015” substitute “at the beginning of the financial year 2015 to 2016”; and
  - (b) for “the financial year 2014 to 2015 which is 1.6%” substitute “the financial year 2015 to 2016 which is 1.34%”.
- (10) In Section 28 (payments in respect of foundation training)—
- (a) in paragraph 28.2(c) (eligibility for payments in respect of foundation training), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”;
  - (b) in paragraph 28.4(c) (applications for payments under this Section), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”; and
  - (c) in paragraph 28.5 (foundation training payments to be made)—
    - (i) in sub-paragraph (a), for “£761” substitute “£769”, and
    - (ii) in sub-paragraph (b), for “£2,536” substitute “£2,561”.

(11) In Section 33 (exit from a Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 A agreement), in paragraph 33.3(a) (adjustment to payments on returning to underlying GDS contract)—

(a) in paragraph (i), for “31st August” substitute “30th September”; and

(b) in paragraph (ii), for “1st September” substitute “1st October”.

(12) In Section 34 (glossary of terms), in paragraph 34.3 (definitions)—

(a) in the definition of “Foundation Trainer”, in paragraph (b), for “established by a Postgraduate Dental Education Committee,” substitute “established by a postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education,”; and

(b) in the definition of “postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education” after “and standards of” insert “the General Dental Council,”.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State



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(11) In Section 33 (exit from a Capitation and Quality Scheme 2 A agreement), in paragraph 33.3(a) (adjustment to payments on returning to underlying GDS contract)—

(a) in paragraph (i), for “31st August” substitute “30th September”; and

(b) in paragraph (ii), for “1st September” substitute “1st October”.

(12) In Section 34 (glossary of terms), in paragraph 34.3 (definitions)—

(a) in the definition of “Foundation Trainer”, in paragraph (b), for “established by a Postgraduate Dental Education Committee,” substitute “established by a postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education,”; and

(b) in the definition of “postgraduate dental dean or director of postgraduate dental education” after “and standards of” insert “the General Dental Council,”.

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