
D I R E C T I O N S

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE ACT 2006

The National Health Service (Dental Services) (Prototype Agreements) (Amendment) Directions 2018

The Secretary of State for Health and Social Care in exercise of the powers conferred under section 114A(3), 272(7) and (8) and 273(1) of the National Health Service Act 2006 gives the following Directions(a).

Citation, commencement, application and interpretation

1.—(1) These Directions may be cited as the National Health Service (Dental Services) (Prototype Agreements) (Amendment) Directions and come into force on immediately after they are signed.

(2) These Directions are given to the National Health Service Commissioning Board(b).

(3) In these Directions “the Prototype Directions” means that National Health Service (Dental Services) (Prototype Agreements) Directions 2015(c).

Amendment of direction 1 of the Prototype Directions

2.In Direction 1 of the Prototype Directions (citation, commencement and duration), in paragraph (2), for “31st March 2018” substitute “31st March 2020”.

Amendment of direction 3 of the Prototype Directions

3.In Direction 3 of the Prototype Directions (Directions to the Board), in paragraph (4)(c), for “31st March 2018” substitute “31st March 2020”.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care

Edward Scully

27th March 2018

A Member of the Senior Civil Service
Department of Health and Social Care

(a) 2006 c.41. Section 114A was inserted by section 49 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (c.7). Section 273 was amended by paragraph 137 of Schedule 4 to the Health and Social Care Act 2012.

(b) The National Health Service Commissioning Board (known as “NHS England”) was established by section 1H of the National Health Service Act 2006. Section 1H was inserted by section 9(1) of the Health and Social Care Act 2012.

(c) The National Health Service (Dental Services) (Prototype Agreements) Directions 2015 were signed on 23rd September 2015. They are available at: https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/attachment_data/file/463520/Prototype_Directions_2015.pdf at: https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/attachment_data/file/463520/Prototype_Directions_2015.pdf
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