#### SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION

# 2017 No. 2

# THE NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE (WALES) ACT 2006

Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No. 6) Directions 2017

Made - - - - 31 January 2017 Having effect in accordance with direction 1(2)

The Welsh Ministers in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sections 45, 203(9) and 204(1) of the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006(1), and after consulting in accordance with section 45(4) of that Act with the bodies appearing to them to be representative of persons to whose remuneration these Directions relate, give the following Directions:

## Title and application

- **1.**—(1) The title of these Directions is the Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No. 6) Directions 2017.
  - (2) These Directions are made on 31 January 2017 but have effect from 1st April 2016(2).

#### Amendments to the Statement of Financial Entitlements

**2.** The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements Directions 2013(3) which came into force on 11 June 2013, as amended by the Directions listed in Annex J in the Schedule to these Directions, are amended as follows.

### **Amendment of Quality and Outcomes Framework)**

- **3.** In paragraph 4.3 for the words "the period commencing on" substitute "any financial year commencing on or after"
  - 4. In Annex D (quality and outcomes framework)-
  - (a) in Section 1, paragraph D.2 omit "for the financial year commencing on 1st April 2015 and ending on 31st March 2016";
  - (b) in Section 2.4. (cluster network development domain)—
    - (i) in the paragraphs in the column titled "Practice Development Plan" (indicator CND001W) omit "2016" and "2015" in each place where they appear;
    - (ii) in the paragraphs in the column titled "Cluster Network Action Plan" (indicator CND002W) omit "2015" in each place where it appears;

<sup>(1)</sup> The National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006 (c.42).

Under section 45(3)(e) of the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006 a direction made under section 45 may, in certain circumstances, make provision having effect from a date before the date of the direction.

<sup>(3)</sup> The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements 2013 (2013 No.8) as amended.

- (iii) in the paragraphs in the column titled "Cluster Network Annual Report" (indicator CND004W) omit "2016" in each place where it appears;
- (iv) in the paragraphs in the column titled "Clinical Governance" (indicator CND005W) omit "2016" in each place where it appears;
- (v) in the paragraphs in the column titled "Participating in General Practice National Priority Areas" (indicator CND006W)-
  - (aa) for the words "1st January 2015 and 31st December 2015", in each place they appear, substitute "1st January in the preceding financial year and 31st December in that financial year";
  - (bb) omit "2016";
- (vi) in the paragraphs in the column titled "Improving end of life care" (indicator CND007W)
  - (aa) for the words "1st January 2015 and 31st December 2015", in each place they appear, substitute "1st January in the preceding financial year and 31st December in that financial year";
  - (bb) omit "2016";
- (vii) in the paragraphs in the column titled "Minimising the harms of polypharmacy" (indicator CND008W)-
  - (aa) for "2014/15 analysis" substitute "analysis for the previous financial year";
  - (bb) omit "2016".

### Substitution of Annex J

**5.** For Annex J substitute Annex J attached to the Schedule to these Directions.

Signed by Dr Grant L. Duncan, Deputy Director, Healthcare Policy Division under the authority of the Minister for Health and Social Services, one of the Welsh Ministers

Date: 31 January 2017

## **SCHEDULE**

### ANNEX J

Amendments to the Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements Directions 2013 which came into force on 11 June 2013

- (a) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2013 (2013 No.60), which were made on 30 September 2013
- (b) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2014 (2014 No.3), which were made on 16 June 2014
- (c) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No. 2) Directions 2014 (2014 No.17), which were made on 27 June 2014
- (d) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No. 3) Directions 2014 (2014 No.24), which were made on 30 September 2014
- (e) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2015 (2015 No.7), which were made on 31 March 2015
- (f) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment No 2) Directions 2015 (2015 No.14), which were made on 01 April 2015
- (g) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment No 3) Directions 2015 (2015 No.15), which were made on 20 April 2015
- (h) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment No 4) Directions 2015 (2015 No.19), which were made on 25 June 2015
- (i) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No.5) Directions 2015, which were made on 30 September 2015
- (j) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) Directions 2016, which were made on 30 March 2016
- (k) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No. 2) Directions 2016, which were made on 11 April 2016
- (l) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No. 3) Directions 2016, which were made on 13 July 2016
- (m) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No. 4) Directions 2016 (2016 No.19), which were made on 16 August 2016
- (n) The Directions to Local Health Boards as to the Statement of Financial Entitlements (Amendment) (No.5) Directions 2016.