

Statutory Document No.0117/13



National Health Service Act 2001

NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE (DENTAL CHARGES)(AMENDMENT)(NO. 2) REGULATIONS 2013

Approved by Tynwald: 16 April 2013
Coming into Operation: 1 June 2013

The Department of Health, after having consulted as required by section 42(5) of the National Health Service Act 2001, makes the following Regulations under section 32(1) of that Act.

1 Title

These Regulations are the National Health Service (Dental Charges)(Amendment)(No. 2) Regulations 2013.

2 Commencement

If approved by Tynwald these Regulations come into operation on 1 June 2013.

3 Amendment of the National Health Service (Dental Charges) Regulations 2006

- (1) The National Health Service (Dental Charges) Regulations 2006¹ are amended as follows.
- (2) In regulation 1(2) (interpretation) after the definition of “patient record” insert—
 - “**pensionable age**” has the same meaning as in the Pensions Act 1995 (of Parliament) as it has effect in the Isle of Man²; **and**
- (3) For Schedule 5 substitute the Schedule set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

¹ SD 100/06, as amended by SD 510/10

² See SD 501/97

4 Revocation

The National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Amendment) Regulations 2013³ are revoked.

MADE 20TH MARCH 2013

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Minister for Health

³ SD 0050/13

SCHEDULE

[Regulation 3(3)]

Schedule 5 substituted

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[Regulation 6]


Exemptions – Categories and Evidence

Category	Evidence
1. A person under 16 years of age	1. The person's birth certificate
2. A person under 19 years of age and receiving qualifying full-time education	2. The person's birth certificate and a document signed by the principal or other appropriate officer of the recognised educational establishment
3. A person who has attained pensionable age	3. The person's birth certificate
4. A woman who is pregnant or has given birth within the previous 12 months	4. A certificate, signed by a registered medical practitioner or a registered midwife, as to the pregnancy or the child's birth certificate
5. A person in receipt of income support under the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992 (of Parliament) as it has effect in the Island ⁴ ("the 1992 Act"), or a dependant of such a person	5. Documentary evidence of entitlement issued by the Department of Social Care
6. A person in receipt of income-based job seeker's allowance under the Jobseekers Act 1995 (of Parliament), as it has effect in the Island ⁵	6. Documentary evidence of entitlement issued by the Department of Social Care
7. A person in receipt of employed person's allowance under the 1992 Act	7. Documentary evidence of entitlement issued by the Department of Social Care

⁴ See SD 505/94

⁵ See SD 8/96

8. A person accepted for the award of a war disablement pension 8. Documentary evidence of entitlement

9. A person who is registered as a blind person in accordance with arrangements made under section 27 of the National Assistance (Isle of Man) Act 1951 9. Documentary evidence of entitlement. 

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the principal Regulations which specify the charges payable for the provision of dental services under Part 2 of the National Health Service Act 2001.

Regulation 3 introduces a definition of pensionable age into regulation 1 of the principal Regulations and substitutes a new Schedule 5 to those Regulations. The new Schedule specifies the categories of person who are exempt from charges under regulation 6. The effect of the changes is that persons who have reached age 16 (rather than age 18) or State pension age (rather than age 65) and persons receiving income-based jobseeker's allowance or employed person's allowance are exempt from dental charges, as is a dependant of a person receiving income support.

Regulation 4 revokes The National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Amendment) Regulations 2013.