
GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

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The Health Service (Pharmaceutical Benefit) (Amendment) Regulations, 2000

Made 20th December 2000
Laid before the States
Coming into operation 1st January 2001

THE GUERNSEY SOCIAL SECURITY AUTHORITY, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sections 11, 13 and 35 of the Health Service (Benefit) (Guernsey) Law, 1990, as amended ^(a), and all other powers enabling it in that behalf, hereby orders:-

Amendment

1. In the Health Service (Pharmaceutical Benefit) Regulations, 1990 ^(b),

(1) In Regulation 1 after paragraph (4) insert:

"(5) In these Regulations "outside of normal pharmacy opening hours" shall mean any time where the time of supply would otherwise attract an urgent fee as specified in the third schedule of the Health Service (Payment of Authorised Suppliers) Regulations, 1990, as amended ^(c)"

(2) in subparagraph 2(1)(b) after "required therein;" delete "and";

(3) after subparagraph 2(1)(c) insert -

"and (d) an approved medical practitioner, for the time being working at Primary Care Centre at the Princess Elizabeth Hospital shall be in the form set out in Part V of the First Schedule to these Regulations and shall contain the particulars required therein";

(4) after paragraph 2(4) insert -

"(5) A medical prescription as specified in Part V of the First Schedule to these Regulations may only be written:

- (a) by an approved medical practitioner,
- (b) outside of normal pharmacy opening hours,

^(a) Ordres en Conseil Vol. XXXII, p.192; amended by Ordinances XIV of 1993 and XXXIV and XXXV of 1995.

^(b) SI 1990 No. 36; SI 1991 No 13; SI 1994 No. 25; SI 1995 Nos. 4 and 17; SI 1996 No.6; SI 1999 No 39.

^(c) SI 1990 No. 38; SI 1991 Nos. 35 and 60; SI 1992 No. 9; SI 1993 No. 9; SI 1995 Nos. 19, 22, 33 and 42; SI 1997 Nos. 4 and 17; SI 1998 Nos. 4 and 33; SI 1999 No. 41

(d) for ordering the supply of items approved by the Authority, and
(e) for an amount not exceeding that approved by the Authority for each item, where that approved quantity shall not exceed an amount requisite for treatment of the patient for 30 days;
and may only be dispensed by an authorised supplier being a pharmacist for the time being employed by the Board of Health.";

(5) after Part IV of the First Schedule insert the provisions set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

Citation

2. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Service (Pharmaceutical Benefit) (Amendment) Regulations, 2000.

Commencement

3. These Regulations shall come into operation on the 1st day of January 2001.

Dated this 20th day of December 2000.



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President of the Guernsey Social Security Authority
for and on behalf of the Authority

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport).

These Regulations amend the Health Service (Pharmaceutical Benefit) Regulations, 1990, as amended, so that an approved medical practitioner, working at the Primary Care Centre at the Princess Elizabeth Hospital, can order those items approved by the Authority, in a quantity approved by the Authority, on a special prescription form, provided the items are supplied by an authorised supplier employed by the Board of Health outside normal pharmacy hours.