
ADVANCED SERVICES (PHARMACY AND APPLIANCE CONTRACTORS)(ENGLAND)

D I R E C T I O N S

THE NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE ACT 2006
The Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2019

The Secretary of State gives the following Directions in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 127, 128, 272(7) and (8) and 273(1) of the National Health Service Act 2006(a).

Citation, commencement, application and interpretation

- 1.—(1) These Directions may be cited as the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2019.
- (2) These Directions come into force on 1st April 2019.
- (3) These Directions apply in relation to England.
- (4) In these Directions, “the 2013 Directions” means the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) Directions 2013(b).

Amendment of direction 5 of the 2013 Directions

- 2.—(1) Direction 5 of the 2013 Directions (MUR services: ongoing conditions of arrangements) is amended as follows.
- (2) In paragraph (1)—
- (a) for sub-paragraph (d) substitute—
- “(d) no more than 200 MUR services consultations are carried out in the period beginning on 1st April 2019 and ending at the end of 30th September 2019, whether at an acceptable location or by telephone;”;
- (b) for sub-paragraph (g)(c) substitute—
- “(g) at least 70% of the MUR services consultations carried out in the period beginning on 1st April 2019 and ending at the end of 30th September 2019 are to be carried out with patients who are in one or more of the national target groups set out in Schedule 1;”.

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- (a) 2006 c. 41. Section 127 has been amended by the Health and Social Care Act 2012 (c. 7) (“the 2012 Act”), Schedule 4, paragraph 64; and section 128 has been amended by the 2012 Act, Schedule 4, paragraph 65.
- (b) Signed on 12th March 2013, and amended by: the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2013, signed on 16th September 2013; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Directions 2013, signed on 6th December 2013, which also revoked the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2013; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2014, signed on 12th March 2014; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No. 2) Directions 2014, signed on 5th December 2014; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2015, signed on 15th September 2015; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2016, signed on 30th August 2016; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No.2) Directions 2016, signed on 30th November 2016; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2017, signed on 29th August 2017; the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2018, signed on 8th March 2018; and the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No.2) Directions 2018, signed on 31st August 2018.
- (c) Sub-paragraph (g) has been amended by the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No.2) Directions 2014, signed on 5th December 2014.
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(3) Omit paragraph (2).

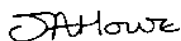
Amendment of direction 7C of the 2013 Directions

3. In direction 7C of the 2013 Directions(a) (Urgent Medicine Supply Advanced Service pilot scheme: general matters and preconditions to making arrangements), in paragraph (1), for “31st March 2019” substitute “30th September 2019”.

Amendment of direction 7D of the 2013 Directions

4. In direction 7D of the 2013 Directions(b) (Urgent Medicine Supply Advanced Service pilot scheme: ongoing conditions of arrangements), in paragraph (12), for “31st March 2019” substitute “30th September 2019”.

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



13th March 2019

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(a) Direction 7C was inserted by the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No.2) Directions 2016, signed on 30th November 2016, and amended by the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2018, signed on 8th March 2018, and the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced) (England) (Amendment) (No.2) Directions 2018, signed on 31st August 2018.

(b) Direction 7D was inserted by the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No.2) Directions 2016, signed on 30th November 2016, and amended by the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) Directions 2018, signed on 8th March 2018, and the Pharmaceutical Services (Advanced and Enhanced Services) (England) (Amendment) (No.2) Directions 2018, signed on 31st August 2018.