

MENTAL HEALTH (WALES) MEASURE 2010

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Section 26 – Assessments: further provision

45. In all cases it is important that the person is aware of the findings of their assessment, and mental health service providers are required to provide a written report of their assessment which sets out what, if any, services that may improve or prevent a deterioration in the person's mental health have been identified.
46. Both the assessment and the written outcome of assessment should be undertaken in a timely manner, as soon as reasonably practicable after a request is made. The Welsh Ministers can specify the time period that reports must be made in.