

*These notes refer to the Health and Social Care Act 2012
(c.7) which received Royal Assent on 27 March 2012*

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE ACT 2012

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Part 9 – Health and adult social care services: information

Chapter 1 – Information standards

Section 251 – Information standards: supplementary

1405. *Subsection (1)* places a duty on the Secretary of State or the Board to consult those they determine should be consulted before publishing an information standard.
1406. *Subsection (2)* enables the Secretary of State or the Board to adopt existing information standards that are appropriate but have been prepared or published by someone else.