



# Health and Social Care Act 2012

## 2012 CHAPTER 7

### PART 7

#### REGULATION OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE WORKERS

##### *The Health and Care Professions Council*

#### **219 Arrangements with other health or social care regulators**

- (1) After article 44 of the Health and Social Work Professions Order 2001 ([S.I. 2002/254](#)) insert—

**“44A Arrangements with other persons who maintain registers of health or social care workers**

- (1) The Council may make arrangements with any relevant person for the Council to provide administrative, technical or advisory services to that person.
- (2) A relevant person is a person or group of persons (whether inside or outside the United Kingdom) who maintain—
- (a) a register of members of a profession engaged in the provision of health care,
  - (b) a register of persons engaged in, but who are not members of a profession engaged in, the provision of health care,
  - (c) a register of members of the social work profession, or
  - (d) a register of persons engaged in social care work.”
- (2) In Schedule 3 to that Order (interpretation), at the appropriate place, insert—
- ““health care” includes—
- (a) all forms of health care for individuals, whether relating to physical or mental health, and
  - (b) procedures that are similar to forms of medical or surgical care but are not provided in connection with a medical condition;”.