



Health and Social Care Act 2012

2012 CHAPTER 7

PART 1

THE HEALTH SERVICE IN ENGLAND

Miscellaneous

54 Certification of death

- (1) Chapter 2 of Part 1 of the Coroners and Justice Act 2009 (notification, certification and registration of deaths) is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 19 (medical examiners)—
 - (a) in subsection (1) for “Primary Care Trusts” substitute “Local authorities”,
 - (b) in subsection (2) for “Trust” (in each place where it occurs) substitute “local authority”, and
 - (c) in subsection (5) for “a Primary Care Trust” substitute “a local authority”.
- (3) In section 20 (medical certificate of cause of death), in subsection (5) for “Primary Care Trust” substitute “local authority”.