STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The National Health Service (Quality Accounts) Regulations 2010

[^{F1}Document assurance by [^{F2}NHS England] or the relevant [^{F3}integrated care board]

8.—(1) Where paragraph (3) applies, the provider must provide a copy of the draft relevant document to $[^{F2}NHS$ England] within 30 days beginning with 1st April following the end of the reporting period.

(2) Where paragraph (3) does not apply, the provider must provide a copy of the draft relevant document to the relevant [F3 integrated care board] within 30 days beginning with 1st April following the end of the reporting period.

 $[^{F4}(2A)$ But if the draft relevant document is for the reporting period ending with 31st March 2020 the provider may provide a copy of it as required by paragraph (1) or (2) later than 30 days beginning with 1st April following the end of the reporting period.]

(3) This paragraph applies where 50% or more of the relevant health services that the provider directly provides or sub-contracts during the reporting period are provided under contracts, agreements or arrangements with [F2 NHS England] (calculated by reference to the full cost to the provider of providing, either directly or through sub-contractors, the services).

(4) For the purpose of this regulation, "relevant [^{F3}integrated care board]" means—

- (a) where all the relevant health services that the provider directly provides or sub-contracts under contracts, agreements or arrangements with [^{F3}an integrated care board] are provided under contracts, agreements or arrangements with one [^{F3}integrated care board], that [^{F3}integrated care board];
- (b) where all the relevant health services that the provider directly provides or sub-contracts under contracts, agreements or arrangements with [^{F3}an integrated care board] are provided under contracts, agreements or arrangements with more than one [^{F3}integrated care board], the [^{F3}integrated care board] which has responsibility for the largest number of persons to whom the provider has provided relevant health services during the reporting period.

(5) For the purposes of paragraph (4)(b), [^{F3}an integrated care board] has responsibility for a person receiving health services provided by a provider if, in relation to those services, it is responsible for that person under or by virtue of section 3 (duties of [^{F3}integrated care boards] as to commissioning certain health services) or 3A (power of [^{F3}integrated care boards] to commission certain health services) of the 2006 Act.]

Textual Amendments

F2 Words in Regulations substituted (6.11.2023) by The Health and Care Act 2022 (Further Consequential Amendments) (No. 2) Regulations 2023 (S.I. 2023/1071), reg. 1(1), Sch. para. 1

F1 Regs. 8, 9 substituted (1.4.2013) by The National Health Service (Quality Accounts) Amendment Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/3081), regs. 1(2), 8

- **F3** Words in Regulations substituted (1.7.2022) by The Health and Care Act 2022 (Consequential and Related Amendments and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2022 (S.I. 2022/634), reg. 1(2), Sch. para. 1(1)(3) (with Sch. para. 1(2))
- F4 Reg. 8(2A) inserted (E.) (29.4.2020) by The National Health Service (Quality Accounts) (Amendment) (Coronavirus) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/466), regs. 1, 2(2)

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The National Health Service (Quality Accounts) Regulations 2010, Section 8.