



Public Health (Wales) Act 2017

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PART 2 **E+W**

OBESITY

- 2** **National strategy on preventing and reducing obesity: publication and review** **E+W**
- (1) The Welsh Ministers must publish a national strategy on preventing obesity, and reducing obesity levels, in Wales.
 - (2) The strategy must—
 - (a) specify objectives the Welsh Ministers consider will, if achieved, contribute towards preventing obesity;
 - (b) specify objectives the Welsh Ministers consider will, if achieved, contribute towards reducing obesity levels;
 - (c) identify how the Welsh Ministers propose to achieve the specified objectives.
 - (3) The Welsh Ministers must review the strategy—
 - (a) at the end of the period of three years beginning with the date of first publication of the strategy, and
 - (b) at the end of each subsequent period of three years.
 - (4) The Welsh Ministers may revise the strategy at any time.
 - (5) If the Welsh Ministers revise the strategy, they must publish the revised strategy as soon as it is reasonably practicable to do so.
 - (6) The Welsh Ministers must consult such persons as they consider appropriate—
 - (a) before they first publish the strategy, and
 - (b) subsequently, before each review under subsection (3).

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Commencement Information

I1 S. 2 in force at 4.10.2017 by S.I. 2017/949, art. 2(a)

3 Implementation of national strategy **E+W**

- (1) The Welsh Ministers must take all reasonable steps to achieve the objectives specified in the most recently published strategy under section 2.
- (2) Following each review of the strategy under section 2(3) the Welsh Ministers must publish a progress report.
- (3) A progress report is a report on progress made in achieving objectives specified in the strategy.

Commencement Information

I2 S. 3 in force at 4.10.2017 by S.I. 2017/949, art. 2(b)

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- specified provision(s) amendment to earlier commencing S.I. 2017/949, art. 3 by [S.I. 2017/967 art. 2](#)