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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 2003 No. 431

## The Health and Personal Social Services (Quality, Improvement and Regulation) (Northern Ireland) Order 2003

### PART I

#### INTRODUCTORY

##### **Title and commencement**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Health and Personal Social Services (Quality, Improvement and Regulation) (Northern Ireland) Order 2003.

(2) This Part shall come into operation on the expiration of one month from the day on which this Order is made.

(3) The remaining provisions of this Order shall come into operation on such day or days as the Department may by order appoint.

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##### **Subordinate Legislation Made**

- P1** [Art. 1\(3\)](#) partly exercised: 15.4.2003 appointed by [S.R. 2003/239](#), [art. 2](#);  
23.7.2003 by [S.R. 2003/348](#), [art. 2](#);  
17.2.2005 by [S.R. 2005/44](#), [art. 2](#); [Schs. 1, 2](#);  
29.3.2007 by [S.R. 2007/220](#), [art. 3](#), [Sch. 2](#) (subject to [art. 3](#));  
3.9.2010 by [S.R. 2010/288](#), [art. 2](#), [Sch. 2](#) (subject to the remaining provisions of the Order);  
29.10.2010 by [S.R. 2010/288](#), [art. 3](#), [Sch. 1](#) (with [arts. 4, 5](#))

**Changes to legislation:**

The Health and Personal Social Services (Quality, Improvement and Regulation) (Northern Ireland) Order 2003, Section 1 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 25 March 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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**Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Order associated Parts and Chapters:**

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Order (including any effects on those provisions):

- art. 15(2)(e)(f) substituted for art. 15(2)(e) by [2022 c. 18 \(N.I.\) Sch. 3 para. 62](#)