

## SCHEDULE 1

### ADDITIONAL SERVICES

#### **Childhood vaccinations and immunisations**

5.—(1) A contractor whose contract includes the provision of childhood vaccinations and immunisations shall comply with the requirements in sub-paragraphs (2) and (3).

(2) The contractor shall –

- (a) offer to provide to children all vaccinations and immunisations of a type and in the circumstances for which a fee was provided for under the 2003-04 Statement of Fees and Allowances made under regulation 37 of the General Medical Services Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1997;
- (b) provide appropriate information and advice to patients and, where appropriate, their parents, about such vaccinations and immunisations;
- (c) record in the patient's record kept in accordance with paragraph 68 of Schedule 5 any refusal of the offer referred to in head (a);
- (d) where the offer is accepted, administer the vaccinations and immunisations and include in the patient's record kept in accordance with paragraph 68 of Schedule 5 –
  - (i) the name of the person who gave consent to the vaccination or immunisation and his relationship to the patient;
  - (ii) the batch numbers, expiry date and title of the vaccine;
  - (iii) the date of administration;
  - (iv) in a case where two vaccines are administered in close succession, the route of administration and the injection site of each vaccine;
  - (v) any contraindications to the vaccination or immunisation; and
  - (vi) any adverse reactions to the vaccination or immunisation.

(3) The contractor shall ensure that all staff involved in administering vaccines are trained in the recognition and initial treatment of anaphylaxis.