



Community Care (Delayed Discharges etc.) Act 2003

2003 CHAPTER 5

PART 1

DELAYED DISCHARGE PAYMENTS

Supplemental

14 Power to apply Part 1 to NHS patients in care homes

- (1) The appropriate Minister may by order provide for this Part to apply in relation to qualifying care home patients as it applies to qualifying hospital patients.
- (2) An order under this section may—
 - (a) specify such modifications of this Part as appear to the appropriate Minister to be necessary for it to apply satisfactorily in relation to qualifying care home patients; and
 - (b) make supplementary, consequential, incidental, transitional or saving provision.
- (3) In this section—

“care home” has the same meaning as in the Care Standards Act 2000 (c. 14); and

“qualifying care home patient” means a person being accommodated at a care home, in pursuance of arrangements made by an NHS body, who is receiving (or who has received or is expecting to receive) care of a description prescribed in regulations.
- (4) The care prescribed under subsection (3) must be care which is prescribed under section 1 for the purposes of the definition of “qualifying hospital patient” (or which as nearly as possible corresponds to care that is so prescribed).