



# Care Act 2014

## 2014 CHAPTER 23

### PART 2

#### CARE STANDARDS

##### *Quality of services*

#### **81 Duty of candour**

In section 20 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (regulation of regulated activities), after subsection (5) insert—

“(5A) Regulations under this section must make provision as to the provision of information in a case where an incident of a specified description affecting a person's safety occurs in the course of the person being provided with a service.”

#### **Commencement Information**

- I1** S. 81 in force at 7.7.2014 for specified purposes by [S.I. 2014/1714](#), [art. 2\(a\)](#)
- I2** S. 81 in force at 15.7.2014 in so far as not already in force by [S.I. 2014/1714](#), [art. 3\(1\)](#)

**Changes to legislation:**

Care Act 2014, Section 81 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 19 April 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 Act associated Parts and Chapters:**

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

- s. 15(2)-(3B) substituted for s. 15(2)(3) by [2022 c. 31 s. 166\(2\)](#)
- s. 26(1)-(2A) substituted for s. 26(1)(2) by [2022 c. 31 s. 166\(4\)](#)