
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**The National Health Service Pension Scheme and Additional
Voluntary Contributions (Amendment) Regulations 2017**

PART 2

Amendment of the National Health Service Pension Scheme Regulations 1995

Amendment of regulation A2

- 3.**—(1) Regulation A2 (interpretation) **(1)** is amended as follows.
- (2) In the definition of “NHS standard contract” **(2)**—
- (a) for “standard commissioning contract”, substitute “terms and conditions”;
 - (b) before “2012”, insert “Regulations”.
- (3) In the definition of “NHS standard sub-contract” **(3)**, for “2015/16” substitute “2016/17” **(4)**.
- (4) In paragraph (c) of the definition of “practice staff” **(5)**, after “NHS standard sub-contract”, insert “where the party to the NHS standard contract in question is an employing authority”.
- (5) In the definition of “qualifying contract” **(6)**, after sub-paragraph (c), insert—
- “; or
 - (d) an NHS standard sub-contract;”.
- (6) At the appropriate place in the alphabetical order, insert—
- ““scheme administration charge” means the charge provided for in regulation D4.”.

(1) This regulation was last amended by [S.I. 2016/245](#).

(2) This definition was inserted by regulation 3(c) of [S.I. 2014/570](#).

(3) This definition was inserted regulation by 3(d) of [S.I. 2014/245](#).

(4) Electronic copies of the guidance referred to in that definition can be obtained from www.gov.uk/dh. Hard copies may be obtained from the Department of Health, Quarry House, Quarry Hill, Leeds LS2 7UE.

(5) This definition was inserted by regulation 3(1) and (3) [S.I. 1997/1888](#).

(6) This definition was inserted by regulation 3(c) of [S.I. 2014/570](#).