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WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 544 (W.57)**

**NATIONAL HEALTH SERVICE, WALES**

**The National Health Service (Dental Charges)  
(Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2013**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>6 March 2013</i>
<i>Laid before the National Assembly for Wales</i>	- -	<i>11 March 2013</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>1 April 2013</i>

The Welsh Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 125 and 203(9) and (10) of the National Health Service (Wales) Act 2006<sup>(1)</sup>.

**Title and commencement**

1. The title of these Regulations is the National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2013 and they come into force on 1 April 2013.

**Amendment to the National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Wales) Regulations 2006**

2. In regulation 4 of the National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Wales) Regulations 2006<sup>(2)</sup> (calculation of charges)—

- (a) in paragraph (1), for “£12.40” substitute “£12.70”;
- (b) in paragraph (2), for “£40.20” substitute “£41.10”; and
- (c) in paragraph (5), for “£12.40” substitute “£12.70”.

**Revocation**

3. The National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Wales) (Amendment) Regulations 2012<sup>(3)</sup> are revoked.

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(1) 2006 c. 42.  
(2) S.I. 2006/491 (W.60), as amended.  
(3) S.I. 2012/1893 (W.229).

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**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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the Welsh Ministers

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Regulations)*

These Regulations amend the National Health Service (Dental Charges) (Wales) Regulations 2006 (S.I. 2006/491 (W.60)) (“the 2006 Regulations”).

Regulation 2 amends regulation 4 of the 2006 Regulations (calculation of charges) by increasing the applicable charge payable for a Band 1 and a Band 2 course of treatment. The charge payable for a Band 3 course of treatment remains unchanged at £177.00.

The Welsh Ministers' Code of Practice on the carrying out of Regulatory Impact Assessments was considered in relation to these Regulations. As a result, a regulatory impact assessment has been prepared as to the likely costs and benefits of complying with these Regulations. A copy can be obtained from the Dental Division of the Directorate for Public Health, Welsh Government, Cathays Park, Cardiff, CF10 3NQ.