



# National Health Service Act 2006

## 2006 CHAPTER 41

### PART 2

#### HEALTH SERVICE BODIES

#### [<sup>F1</sup>CHAPTER A1

#### [<sup>F1</sup>NHS ENGLAND]

#### [<sup>F2</sup>Joint appointments

#### [<sup>F1</sup>[ <sup>F2</sup>13UA] **Guidance about joint appointments**

- (1) NHS England may publish guidance for a relevant NHS body about the making of a joint appointment to which this section applies.
- (2) A joint appointment to which this section applies is an appointment of a person to a position in—
  - (a) one or more relevant NHS commissioner and one or more relevant NHS provider,
  - (b) one or more relevant NHS body and one or more local authority,<sup>F3</sup>...
  - (c) one or more relevant NHS body and one or more combined authority[<sup>F4</sup>, or
  - (d) one or more relevant NHS body and one or more combined county authority.]
- (3) A relevant NHS body must have regard to guidance published under this section.
- (4) NHS England must consult such persons as NHS England considers appropriate—
  - (a) before it first publishes guidance under this section, and
  - (b) before it publishes any revised guidance containing changes that are, in the opinion of NHS England, significant.
- (5) In this section—

“local authority” has the same meaning as in section 2B;

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- “relevant NHS body” means—
- (a) a relevant NHS commissioner;
  - (b) a relevant NHS provider;
- “relevant NHS commissioner” means—
- (a) NHS England;
  - (b) an integrated care board;
- “relevant NHS provider” means—
- (a) an NHS trust established under section 25;
  - (b) an NHS foundation trust.]]

### Textual Amendments

- F1** Pt. 2 Ch. A1 inserted (27.3.2012 for specified purposes, 1.10.2012 for specified purposes, 1.2.2013 for specified purposes, 1.4.2013 in so far as not already in force) by [Health and Social Care Act 2012 \(c. 7\)](#), **ss. 23(1)**, 306(1)(d)(4); S.I. 2012/1831, art. 2(2) (with art. 4); S.I. 2012/2657, art. 2(4); S.I. 2013/160, art. 2(2) (with arts. 7-9)
- F2** S. 13UA and cross-heading inserted (1.7.2022) by [Health and Care Act 2022 \(c. 31\)](#), **ss. 74**, 186(6); S.I. 2022/734, reg. 2(a), [Sch.](#) (with regs. 13, 29, 30)
- F3** Word in s. 13UA(2)(b) omitted (26.12.2023) by virtue of [Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023 \(c. 55\)](#), s. 255(2)(c), **Sch. 4 para. 165(a)** (with s. 247)
- F4** S. 13UA(2)(d) and word inserted (26.12.2023) by [Levelling-up and Regeneration Act 2023 \(c. 55\)](#), s. 255(2)(c), **Sch. 4 para. 165(b)** (with s. 247)

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