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PUBLIC HEALTH, WALES

The Private Dentistry (Wales) Regulations 2017

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THE PRIVATE DENTISTRY (WALES) REGULATIONS 2017

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1. The aims and objectives of the private dental practice.
 2. The name, address, telephone, fax and electronic mail contact details...
 3. The relevant qualifications and experience of the registered provider and...
 4. In the case of an organisation, details of the responsible...
 5. The names, relevant qualifications and experience of all the dentists...
 6. The registered provider's organisational structure.
 7. The kinds of treatment, facilities and all other services provided...
 8. The arrangements made for seeking patients' views about the quality...
 9. The practice opening hours and any arrangements for patients who...
 10. The arrangements for dealing with complaints as set out in...
 11. The arrangements for respecting the privacy and dignity of patients....
 12. The date the statement of purpose was written and, where...
- SCHEDULE 2
- Information to be Included in the Patient Information Leaflet
1. A summary of the statement of purpose including—
 2. The relevant experience and qualifications of all the dentists and...
 3. The arrangements made for seeking patients' views about the quality...
 4. The arrangements for the appropriate development and training of employees....
 5. The address and telephone number for each of the premises...
 6. The arrangements for access to premises used for the purpose...
 7. The rights and responsibilities of a patient including keeping appointments....
 8. Details of persons who have access to patient information (including...
- SCHEDULE 3
- PART 1 — Information Required in Respect of Persons Seeking to Carry on, Manage or Work at a Private Dental Practice
1. Proof of identity including a recent photograph.
 2. Either— (a) where the certificate is required for a purpose...
 3. Two written references, including a reference from the person's most...
 4. Where a person has previously worked in a position which...
 5. Documentary evidence of any relevant qualifications.
 6. A full employment history, together with a satisfactory written explanation...
 7. Where the person is a dentist or dental care professional—...
- PART 2 — Good Character
8. Whether the person has been convicted in the United Kingdom...
 9. Whether the person has been erased, removed or struck-off a...
- SCHEDULE 4
- Application of Part 2 of the Act to persons carrying on or managing a private dental practice
1. Section 11 (requirement to register) applies as if—
 2. Section 12 (applications for registration) applies as if for “or...
 3. Section 13 (grant or refusal of registration) applies as if...
 4. Section 14 (cancellation of registration) applies as if for “or...

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5. Section 17 (notice of proposals) applies as if for “or...
 6. Section 19 (notice of decisions) applies as if for “or...
 7. Section 20A (urgent procedure for cancellation; Wales) applies as if...
 8. Section 20B (urgent procedure for suspension or variation etc.) applies...
 9. Section 21 (appeals to the Tribunal) applies as if for...
 10. Section 24 (failure to comply with conditions) applies as if...
 11. Section 24A (offences relating to suspension) applies as if for...
 12. Section 26 (false descriptions of establishments and agencies) applies as...
 13. Section 28 (failure to display certificate of registration) applies as...
 14. Section 30A(2) (notification of matters relating to persons carrying on...
 15. Section 31 (inspections by persons authorised by registration authority) applies...
 16. Section 32 (inspections: supplementary) applies as if—
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 3. Fee in respect of applications to vary a condition of registration
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