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HEALTH SERVICES

General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services

REGULATIONS, DATED 31ST JULY 1973, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE UNDER THE HEALTH SERVICES ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND) 1971.

The Ministry of Health and Social Services, on behalf of the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 15 of the Health Services Act (Northern Ireland) 1971(**a**) and of all other powers enabling it in that behalf and in conjunction with the Ministry of Finance, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Services (General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services) (Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1973 and shall come into operation on 1st August 1973.

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations "principal regulations" means the Health Services (General Medical and Pharmaceutical Services) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1956(**b**).

Amendment

3. For Part I of the Second Schedule to the principal regulations (which prescribes a list of appliances to be supplied to persons receiving general medical services) there shall be substituted the Schedule to these regulations.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Health and Social Services for Northern Ireland this 31st day of July 1973.

(L.S.) *F. A. Elliott,*
Assistant Secretary.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Finance for Northern Ireland this 31st day of July 1973.

(L.S.) *C. F. Darling,*
Assistant Secretary.

(a) 1971. c. 1. (N.I.).

(b) S.R & O. (N.I.) 1956, No. 150.

SCHEDULE

"SECOND SCHEDULE

PART I

List of Prescribed Appliances

Animal Wool	Hypodermic syringes—spirit proof cases
Applicators	Ice bags
Armslings	Inhalers
Atomisers	Insufflators
Bandages	Irrigators
Breast Relievers	Laryngectomy protectors
Breast Shields	Lints
Brushes	Metatarsal pads
Catheters, urethral	Nipple Shields
Cellulose tissue	Orthopaedic felt
Cellulose wadding	Oxygen equipment
Chiropody Appliances	Perfusion fittings
Chiropody Felt	Pessaries
Colostomy/Ileostomy apparatus: Repairs and replacements only	Plasters
	Protectives
Contraceptive Devices for Women	Rectal dilators
Corn and bunion plasters and rings	Rubber tubing
Cotton Wools	Splinting rigid
Douches, with rectal and vaginal fittings	Sponge rubbers
Dressings	Sputum flasks
Droppers	Stockinette
Elastic Hosiery	Suprapubic belts: repairs and replacements only
Eye baths	
Eye ointment rods	Syringes
Eye shades	Test tubes
Finger cots	Tow
Finger stalls	Trusses
Funnels	Urinals, portable
Gauzes	Urine Sugar Analysis Set
Gauze and cotton tissues	Vaccination Pads
Hypodermic needles	Vaporizers"

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(*This note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.*)

The Regulations amend the list of appliances which may be supplied or prescribed.