



New South Wales

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Regulation 2017

under the

Drug and Alcohol Treatment Act 2007

His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Act 2007*.

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Minister for Health

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to repeal and remake, without any substantial changes, the provisions of the *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Regulation 2012*, which would otherwise be repealed by section 10 (2) of the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*.

The Regulation provides that official visitors under the *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Act 2007* must visit each treatment centre under that Act at least once in each calendar month.

This Regulation is made under the *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Act 2007*, including sections 29 (7) and 55 (the general regulation-making power).

This Regulation comprises or relates to matters set out in Schedule 3 to the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*, namely matters of a machinery nature.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Regulation 2017*.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

Note. This Regulation repeals and replaces the *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Regulation 2012*, which would otherwise be repealed on 1 September 2017 by section 10 (2) of the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*.

3 Definition

(1) In this Regulation:

the Act means the *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Act 2007*.

Note. The Act and the *Interpretation Act 1987* contain definitions and other provisions that affect the interpretation and application of this Regulation.

(2) Notes included in this Regulation do not form part of this Regulation.

4 Regular inspections of treatment centres

For the purposes of section 29 (7) of the Act, the principal official visitor must ensure that an official visitor visits each treatment centre at least once each calendar month.

5 Repeal

The *Drug and Alcohol Treatment Regulation 2012* is repealed.