



Australian Government

Treatment Benefits (Special Access) (Modifications of the Repatriation Private Patient Principles) Instrument 2019

Instrument 2019 No.R19

The Repatriation Commission makes the following instrument under section 19 of the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) Act 2019*.

Dated this 13th of June 2019

The Seal of the
Repatriation Commission)
was affixed hereto in the) SEAL
presence of:)
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COMMISSIONER

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COMMISSIONER

I, Darren Chester, Minister for Veterans and Defence Personnel, approve this instrument under subsection 19(6) of the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) Act 2019*.

Dated this 25th day of June 2019

Darren Chester

DARREN CHESTER
Minister for Veterans and Defence Personnel

1 Name

This instrument is the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) (Modifications of the Repatriation Private Patient Principles) Instrument 2019*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 July 2019.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under section 19 of the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) Act 2019*.

4 Schedule—Modifications of the Repatriation Private Patient Principles

The Repatriation Private Patient Principles are modified as set out in the Schedule to this instrument for the purposes of the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) Act 2019*.

Schedule—Modifications of the Repatriation Private Patient Principles

Repatriation Private Patient Principles

1 Paragraphs 1.1 and 1.1A

Omit the paragraphs, substitute:

1.1 Name

This instrument is the Principles.

1.1A Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 July 2019.

2 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *Act*)

Substitute:

Act means the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) Act 2019*.

3 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *Commission*)

Substitute:

Commission means the Repatriation Commission continued in existence by section 179 of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*.

4 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *dependent of a Vietnam veteran*)

Omit the definition.

5 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *entitled person*)

Substitute:

entitled person means an eligible person within the meaning of the *Act*.

6 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *former Repatriation Hospital*)

Substitute:

former Repatriation Hospital means a hospital or other institution that was formerly operated by the Commission under paragraph 89(1)(a) of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*.

7 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *Principles*)

Substitute:

Principles means the Repatriation Private Patient Principles as modified by the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) Modifications of the Private Patient Principles Instrument 2019*.

8 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *private patient*)

Substitute:

private patient has the same meaning given by subsection 19(8) of the *Act*.

9 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *revoked Repatriation Private Patient Principles*)

Omit the definition.

10 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *Treatment Principles*)

Substitute:

Treatment Principles means the Treatment Principles as modified by the *Treatment Benefits (Special Access) (Modifications of the Treatment Principles) Instrument 2019*.

11 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *veteran partnering private hospital*)

Omit “the *Act*”, substitute “the *Veterans’ Entitlements Act 1986*”.

12 Paragraph 1.2 (definition of *Vietnam veteran*)

Omit the definition.

13 Paragraph 3.6

Omit the paragraph.