

Subsidiary Legislation made under s.36(b).

NURSES (PRACTICE) REGULATIONS 2017

(LN. 2017/051)

*Commencement*      **23.3.2017**

Amending enactments	Relevant current provisions	Commencement date
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*In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 36(b) of the Medical and Health Act 1997, and of all other enabling powers, the Minister with responsibility for health has made the following regulations:*

**Title.**

1. These regulations may be cited as the Nurses (Practice) Regulations 2017.

**Certificates of illness.**

2.(1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Principal Act, a nurse to which this regulation applies may issue a certificate of illness.

(2) Subregulation (1) applies to nurses-

- (a) registered in accordance with the Principal Act;
- (b) who have received training to the satisfaction of the Gibraltar Health Authority for such purpose; and
- (c) are authorised by the Gibraltar Health Authority to issue certificates of illness for this purpose.

(3) A certificate of illness issued in accordance with this regulation shall only be issued in strict accordance with Gibraltar Health Authority policy as approved by the Minister.

(4) A certificate of illness issued in accordance with this regulation, shall be deemed, for the purposes of the Employment (Sick Pay) Order, to be issued by a registered medical practitioner.