

## Guidance about registration for Lasers

### Overview of the regulatory framework:

Laser services that were previously regulated under the Nursing Homes (Jersey) Law 1994 have now been brought into the Regulation of Care framework, alongside other regulated activities.

The Regulation of Care (Jersey) Law 2014 states;

- (1) Treatment with a Class 3B or class 4 laser product is a regulated activity unless it is performed by or under the supervision of –
  - (a) A medical practitioner; or
  - (b) A person registered under the Dentistry (Jersey) Law 2015.
- (2) In this paragraph, “class 3B laser product” and “class 4 laser product” have the meanings assigned to them in Part 1 of British Standard 4803:83 (Radiation safety of laser products and systems) as effective on 31 March 1983.

The Jersey Care Commission registers laser use for treatments to include removal of hair, tattoo and pigmented lesions, skin rejuvenation and vision correction and which are carried out in a variety of settings to include health centres, dental practices and beauty salons.

### Registration process:

Prior to applying to register a laser service we advise you to read the **Jersey Care Commission Core Standards regarding Class 3B and Class 4 Lasers** available on our website. To apply for registration, the application form should be fully completed and submitted along with supporting documentation, and registration must be approved, in advance of laser treatments commencing. This information must be provided to allow the Commission to assess that the establishment and person/s are suitable for registration. The application form is available to download from the Jersey Care Commission website - [Jersey Care Commission | Jersey's Independent Care Regulator](#)

### **Assessment of applications:**

A Regulation Officer will make contact to arrange a visit to the premises once the application has been received in full. This is to assess whether the premises and equipment are safe, suitable and appropriate.

### **Once registered:**

Once registration has been granted, an annual inspection visit will be undertaken as a minimum by a Regulation Officer. This should take no longer than one hour. The inspection report will be published on our website.

Please advise the Commission if there are any changes to your contact details at the email address below.

**Registration fees:** The registration fees can be found on the Jersey Care Commission website.

Upon receipt of the application, you will receive an invoice, and payment must be made prior to registration being granted.

The registration will be renewed at the end of each year. You will receive a Laser Annual Return Form to be completed and an invoice for the annual fee (which is likely to increase each year as per Order) to renew the registration.

### **Useful resources:**

If you need a Laser Protection Advisor, you should refer to the accredited LPAs on the website [Lists of Certificate Holders – RPA 2000](#)

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