

## Consultation Questions

**Question 1(a): Is paragraph 9 clear and easy to understand? (please tick)**

Yes	No ✓
	Add a quick summary?

**Question 1(b): Do you agree with the waiving of charging circumstances as set out in paragraph 9? (please tick)**

Yes ✓	No

**Question 1(c): If you do not agree with the waiving of charging circumstances as set out in paragraph 9, please state your reasons below:**

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**Question 2(a): Are you content with the examples of support to carers and young carers, as set out in paragraph 10, where charges will be waived? (please tick) ✓**

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**Question 2(b): If you are not content, please state your reasons below:**

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**Question 2(c): Are there further examples that you would like to add? (please tick)**

Yes	No ✓

**Question 2(d): If there are further examples that you would like to include in the list, please state these below and also set out your reasons for suggesting their inclusion.**

Comments 11. Doesn't happen very often! We believe that if substantial care is provided, then carers should be able to get help with other tasks to enable them to provide the personal care (outwith tasks under eligibility criteria). One person commented that it would be unfair as people living alone don't get help with other tasks outwith eligibility criteria.
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**Question 3(a): Do you agree with the exceptional circumstances set out in paragraphs 12 (with examples) and 13 about support to carers to help pay for driving lessons and taxi fares? (please tick)**

Yes ✓	No

**Question 3(b): If you do not agree, please state your reasons below:**

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**Question 4(a): Do you agree with the waiving of charges as set out in paragraphs 14 and 15 with regard to short breaks? (please tick)**

Yes ✓	No

**Question 4(b): If you do not agree, please set out your reasons below:**

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**Question 5(a): Do you agree with the position set out in paragraph 16 that when the carer and cared-for person take a break together, then as well as waiving the cost of the break for the carer, the additional costs of the break to enable the break to take place will also be met by the local authority? (please tick)**

Yes ✓ Particularly when providing substantial care. Local authority has a ceiling which rarely covers cost of break!	No

**Question 5(b): If you do not agree, please state your reasons below:**

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**Question 6(a): Do you agree with the position set out in paragraphs 17 and 18 that local authorities will waive the cost of replacement care when they provide or commission replacement care in circumstances when others cannot provide replacement care free of charge? (please tick)**

Yes ✓	No

**Question 6(b): If you do not agree with the position, please set out your reasons below:**

Comments

**Question 7: Do you have any additional comments? If so, please use the space below to provide these further comments. Local authorities may wish to comment on any financial consequences arising from the Regulations. If so, please set out estimates of anticipated support to be provided to carers and cost estimates.**

Comments

**Question 8: Do you have any comments on the draft Regulations as set out in this Annex A? If so, please use the space below to set out these comments:**

Comments

Thank you for completing this consultation. Please return your completed 'Respondent Information Form' and this 'Consultation Response Form' to [alun.ellis@scotland.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:alun.ellis@scotland.gsi.gov.uk) by **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2013**.