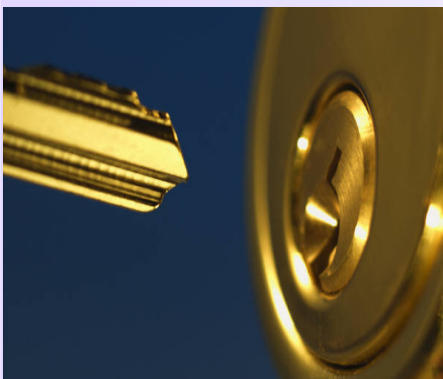




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Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards

Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards legally came into force on the 1st April 2009



This programme provides a thorough introduction to DEPRIVATION OF LIBERTY SAFEGUARDS (DOLS). DOLS amends the Mental Capacity Act to resolve the 'Bournewood Gap'. It provides a feasible alternative, under legislation, to a situation where a person lacking capacity cannot be secured under the Mental Health Act. It avoids a possible legal challenge for care homes and hospitals where individuals lacking capacity are being kept under certain conditions without the Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards.

It is important that staff, at all levels, of hospitals and care homes understand the legislation and how it will affect them and their working practices, as well as the people they provide services for.

If you cannot answer any or all of these questions then HUBB's DOLS Training would be of great value to you and your organisation:

- ◆ What does 'Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards' (DoLS) mean?
- ◆ What are my responsibilities as a practitioner?
- ◆ Who does it apply to?
- ◆ How will it impact on my practice?
- ◆ How will it affect people under my care?
- ◆ What are my responsibilities as a registered care home manager?
- ◆ What advocacy procedures are needed?

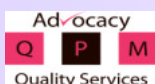
Who would benefit from this course?

- ◆ Staff working in hospitals or residential care homes in situations involving people who lack capacity
- ◆ People who already have an understanding of the Mental Capacity Act and its effect on their organisation

An Overview of the Course

- ◆ What are the 'Deprivation of Liberty Safeguards'?
- ◆ Managing Authorities and Supervisory Bodies
- ◆ Authorisation—Standard and Urgent
- ◆ Assessments
- ◆ Advocacy and Representation—Rights and the role

Each course participant receives a copy of HUBB's well received 'DoLS Workbook'.



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