



7th May 2010, 10am - 3pm  
Deaf Cultural Centre, Birmingham

THE LAWFUL PRACTITIONER

# NATIONAL ADULT SAFEGUARDING SEMINAR

## PROGRAMME

**The Vigilant Practitioner:** lawful practice, dilemmas, contradictions, personalisation, pitfalls and cautions

**The Pragmatic Practitioner:** assessing capacity in Safeguarding Investigations, getting the right outcomes and staying lawful

**The Informed Practitioner:** proposed Changes in Safeguarding Law, the impact on practice and workforce development

## We aim to:

- Debate up to date ideas to assist practitioners and managers to effectively develop future safeguarding practice & policy
- Assess the present climate, moves and changes regarding effective Adult Safeguarding
- Assess and review the complexity of the present legislative backdrop and understand how to apply this to practice and be aware of legal contradictions.
- Identify how to stay lawful and gain effective outcomes when assessing mental capacity in safeguarding investigations

## Facilitators

**Martin Grant**, Safeguarding Lead Haringey NHS

**Tim Spencer Lane**, Law Commission, Public Law Team

**Julie Sanderson**, Safeguarding Development Lead, Nottingham City Council

**Norman Sterling- Baxter**, Workforce Development Lead, Safeguarding, Leeds City Council

Chair - **Deborah Stuart-Angus**, Safeguarding Consultant & CEO AssessForCare

## Seminar Style

A highly interactive seminar, with round table facilitated discussion. A summary of the outcomes of the debate, discussion and consultation will be presented on the day, and will also be e-mailed to all delegates after the event.

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# SEMINAR PROGRAMME

**9.00-10.00 Registration & Refreshments**

**10.00 Chair's Welcome and Keynote Speech Changes in Safeguarding the Law, Hindrance or Help?**

Deborah Stuart-Angus, CEO AssessForCare & National Training Awards Ambassador

**10.30 The present legislative framework for Adult Safeguarding, legal contradictions and dilemmas in practice**

Martin Grant, Safeguarding Lead, Haringey NHS Trust

**10.55 Table Discussion, Key Learning & Feedback**

**11.20 Break & Refreshments**

**11.40 Assess the present climate, moves and changes regarding Adult Safeguarding and Public Sector Law**

Tim Spencer Lane, Head of The Public Law Team, The Law Commission

**12.10 Table Discussion, Key Learning and Feedback**

**12.30 Lunch**

**1.30 Assisting Practitioners & managers to effectively develop modern Safeguarding Practice & Policy - pitfalls and process**

Norman Sterling- Baxter, Workforce Development Lead, Safeguarding, Leeds City Council

**2.00 Staying lawful & gaining effective outcomes when assessing mental capacity in safeguarding investigations**

Martin Grant Safeguarding Lead Haringey NHS Trust

**2.30 Table Discussion, Key Learning & Feedback**

**2.50 Chair's Seminar Summary**

**3.00 Seminar Close**

**3.30-5.30 Drinks Reception & E-Learning Launch**



# THE LAUNCH: E-LEARNING FOR PUBLIC SERVICES

**7th May 2010, 3.30pm - 5.00pm**  
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The unveiling of our cutting edge e-learning; AssessForCare invites you to sample and evaluate a pioneering partnership of technology and content. Come and join us after the National Adult Safeguarding Seminar for presentations and lively discussions; chat with creators, content specialists and practitioners over a glass of wine.

**This is an entirely complimentary event - Booking is Essential**

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