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A Guide For Childcare Lawyers



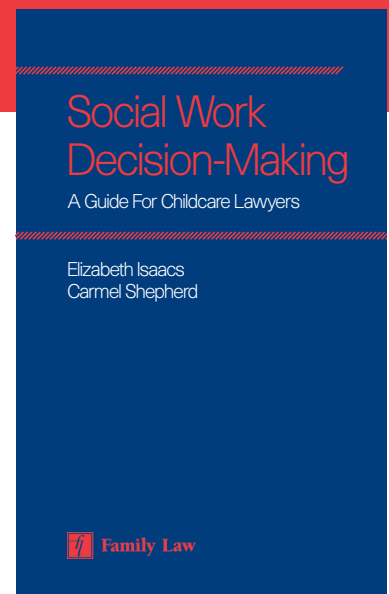
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Social workers working with children and families are required to make complex and difficult decisions on a daily basis which often result in court proceedings.

Social Work Decision-Making: A Guide For Childcare Lawyers is a comprehensive guide for childcare lawyers and other professionals seeking to understand the policies and procedures involved in such social work practice.

This book explores what social workers are required to do in order to 'get it right', and, perhaps more importantly, how to identify when social workers may have 'got it wrong'. By exploring the way in which social workers practise, this book equips professionals with the knowledge and skill to deconstruct and analyse the decision-making processes – namely the main elements of assessment, intervention and case planning – within the framework of the regulatory requirements and the context of government guidance governing best practice.

Social Work Decision-Making: A Guide For Childcare Lawyers takes a practical approach, with an emphasis on what constitutes good social work. Key topics which are covered include working with children and families, inter-agency co-operation, disclosure issues, social work assessments, child protection, local authority panels and the new requirements for local authorities within the Public Law Outline.

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