

Sent on behalf of NIHCG

Please see below as a reminder for all interested care providers to register.

Provision of Social Care in Prisons in Norfolk

From 1.4. 2015 Local Authorities have a duty to meet eligible social care needs and plan for continuity of care for people in prison and approved premises. A social care pathway has been agreed by the Prison Health and Social Care Partnership Board. The purpose of the service is to meet the eligible social care needs of people in Norfolk's prisons and approved premises. Primarily this will involve the provision of personal care services, with particular demand at HMP Norwich.

The range quoted below represents the expected values for amount for 1 year and for 5 years.

Estimated value excluding VAT:

Range: between 117 000 and 585 000 GBP

If you are interested, please register at the following site.

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc/asp/Home>

We are holding an event to engage with the market on 22nd February at 2pm. Please attend from 1:45 for registration. It will be held at Norfolk County Council, County Hall, Martineau Lane, Norwich, NR1 2DH in the Colman Room. If you wish to attend, please register as above, express an interest in the tender Social Care and Support Services in HMP Bure, HMP Norwich and HMP Wayland and use the correspondence facility to send the names of those attending from your company. I will then ensure your names is on the list of attendees.

Norfolk Safeguarding Adults Board

To help keep you up to date see the **New News** items on the Norfolk Safeguarding Adults Board's (NSAB) website including:

- *Don't miss out on a local safeguarding conference - 24 March 2017*
- *NorseCare staff to get Safeguarding App*
- *# Save the Date - Norfolk's financial abuse conference for 2017 – Thursday 14 September 2017 #*

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Case review: Deprivation of Liberty

A Deprivation of Liberty (DoL) must be legally authorised, even if the person in question is living in their own home and using privately-paid carers.

The Court of Appeal handed down judgment in December in the case of *Secretary of State for Justice v Staffordshire County Council & SRK*. The appeal was brought by the MOJ after new duties were placed on local authorities by the High Court. They challenged the conclusion that councils should apply to the court to authorise a deprivation of liberty, even when they were not themselves providing or funding the care in question.

The DoL system cannot be used when the individual is not cared for or treated in a care home or hospital. If someone is deprived of their liberty in another setting, only the courts can authorise the regime of care or treatment. In this case, SRK lived at home with carers paid for from the damages received following a serious acquired brain injury. Who is responsible, then, for bringing such cases before the court?

[Click here](#) to read the full article and the implications on future court applications.