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Death Procedures Other resources

Summary: The Death Procedures Other resources contain additional information and links relating to the death of a person with disability in care.



Other resources

Death Procedures

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1 Legislation

Boarding House Act 2012, Boarding House Regulation 2013

Community Services (Complaints, Reviews and Monitoring) Act 1993

Coroners Act 2009

Crimes Act 1900 S44

Disability Inclusion Act 2014

Part 3C Ombudsman Act 1974

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

2 Policy Links

FACS Incident Reporting and Management Policy for people accessing Ageing and Disability Direct Services November 2014

FACS Incident Reporting and Management Guidelines for people accessing Ageing and Disability Direct Services November 2014

Code of Ethical Conduct, September 2013

End of Life Care Planning Guidelines 2015

FACS Aboriginal Strategy 2013-2015 FACS Aboriginal Strategy 2013-2015

FACS Aboriginal Cultural Inclusion Framework 2015-2018

FACS Community Complaints Policy for Ageing and Disability Direct Services, September 2014

FACS Community Complaints Guidelines for Ageing and Disability Direct Service, September 2014

FACS Cultural Diversity Framework 2014 – 2017

FACS Statement of Commitment

Risk and Safety Policy 2015

Service Charter of Standards for Aboriginal Clients

3 NSW Ombudsman

Reviewable Disability Deaths: Frequently Ask Questions

http://www.ombo.nsw.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0006/3885/IS_CSD_Reviewable_Disability_Deaths_FAQ.pdf

Guidelines for Services – Reportable incidents in disability supported group accommodation

https://www.ombo.nsw.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0014/20534/Guide-for-services-Reportable-incidents-in-disability-supported-group-accommodation.pdf

4 NSW State Coroner

State Coroner contact details

http://www.coroners.justice.nsw.gov.au/coroners/contact_us.html

NSW State Coroners Court - A guide to services, NSW Attorney General & Justice

The brochure aims to help you by answering common question about the coronial process.

http://www.coroners.lawlink.nsw.gov.au/agdbasev7wr/assets/coroners/m4016011/coroners%20ct%20brochure_110512.pdf

Coroners Counselling Services

Qualified counsellors are available to assist relatives and friends of the deceased person. They provide information, support and counselling Telephone Glebe (02) 8584 7777 Newcastle (02) 4922 3700

5 Resources for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people

Sad news and Sorry Business

<http://www.healthinfonet.ecu.edu.au/key-resources/bibliography/?lid=21898>

Aboriginal Indigenous Health InfoNet

http://www.healthinfonet.ecu.edu.au/key-resources/bibliography?page=3&q=&q_exact=&q_author=&q_keyword=&sorter=year-

Aboriginal Health and Medical Research Council of NSW

<http://www.healthinfonet.ecu.edu.au/key-resources/organisations?oid=482>

The **NSW Aboriginal Lands Council** – provide assistance, both financial and information regarding funeral services

<http://www.alc.org.au/nswalc-in-the-community/funeral-fund.aspx>

Aboriginal Indigenous Health InfoNet

<http://www.healthinfonet.ecu.edu.au/health-facts/deaths>

Advance Care Plans and the law – do ambulance paramedics have to follow Advance Care Directives

<http://healthlaw.planningaheadtools.com.au/advance-care-plans-and-the-law/>

6 Bereavement resources

Death and Bereavement services – NSW Government site

<http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/death-and-bereavement>

Good Grief – Growing through change – bereavement services directory

<https://www.goodgrief.org.au/links>

The Bereavement Care Centre

http://www.bereavementcare.com.au/services_adults.htm

Employment Assistance Program Scheme – EAPS

http://dadhc-intranet.nsw.gov.au/working/my_employment/staff_support_programs/employee_assistance_program

<http://www.convergeinternational.com.au/>

Managing Grief Better: People with Intellectual Disability,

Professor Shelia Hollins

<http://www.intellectualdisability.info/mental-health/managing-grief-better-people-with-intellectual-disabilities>

Supporting People Through Loss and Grief, An Easy-to-read booklet,

<http://www.scopevic.org.au/index.php/cms/frontend/resource/id/130>

Grieving as a family – finding comfort together (resource for children, young people and families)

<http://www.sesamestreet.org/parents/topicsandactivities/topics/grief>

Destitute Persons – Cremation or Burial

http://www0.health.nsw.gov.au/policies/pd/2008/pdf/PD2008_012.pdf

7 Deceased estates

Deceased estates – NSW Trustee and Guardian Fact Sheet

https://www.tag.nsw.gov.au/verve/resources/FM_Fact_Sheet_13_Deceased_Estates_2012.pdf

8 Language services

ADHC Language Service Guidelines

http://www.adhc.nsw.gov.au/data/assets/file/0007/237274/LS_Guidelines_May_2012.pdf

9 Link to ELMO e-learning module

Good to Great Live Portal

URL: <http://www.elearn.com.au/adhc/goodtogreat>

Username: adhc

Password: goodtogreat

10 Law and Justice contact details

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