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Guardianship Orders And Powers of Attorney

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Guardianship

- Definition of ‘an adult’ in Scotland
- When Guardianship is necessary
- Who can be appointed
- Joint and Substitute Guardians
- Welfare and Financial Powers



Guardianship

- Pre court Procedure
- Court Procedure
- What happens after appointment?
- Renewals
- Amendments
- What it costs



Specific Powers

- Restraint
- Seclusion
- Absconding
- Social Media
- Covert Mediation



Power of Attorney

- Who can grant a power of attorney
- Activating a power of attorney
- Vulnerable clients
- Powers – what to consider
- Living will/advance directives
- What does it cost?



Useful Resources

- www.cairntrusts.co.uk
- www.cairnlegal.co.uk
- www.publicguardian-scotland.gov.uk
- www.mwcscot.org.uk
- <https://www.gov.scot/publications/adults-with-incapacity-act-principles/>



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