

## **Resource List- Supported Decision Making**

Thank you for attending the Supported Decision-Making Workshop.

Here is a list of further reading and resources that you may find useful:

### **Scottish Independent Advocacy Alliance (SIAA)**

- Website: <https://www.siaa.org.uk/>
- SIAA promotes, supports and advocates for independent advocacy.
- You can use this website to read more about independent advocacy and use it to find an advocacy provider near you.
- Independent Advocacy Principles, standards and code of best practice: <https://www.siaa.org.uk/information-hub/principles-standards-code-of-best-practice/>
- Easy Read: <https://www.siaa.org.uk/information-hub/independent-advocacy-principles-easy-read-version/>

### **Scottish Human Rights Commission**

- Website: <https://www.scottishhumanrights.com/>
- Human Rights based approach: <https://www.scottishhumanrights.com/projects-and-programmes/human-rights-based-approach/>

### **Mental Welfare Commission**

#### **Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland Guidance & Advice**

- <https://www.mwcscot.org.uk/good-practice/guidance-advice#1154>
- The commissions aim is to be a leading and independent voice in promoting a society where people with mental illness, learning disabilities, dementia and related conditions are treated fairly, have their rights respected, and have appropriate support to live the life of their choice.
- You can use this website to access various guidance and advice relating to people's rights.

## Mental Welfare Commission for Scotland. Supported Decision Making Good Practice Guide

- <https://www.mwcscot.org.uk/sites/default/files/2024-10/Supported%20Decision%20Making%202024.pdf>

## Adult Support and Protection (Scotland) Act 2007

- Law: <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/asp/2007/10/contents>
- Easy Read: <https://www.iriss.org.uk/aspire/resources/resource/easy-read-adult-support-and-protection-leaflets-five>

## Mental Health (Care and Treatment) (Scotland) Act 2003

- Law: <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/asp/2003/13/contents>
- Easy Read: <https://www.gov.scot/publications/new-mental-health-act-easy-read-guide/documents/>

## Adults with Incapacity (Scotland) Act 2000

- Law: <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/asp/2000/4/contents>
- Easy Read: [Related Media: Easy Read What does "capacity" mean?](#)

## Social Care (Self-directed Support) (Scotland) Act 2013

- Law: <https://www.legislation.gov.uk/asp/2013/1/contents/enacted>
- Easy Read: <https://www.gov.scot/publications/easy-read-self-directed-support-values-principles-statement/>

## Supported Decision Making in other countries

<https://supporteddecisions.org/about-supported-decision-making/sdm-as-an-international-movement/>

## Iriss Supported Decision Making Insight

- <https://www.iriss.org.uk/resources/insights/supported-decision-making>
- Iriss is a charity that works with people, workers and organisations in social work and social care to help them use knowledge and innovation to make positive change happen.
- This webpage discusses Supported Decision Making, its purpose and how it applies in practice.