



The HRLA and British Institute of Human Rights invite you to:

Care and human rights: Is the Human Rights Act protecting the vulnerable?

Monday 3rd March 2014, 6.00-7.30pm

Leigh Day, Priory House, 25 St John's Lane, London EC1M 4LB

The UK has been shocked by the revelations of abuse and neglect at care homes such as Winterbourne View and Orchard View. Outside care homes, the Equality and Human Rights Commission estimates that nearly 500,000 older people receive essential care in their own home paid for wholly or partly by their local authority – but that for too many this care delivered behind closed doors is not supporting the dignity, autonomy and family life which their human rights should guarantee.

How can the Human Rights Act prevent the abuse of the most vulnerable in our community, at a time of an ageing population and ever increasing demand for care?

Speakers:

Alison Millar, Leigh Day
Alan Rosenbach, Care Quality Commission
Joanna Owen, Equality and Human Rights Commission
Helen Wildbore, British Institute of Human Rights

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Entry is free but places are limited so please **RSVP to the HRLA Administrator**administrator@hrla.org.uk to reserve your seat.