



## CELTIC KNOT PUBLICATIONS ...PUBLISHED WORK...

### Disclaimer

Nothing from this website is intended to constitute legal advice, nor is it intended to be a complete and authoritative statement of the law. Legal advice should be sought to confirm the application of any information from this site to any specific legal situation.

Celtic Knot does not warrant that the information published on its site is up-to-date, although every effort is made to keep it up-to-date. Celtic Knot specifically draws

attention to the fact that publications on this page are not regularly updated and reference should be made to the date of publication.

Celtic Knot accepts no liability for any adverse consequences arising from reliance on information from its website for legal advice. Celtic Knot accepts full responsibility for the legal advice that it gives to its clients.

### Copyright notice

Copyright in the publications below is indicated by each publication. When online, follow the instructions in the yellow box adjacent to the publication in question before downloading. You may download and use any of these materials, but the limits on your rights are set out in the associated licence.



*This work is licensed under a Creative Commons Licence. Click here to review the terms. By downloading this document you are accepting these terms.*

### [Getting Help from Social Services: A Simple Guide to the Law](#)

This booklet was commissioned and funded by the [Legal Services Commission](#), written by [Allan Norman](#), and published by Birmingham Money Advice and Grants ([B-Mag](#))



*This document is available for sampling purposes, subject to a Creative Commons Licence.*

## [Destitution, Immigration Status and the Law](#)

This is a sampler from a training course written by [Allan Norman](#), and delivered at [St Philip's Chambers](#). The material has been updated and most recently delivered in November 2006.



*This work is licensed under a Creative Commons Licence. Click here to review the terms. By downloading this document you are accepting these terms.*

## [Rights that can Wrong](#)

[HTML version - fully hyperlinked text](#)  
[Adobe \(pdf\) version - full colour as it appeared](#)

© BASW, this is the first in a series of three articles on ethical dilemmas in social work by [Allan Norman](#). On human rights and professional autonomy, this article first appeared in *Professional Social Work - The Magazine of the [British Association of Social Workers](#)*.



*This work is licensed under a Creative Commons Licence. Click here to review the terms. By downloading this document you are accepting these terms.*

## [Rewarding Participation](#)

This article by [Allan Norman](#) on rewarding service user and tenant participation in project design, management and evaluation first appeared in [The Housing and Support Sector Briefing](#), an electronic resource for the third sector published by [Support Solutions Ltd](#).



*This work is licensed under a Creative Commons Licence. Click here to review the terms. By downloading this document you are accepting these terms.*

## [Is it illegal to act unlawfully?](#)

[HTML version - text and hyperlinked references](#)  
[Adobe \(pdf\) version - full colour as it appeared](#)

© BASW, this is the second in a series of three articles on ethical dilemmas in social work by [Allan Norman](#). On the limits of legal authority, this article first appeared in *Professional Social Work - The Magazine of the [British Association of Social Workers](#)*.



*This work is licensed under a Creative Commons Licence. Click here to review the terms. By downloading this document you are accepting these terms.*

## [Women from Abroad](#)

This article by [Allan Norman](#) provides positive suggestions to address the problems of accessing accommodation and support services, in particular for women from abroad who are leaving or trying to leave violent relationships. It first appeared in [The Housing and Support Sector Briefing](#), an electronic resource for the third sector published by [Support Solutions Ltd](#).



*This work is licensed under a Creative Commons Licence. Click here to review the terms. By downloading this document you are accepting these terms.*

## [Drawing a Line](#)

[HTML version - text and hyperlinked references](#)  
[Adobe \(pdf\) version - full colour as it appeared](#)

© BASW, this is the third in a series of three articles on ethical dilemmas in social work by [Allan Norman](#). It asks against what moral framework a social worker may challenge unjust laws. This article first appeared in *Professional Social Work - The Magazine of the [British Association of Social Workers](#)*.



*This work is licensed under a Creative Commons Licence. Click here to review the terms. By downloading this document you are accepting these terms.*

## [Counting and Measuring Hidden Harm](#)

The presentation slides and notes from a conference address for Sandwell Local Safeguarding Children Board by [Allan Norman](#). It critically explores legal, ethical and practical issues around the growth in databases, with particular reference to the [Hidden Harm agenda](#) (about children of problem drug users) and to the forthcoming Children's Information Sharing Index.

Authorised & regulated by the Solicitors Regulation Authority ♦ Our social workers are registered with the General Social Care Council

Allan Norman - Principal Solicitor, Social Worker, RSP 443754 ♦ Faith Ryan - Associate Solicitor-Advocate ♦ Yasmeen Qazi - Social Worker, Non-practising Solicitor

Celtic Knot aims to be a sustainable virtual business

### Webpage notes:

1. The address of this page is [www.celticknot.org.uk/publications](http://www.celticknot.org.uk/publications)
2. Click on 'home' at the foot of any page for full website view and navigation.
3. Underlined words, phrases and the yellow boxes are hyperlinks in the web and pdf versions of this page.
4. Other pages cover our services, how we operate, and useful resources for visitors to our site.

### Contact details:

Telephone: 0121 286 8785  
Email: [celtic-knot@phonecoop.coop](mailto:celtic-knot@phonecoop.coop)  
Skype: celtic-knot  
Voicemail: 0121 314 2006  
Correspondence: The Warehouse, 54-57 Allison Street, Birmingham B5 5TH

### Legal and copyright:

Celtic Knot accepts no responsibility for the content of external websites to which this document carries links.

Copyright restrictions apply. In addition to the copyright notice above:

- ✓ This document © Celtic Knot. Your use of this document is subject to a Creative Commons Licence that you can view at [www.creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc-sa/2.0/uk](http://www.creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc-sa/2.0/uk).
- ✓ Images may be the copyright of their respective originators and used with permission. We have attempted to identify and contact the copyright holders of all images used. We will acknowledge copyright or cease to use images on request.