

Money Matters Surgeries



Carers have so many things to think about - why not book an appointment at one of our surgeries and let an advisor help you.

VOCAL is offering appointments with topic specialists on a monthly basis. If you are interested in learning more about any of the topics below please contact VOCAL to arrange an appointment.

Power of Attorney Surgeries

A Power of Attorney is a legal document that allows one person to give another person permission to make financial and/or welfare decisions on their behalf. At the surgery carers and the people they support are helped to write and register a Power of Attorney replacing the need to see a solicitor. A Power of Attorney is important for all of us but might be particularly important if someone has an increased likelihood of becoming confused, forgetful or housebound.



Legal Surgeries

Many carers are concerned about the future, especially the financial security of a loved one. Working in partnership with a solicitor VOCAL is offering free 30 minute consultations offering information about key issues such as **Wills, Trusts and Guardianship**. These issues are important for everyone but might be of particular interest for parent carers and for people caring for someone with confusion or memory problems



Over 60's Benefits Surgeries

Many people over the age of 60 do not receive all the money they are entitled to from the government. Visit this surgery to receive advice and support from a Department of Work and Pensions Advisor to apply for your entitlements. This surgery is for carers aged over 60 or supporting someone who is over 60 who wants to explore benefit entitlements such as Pension Credit.



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These surgeries are for carers seeking support to work out which benefits they and/or the person they support are entitled to and support with the completion of benefit forms. At these surgeries information can also be given about how to tackle debt issues.



Long Term Care Planning Surgeries

Many carers are concerned about paying for care home fees, how much they will have to pay and what happens to property. A Chartered Financial Advisor can explore options with carers. This surgery would be of most benefit to carers where the move to long term care will take place in the next 6 months.



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