



**Are you a carer
of a Learning
Disabled person?**

HOW TO BOOK

ONLINE

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VENUE

Oberoi Business Hub

19 & 20 St. Christopher's Way, Pride
Park, Derby, DE24 8JY

FREE PARKING

**All Workshops are FREE
and include a Buffet
Lunch and Refreshments**

**Workshops run from
10:00am - 3:00pm**

Don't miss these 3 FREE Workshops!

1. Thinking ahead
2. How to get the right support by understanding and using the law
3. The Care Act - Your rights and EHCP's/Transition



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1. THINKING AHEAD

18TH SEPTEMBER

This workshop will help older family carers think and talk about the future, particularly when their son or daughter still lives at home with them and they are feeling worried about what the future might bring.

Families will be introduced to the Thinking Ahead approach to planning which takes things step by step.

We will look at housing and support, making a plan for emergencies, planning in a person centered way and lots more. In the workshop we will also do some practical activities to get started with planning and we will help you to think about what would be helpful to do next.



2. GET THE RIGHT SUPPORT BY UNDERSTANDING AND USING THE LAW

17TH OCTOBER

People with learning disabilities (aged 16+) and family carers have stronger legal rights to good support under the new law for adult social care – the Care Act. This workshop will cover:

- New legal rights to 'personalised' support
- Stronger legal rights to support for family carers
- The 'wellbeing principle'
- Assessments and eligibilityCare and support planning
- New rights to Independent Advocacy
- Personal budgets



3. THE CARE ACT - YOUR RIGHTS AND EHCP'S/TRANSITION

24TH OCTOBER

The aim of the workshop is to gain a better understanding of what lies ahead as your relative moves towards adulthood. We will cover:

- Their rights under The Care Act and The Mental Capacity Act
- Education Health and Care Plans and Transition Assessments
- Charities and support available outside of the local authority

Families will feel reassured and excited about their relative's future, better informed of their rights and more confident about challenging decisions when they need to.