**SOCIAL WORKER GARY  
NEW FEE STRUCTURE FROM APRIL 2024**

***We do not charge VAT***

| **MENTAL CAPACITY / COP3 SERVICES** | **FEES** |
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| **Standard** Capacity Assessment (i.e., non-complex decision making, non-challenging/contentious) includes a full COP3 or MCA report. *Examples include COP3 for Court Appointed Deputyship for Property and Affairs or capacity to make an LPA Health and Welfare or Property and Affairs.* It covers the assessment, casework/preparation around 3hrs. | £395 |
| **Plus+** Capacity Assessment (i.e., challenging or contentious decision making assessment with associated risks) includes a full COP3 or MCA report. *Examples include case 1, which requires more time, or LPA for Property and Affairs* ***and*** *Health and Welfare.*It covers the assessment, casework/preparation around 5hrs. | £650 |
| **Complex** Capacity Assessment (i.e., complex decision making that is contentious and/or challenging with or without risk) with a full COP3 or MCA report. *Examples include cases involved in litigation/cases being prepared for the Court of Protection or disputing an existing capacity assessment or deputyship.* It covers the assessment, casework/preparation around 1 full day. | £995 |
| **OTHER CAPACITY SERVICES** | **FEES** |
| Litigation Capacity (Capacity to Conduct Proceeding with Certificate) *(includes all case preparation and/or reasonable reading time)* Covers all casework up to and around 6 hours | £795 |
| Best Interest Decision with Balance Sheet and Report *(includes all case preparation and/or reasonable reading time)* Covers all casework up to and around 5 hours | £695 |
| Testamentary Capacity / Trustee Capacity / Lifetime Gifting / Equity Release *(including MoCA examination and all case preparation and/or reasonable reading time)* Covers all casework up to and around 4.5 hours | £675 |
| PA14 Probate Medical Certificate with Report  *(includes MoCA examination and all case preparation/administration + Signed For postage)* Covers all casework up to and around 3.75 hours | £475 |
| MoCATM examination with summary report  Covers all casework up to and around 1.5 hours | £195 |
| Certificate Provider and/or Professional Witness (one-off/standalone service) Covers all casework up to 1 hour | £125 |

| **SOCIAL WORK SERVICES** | **FEES** |
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| Expert Witness / Assessor (includes attendance at the NHS panel) | *Please* [*email*](mailto:gary@caredoctors.co.uk) *for an individual quote* |
| ParentAssess© Assessment | *Please* [*email*](mailto:gary@caredoctors.co.uk) *for an individual quote* |
| Immigration Report / Deportation Care Report (for appealing Court Order) | *Please* [*email*](mailto:gary@caredoctors.co.uk) *for an individual quote* |
| DOLS/BIA (Best Interest Assessment) Form 3 and 4 (without MH assessment) | £700 |
| DOLS/BIA (Best Interest Assessment) Form 3 only | £600 |
| DOLS Authorising Officer – Granting a Standard Authorisation Form 5 | £300 |
| Social Work Supervision (1 hour) | £150 |
| Social Work Shadowing (for those under Conditions of Practice) with report | £75 |
| Social Work Supervision (trainee/student) (1 hour) | £50 |
| **FORENSIC / RISK SERVICES** | **FEES** |
| Social Supervision – Weekly Supervision, with Ministry of Justice report | £550 |
| Social Supervision – Fortnightly Supervision, with Ministry of Justice report | £450 |
| Social Supervision – Monthly Supervision, with Ministry of Justice report | £350 |
| Warrant Execution or Recall call-out fee | £300 |
| Social Supervision – Co-Supervisor, without Ministry of Justice report (monthly) or One Off Supervision (with no MOJ report, but summary report) | £275 |

| **COMMUNITY CARE SERVICES** | **FEES** |
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| NHS Continuing Healthcare (CHC) Assessment, Report and Appeal Service | £2,975 |
| NHS Continuing Healthcare (CHC) Preliminary Report | £750 |
| Care Needs Assessment by a Registered Independent Social Worker  *with Care and Support (C&S) Plan*  *all above, plus Brokerage Service*  *all above, plus care facilitation and a 28-day Care Review*  *all above, plus an Annual Review at month 12* | £595  £750  £900  £925  £1,000 |
| **Silver Plus Package** (additional to above services: includes mail forwarding service, named specialist case worker and a twice monthly safe and secure wellbeing visit with summary report emailed to your family) | £150 per week |
| **Gold Package** (all of the *Silver+ service*, plus a named assistant social worker in place of our case worker, a weekly *safe and secure* well-being visit and we’ll arrange your weekly shopping, link with your GP and other health professionals and book in / meet with tradespeople on your behalf at home) | £225 per week |
| **Platinum Package** (all of the above *Silver+ and Gold services* plus your own qualified social worker and assistant social worker, with us being your 24-hour reactive responder for emergencies, led by our casework team) | £400 per week |
| **FINANCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES** | **FEES** |
| Financial Vulnerable Assessment (FVA) | £475 |
| Structured Support Planning and Financial Exposure Work (4 hour package) | £450 |
| FVA Single Assessment - ‘Friends and Family’ interview | £60 |
| FVA Single Assessment - Financial Decision Tracker | £40 |

| **DEPUTYSHIP SERVICES** | **FEES** |
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| Professional Co-Deputy (i.e., with a solicitor or corporate body) | *Please* [*email*](mailto:gary@caredoctors.co.uk) *for an individual quote* |
| Deputyship *‘Light Touch’* Telephony Needs Screening Assessment | £250 |
| COP20A Notice Serving | £60 |
| **ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES** | **FEES** |
| Standard Independent Social Worker (ISW) rate | £150 per hour |
| Standard Assistant Social Worker rate | £80 per hour |
| Additional reading time - per hour | £75 |
| Legal Aid Agency rate for Independent Social Workers - per hour *(under the Legal Aid Agency, we act as ISW risk experts and not at Cafcass ISWs)* | £66 |
| Travel fee - per hour (private)  Travel fee - per hour (Legal Aid – non Cafcass)  Travel fee - per hour (Legal Aid - Cafcass) | £50  £40  £22 |
| “Special” Legal Aid Agency rate for Independent Social Workers - per hour *(in exceptional circumstances, we may agree to act under the Cafcass ISW rate)* | £33 |
| Postage charge Standard Letter per item (£3.05 + £6.95 admin charge) *2nd Class Royal Mail Tracker Service (large letter up to 750g)* | £10 |
| Private Mileage rate - per mile | 90p |
| Legal Aid Mileage rate - per mile | 45p |