

# Civil news: updates to electronic handbook

We have updated the civil finance electronic handbook which is used by our caseworkers when processing your claims.

## **What has changed?**

We have revised the guidance as a result of:

- transfer of court assessed claims to the LAA
- changes in relation to payments on account

## **How to use the handbook**

The civil finance electronic handbook contains our operational requirements and guidance.

It should be used together with the cost assessment guidance and also the relevant contracts.

## **Further information**

[Funding and costs assessment for civil and crime matters](#) – to access the updated 'civil finance electronic handbook'

[Speedier payments on way for court assessed bills](#) – news article on transfer of court assessed claims

[Further changes to increase payments on account applications](#) – news article on changes to POA rules