## <u>News story: OPG updates legal guidance</u> <u>on giving gifts</u>

OPG's <u>gifting practice note</u> explains the legal framework around giving gifts and has been updated to reflect recent judgements by the <u>Court of Protection</u>.

It also explains the approach OPG takes if deputies or attorneys go beyond their authority to give gifts on behalf of the person they act for.

OPG has separate general <u>guidance on giving gifts for non-professional</u> <u>deputies and attorneys</u>.

Being an attorney or a deputy can be a demanding role – like a part-time job for some – and there are <u>practice notes covering a range of subjects</u> to help attorneys and deputies be as effective as they can.