

# Legal Issues Arising out of Changes to NHS and Social Care Services: How lawfully to close a hospital or care home or to challenge an unlawful closure

## Details

**Date:** Tuesday 12th September 2017

**Time:** 14:00 - 18:00

**CPD:** 3.5

**Fee:** Free

**Who is it for?** Solicitors working for Government, NHS bodies, local authorities, and providers of health and social care facilities; solicitors and other advisors working for patient/service user interests and community organisations.

## Venue

Landmark Chambers  
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## Programme

- 13:45 *Registration*
- 14:00 Welcome by Chair  
*David Lock QC, Landmark Chambers*
- 14:05 The NHS framework for making service reconfiguration decisions  
*David Lock QC, Landmark Chambers*
- 14:45 The community care framework for making service reconfiguration decisions  
*Stephen Knafler QC, Landmark Chambers*
- 15:25 *Tea and Coffee*
- 15:45 Judicial review of closures  
*Samantha Broadfoot QC, Landmark Chambers*
- 16:10 PSED  
*Declan O'Callaghan, Landmark Chambers*
- 16:35 The duty to tackle health inequalities  
*Toby Fisher, Landmark Chambers*
- 17:00 Consultation  
*Tim Buley, Landmark Chambers*
- 17:25 The impact of patient choice rules  
*Galina Ward, Landmark Chambers*
- 17:45 *Questions and Discussion*
- 18:00 *Drinks*