

Human Rights Webinars: Making A Determination – Recordings Available NOW on MyODP

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AUDIENCE:

Members of Human Rights Teams (HRT) and Human Rights Committees (HRC)

PURPOSE:

Announcing online access via MyODP to recorded Human Rights Making a Determination Webinars

DISCUSSION:

With the release of Bulletin 00-21-01 Guidance for Human Rights Teams and Human Rights Committees, ODP released a 4-part webcast series titled *Human Rights In Depth*, to provide information and support for stakeholders involved in implementing the guidance and requirements related to individual rights and restrictive procedures.

The 4 webcasts, which are available on MyODP, provide detailed discussion of the following topic areas:

- 1. Responsibility to Inform and Strategies to Support People to Exercise their Rights
- 2. How to Make a Determination
- 3. Human Rights Teams
- 4. Human Rights Committees

Following up on those webcasts, ODP offered webinar trainings to members of HRTs and HRCs to delve more deeply into the process of "MAKING A DETERMINATION."

Each of the 4 webinar sessions explored a unique practice scenario and discussed the use of restrictive procedures and whether the proposed intervention was restrictive. The sessions offered opportunities for in-depth discussion about the process, and guidance to teams as

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they evaluate individuals' behavior support plans. And those sessions reviewed some of the relevant factors to be considered when evaluating potential interventions and determining whether they may be restrictive. The factors to be considered include:

- The definition of "restrictive" as limiting rights;
- The consideration of a restrictive procedure as necessary due to "imminent risk"
- The importance of using "least restrictive" interventions
- The concept of "dignity of risk"
- The need to ensure individual choice vs. health and safety

While this webinar series was intended for members of HRTs or HRCs, ODP recorded each session, and is now making those recordings available for all interested parties.

PREREQUISITE:

Part #2 - How to Make a Determination of the Human Rights in Depth training series provides foundational information for HRTs and HRCs. Viewing this webcast is strongly recommended prior to viewing the recorded Making a Determination webinars. However, ODP strongly recommends viewing all four parts of the Human Rights In Depth training series.

Human Rights in Depth Training series on MyODP

Webcast - Part #2 - How to Make a Determination (58 Minutes)

PDF - How to Make a Determination (55 pages)

LINK TO THE RECORDINGS AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR VIEWING THE TRAINING:

The direct link to the Making a Determination course and recordings is https://www.myodp.org/course/view.php?id=1875

The navigation path from the MyODP Homepage is: Training > Intellectual Disability> Human Rights

PLEASE NOTE: This training is NOT intended to provide concrete or definitive answers to specific case questions. The purpose is to ensure that HRCs and HRTs have the skills needed to make decisions for any plan they review.

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