

Capital Depletion Policy



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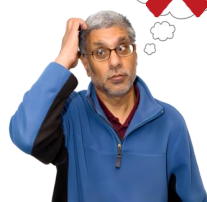
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1. Introduction



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This policy helps Hampshire County Council decide how to support people who need financial help when their money runs out



It makes sure the support is good value for money and meets the person's needs



This policy is for people who are paying for their own care but need help when they have no money left

NHS
England



**It also helps people
who no longer get
money from other
places like the NHS**

2. How does Hampshire County Council decide who gets help?



People who pay for their own care are called self funders



When their money goes too *low, they can ask the Council for help

***Below
£23,250**



The Council will check what care and support the person needs



The Council will give a personal budget, which is money to meet the person's care needs

3. What happens if someone needs help?



Below £40,000

When a person's money goes below £40,000, they should contact the Council



The Council will check what care and support the person needs

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When the person's money goes below £23,250, the Council will give a personal budget to help pay for care

4. How does the Council manage risk?



The Council follows the Choice of Accommodation Policy to make sure the person has a good and safe place to live



If the current care home does not meet the person's need, budget or is not signed up to the Council's contract



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The Council may move the person to a different care home that better fits their needs



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The Council will check if it is safe for the person to move by doing a risk assessment



**This means the Council
will check if it is safe to
move the person so their
care and support needs
can be met in a new
home**

5. What if the care costs more than the personal budget?



Most people who need help with their money are already in a care home



The Council will check if the care home meets the person's needs, budget and is signed up to the Council's contract



If the care home costs more than the personal budget, cannot meet the person's needs or is not signed up to the Council's contract

The Council will try to find somewhere more within budget that meets the person's needs

If the person wants to stay in a care home that costs more than the personal budget

Someone else, like a family member needs to pay the extra cost



6. What if someone cannot make decisions for themselves?



The Council will check if the person can make decisions about their care



If the person cannot make decisions

The Council will make decisions in their best interest with help from family or representatives

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