

# Get to know the Codes

## Code of Practice for Social Service Workers

- 1** I must protect and promote the rights and interests of individuals and carers.
- 2** I must build and maintain the trust and confidence of individuals and carers.
- 3** I must promote the wellbeing and independence of individuals and carers while protecting them, as far as possible, from harm.
- 4** I must recognise that individuals have the right to take risks and will work with them to understand and manage those risks.
- 5** I must be accountable for the quality of my work and take responsibility for maintaining and improving my knowledge and skills.
- 6** I must uphold public trust and confidence.

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