

*These notes refer to the Social Services and Well-being (Wales)
Act 2014 (c.4) which received Royal Assent on 1 May 2014*

SOCIAL SERVICES AND WELL- BEING (WALES) ACT 2014

EXPLANATORY NOTES

COMMENTARY ON SECTIONS

Section 5 - Well-being duty

6. **Section 5** requires persons exercising functions under the Act to promote the well-being of people who need care and support and carers who need support.
7. This overarching well-being duty applies to all persons and bodies exercising functions under this Act, including the Welsh Ministers, local authorities, Local Health Boards (LHBs) and other statutory agencies.