



Care Act 2014

2014 CHAPTER 23

PART 1

CARE AND SUPPORT

Miscellaneous

78 Guidance, etc.

- (1) A local authority must act under the general guidance of the Secretary of State in the exercise of functions given to it by this Part or by regulations under this Part.
- (2) Before issuing any guidance for the purposes of subsection (1), the Secretary of State must consult such persons as the Secretary of State considers appropriate.
- (3) The Secretary of State must have regard to the general duty of local authorities under section 1(1) (promotion of individual well-being)—
 - (a) in issuing guidance for the purposes of subsection (1);
 - (b) in making regulations under this Part.