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Study: “Protecting Vulnerable Persons: A Grounded Theory Socio-Legal Examination of Elder Abuse Laws and Response in BC”

Are You Interested in Talking About Your Professional Experience Working with Elder Abuse Victims?

If so, we would like to hear from you.

We are looking for participants for an interview lasting up to 60 minutes to be held in person or over the phone.

Participants must have worked for the Designated Agencies (Health Authorities) or Public Guardian and Trustee (PGT) in a role where they investigated or responded to reports of elder abuse in the past two years. These criteria ensure participants have current professional experience as responders.

You are being asked to participate in this study as an individual rather than a representative of your agency. The purpose of the study is to gain an understanding of how elder abuse responders interpret BC’s laws, and the process they follow for making decisions after receiving a report of abuse.

The study is being carried out by Joan Braun as a requirement towards a PhD dissertation in law, under the supervision of Professor Debra Parkes who is the principal investigator for this study.

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