

How the Court of Protection treads the line between protecting vulnerable individuals, but also ensuring that those individuals have a promotion of their autonomy. How the Court balances the line.

Mental Capacity Act 2005

- Best Interest
 - Protection v promotion of autonomy
 - **ITW v Z & Ors [2009] EWHC 2525 (Fam)**
URL: <http://www.bailii.org/ew/cases/EWHC/Fam/2009/2525.html>
 - Capacity
 - **Airedale NHS Trust v Bland [1993] AC 789**
URL: <https://www.bailii.org/uk/cases/UKHL/1993/17.html>
 - Assessment of capacity
 - **R v Cooper [2009] UKHL 42**
URL: <https://www.bailii.org/uk/cases/UKHL/2009/42.html>
 - Interpretation of relevant information
 - **LBX v K & Ors [2013] EWHC 3230 (Fam); [2013] EWHC 4170 (Fam)**
URL: <https://www.bailii.org/ew/cases/EWHC/Fam/2013/3230.html>
URL: <https://www.bailii.org/ew/cases/EWHC/Fam/2013/4170.html>
 - Convention on the Rights of People with Disability - Article 9 & 21
 - The use of the internet and social media for those with disability - relevant information
 - **B v A Local Authority [2019] EWCA Civ 913**
URL: <https://www.bailii.org/ew/cases/EWCA/Civ/2019/913.html>
 - “We should not ask more of people whose capacity is questioned than of those whose capacity is undoubted”.
 - **Heart of England NHS Foundation Trust v JB [2014] EWCOP 342**
URL: <https://www.bailii.org/ew/cases/EWCOP/2014/342.html>
 - **LBL v RYJ & Anor [2010] EWCOP 2665**
URL: <https://www.bailii.org/ew/cases/EWCOP/2010/2665.html>
- The knowledge required is fairly rudimentary.

• **A Local Authority v H [2012] EWCOP 49**

URL: <https://www.bailii.org/ew/cases/EWCOP/2012/49.html>