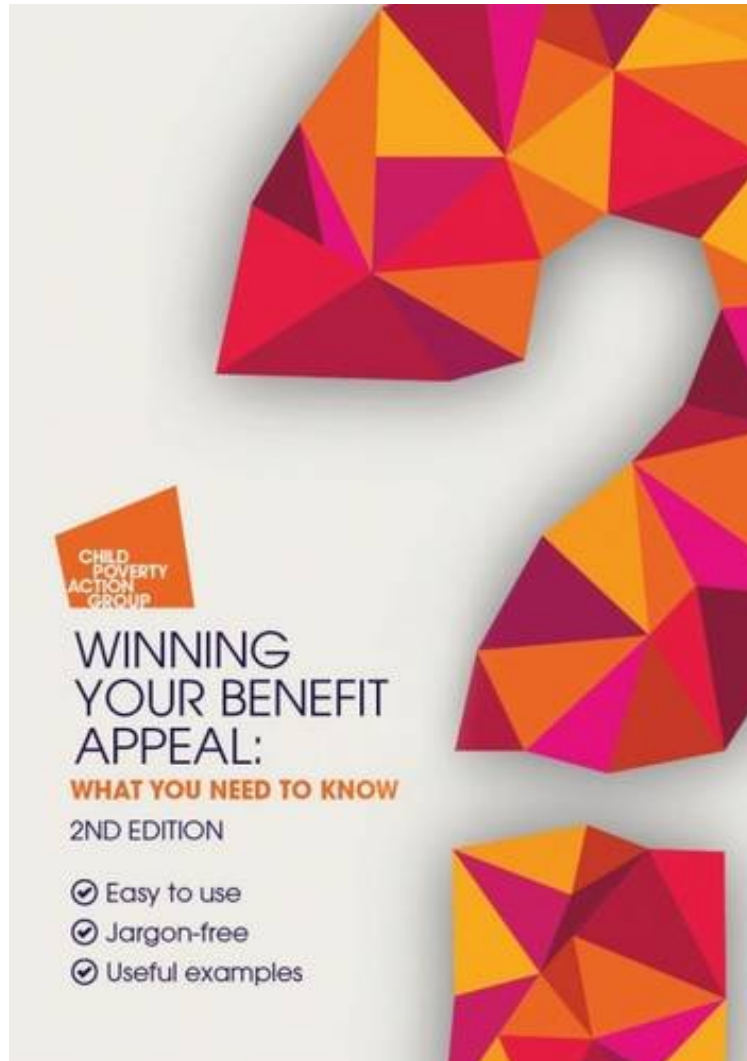


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present a successful appeal with essential practical guidance on how to win your appeal. There are not that many hands-on books available for this type of appeal and the tactical tips provided will be of great use to applicants who may well be very much in awe of the entire process as many are vulnerable persons. The work also includes a sample submission to make the process more understandable. It gives invaluable support to both applicants and advisers in this difficult area of welfare law and will be a great friend to the applicant. This title *Winning Your Benefit Appeal*, with the sub title *what you need to know* does just that. Like other CPAG titles covering all aspects of what are difficult areas of welfare law has become well established and highly regarded. It makes a major and certainly vital contribution to the aims of the CPAG, which exists to promote action for the prevention and relief of poverty among children and families with children. Do read the introductory chapter which sets the scene on how to use this guide book: always check the rules which may affect you and find out about the procedures which can be confusing at first. Remember you do not have to be legally qualified to represent yourself so the book is easy to use, jargon-free with clear advice and useful examples. The biggest single problem both for applicants looking for advice and for advisers is that the law determining benefit entitlements is both unnecessarily complex and frequently changing: a problem now covering many other areas of welfare law as well. Do look at the glossary of terms in Appendix 1 which we found most helpful. There are seven main chapters in about 150 pages and they cover the following: an introduction; the appeals system; making an appeal; preparing your appeal; illness and disability appeals; the appeal hearing; after the appeal; and then a glossary. Thank you, Simon Osborne and CPAG, for maintaining these high levels of advice for your guides and handbooks for the vulnerable because they really do make the difference with how to avoid pitfalls and to maximize your chances of success on appeal.

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