

Securing Your Legacy: LPA & ESTATE PLANNING TALKS FOR DOCTORS

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SMA hosted the Lasting Power of Attorney (LPA) and Estate Planning Talk for Doctors on 13 February 2026, which was well attended by over 50 participants. Due to popular demand, a rerun was further held on 6 March 2026, which also drew a strong turnout.

Conducted by FinGroup, a doctor-focused consultancy founded by a medical doctor, the talk provided a clear and practical walkthrough of LPA and its role in estate planning. Key takeaways included understanding LPAs, appointing donees, and the importance of integrating LPAs with wills, nominations and funding. Attendees also learned about the differences between LPA Form 1 and Form 2, and how to avoid common mistakes.

The Government has waived the LPA application fee for Singapore citizens indefinitely, making it a great opportunity for doctors to plan ahead. A highlight of the event was the offer of complimentary LPA certification for attendees and their immediate family, conducted by accredited certificate issuer Dr U-Jin Chow.

The talk emphasised that doctors should formalise who can decide for them if they lose mental capacity. SMA thanks FinGroup for leading the informative sessions and we look forward to future collaboration.

With estate planning being a crucial aspect of personal and professional life, we encourage doctors to take proactive steps in securing their legacy. The talks highlighted the importance of planning ahead and protecting loved ones. ♦

