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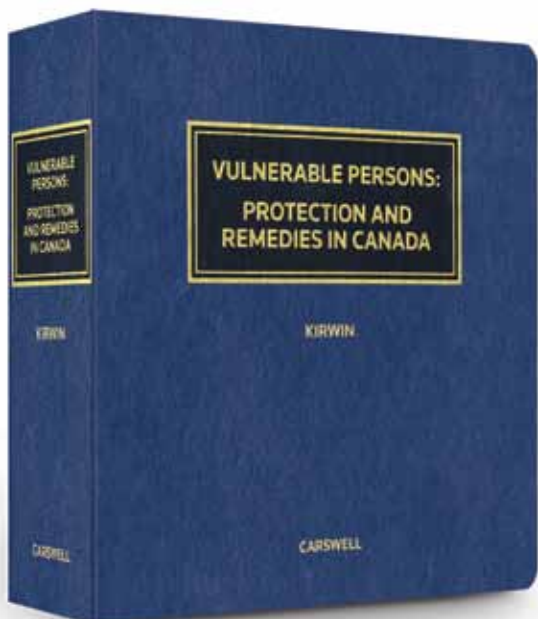
1. Youths who fall outside the scope of child protection laws and adults who suffered child abuse
2. Spouses
3. The elderly
4. Medical patients and persons with disabilities

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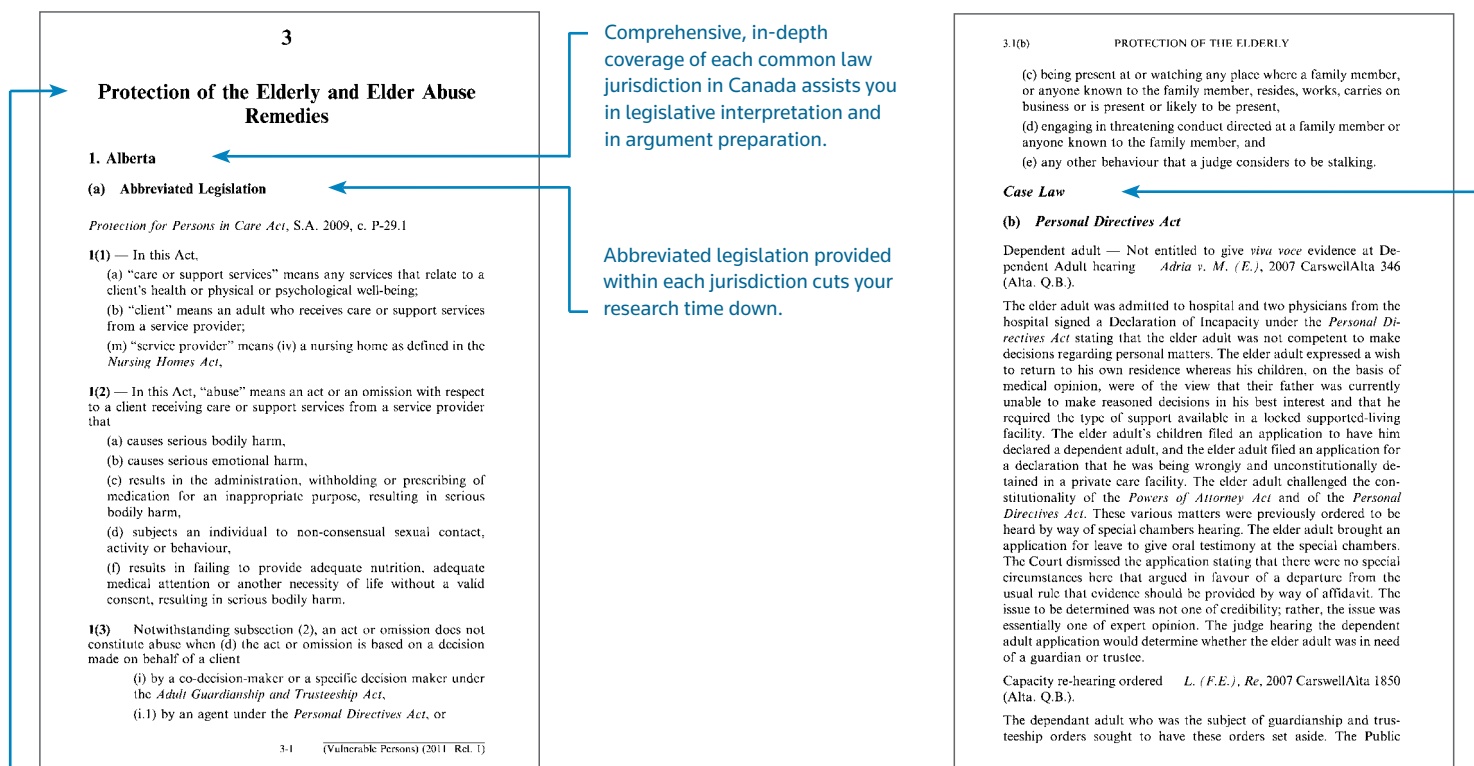
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Chapters grouped by four vulnerability types

1. Youth Protection and Remedies for Childhood Abuse
2. Spousal Protection and Abuse Remedies
3. Protection of the Elderly and Elder Abuse Remedies
4. Protection and Remedies for Abuse of the Disabled and Patients

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