

Who We Are

We provide a free and confidential state-wide legal service through our offices in Hobart, Launceston and Burnie. Wherever you are in the State, we can help you with:

- **Legal advice over the phone or in a face to face appointment.**
- **Information about your legal and non - legal options.**
- **Referral to appropriate support services**
- **Pamphlets and other information sent out by post or email.**
- **In some circumstances we can provide ongoing legal assistance and representation.**

You can contact us about any legal issue - even if you are not sure your problem is a legal one, we can help you figure it out.

We are not a crisis service. If you are in an emergency situation, please contact Tasmanian Police on 000

How We Can Help

You can contact us if you think you have a legal problem or want to find out about your legal rights and options. Our main areas of law include:

- **Parenting disputes**
- **Property Settlement (after divorce and de facto).**
- **Family Violence Orders and other legal options when you experience family violence.**
- **Child Safety matters**

We can also provide advice about other legal issues such as, sexual harassment, victims of crime compensation, divorce and restraint orders. If we don't have the answer, we will provide a referral someone who can help.

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phone 1800 682 468
www.womenslegaltas.org.au

We empower women to take control over their own lives by providing holistic, client-centred legal services.

Services We Offer

- Legal advice
- Financial Counselling
- Temporary visa support
- Social workers
- Warm referrals
- Information and education
- Domestic Violence Units in Launceston and Burnie

Family Violence

"Family Violence is when someone uses violence, threats, force or intimidation against their current or former spouse or partner."

Planning to leave a violence relationship, and following through can be one of the most dangerous times for a victim/survivor of family violence. It is crucial women are well supported and resourced during this time.

Women who flee family violence face dealing with a combination of legal issues:

- Family violence orders
- Parenting disputes
- Child Safety Services
- Ongoing abuse
- Housing issues
- Financial difficulties

What We Do



1800 Telephone Line

Free, confidential legal advice for all Tasmanian women



Community Legal Information

Free information sessions at workplaces and community organisations.



Rule of Thumb

Our podcast, exploring issues women face and how to identify and intervene in family violence situations



Outreach

Lawyers in the community, available to give advice and support when it is needed



Case work

Representation from start to finish in your legal matter

Contact Us

9am - 5pm weekdays

Hearing or speech difficulty? Contact us through the Australian Communication Exchange's National Relay Service. Telephone **132 544** and ask for **1800 682 468**

Speak in another language? We can arrange an interpreter for you, just let us know.

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