WHAT WE DO

We can help you with different areas of law like:

Child Protection

- If welfare take your kids from your care
- If welfare come to your house and start asking questions
- If you are worried about children in someone else's care

Family Law

- If someone takes your kids away from you
- If you want to spend time with your kids or someone else is asking to spend time with your kids
- If you're worried about kids in someone else's care
- If you want help with a divorce
- If you need help splitting up your property or debts with your ex-partner

Intervention Orders

- If you don't feel safe and want an intervention order to protect you
- If you want to change an intervention order •
- If you don't want an intervention anymore

Victims of Crime

 If you have been hurt by someone else, we might be able to help you get some compensation Port Augusta 26 Jervois St Port Augusta SA 5700 E: portaugusta@fvlsac.org.au Ph: 08 8641 2195 Toll Free: 1800 111 052

> Port Lincoln 89 Liverpool St Port Lincoln SA 5606 E: portlincoln@fvlsac.org.au Ph: 08 8683 1896 Toll Free: 1800 309 912

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Family Violence Legal Service Aboriginal Corporation (SA)

WHO WE ARE

SUPPORT AND LEGAL HELP FOR ABORIGINAL FAMILIES

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WHO WE ARE

FVLSAC gives legal help and support to victim survivors of family violence and sexual assault. We are an Aboriginal community controlled organisation.

FVLSAC also runs programs in the community. The programs help the community to understand legal options and how to stay safe from family violence.

We are a free service and it will not cost you anything to get help from us. What you tell us is confidential, which means we won't talk about your information with anyone unless you have told us that it's okay.

We have lawyers and Aboriginal client support officers who you can see at any time.

WHO WE HELP

Our service helps Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, as well as people who care for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children.

We help people who are victim survivors of family violence and sexual assault.

We do not help perpetrators of violence. We will refer them to other services if they ask us for help.

OUR PRIORITIES

To provide a culturally safe service that addresses the family violence needs of Aboriginal families in and around Ceduna, Port Augusta and Port Lincoln.

To promote empowerment by facilitating access to justice for Aboriginal people, always acknowledging intergenerational trauma and celebrating resilience.

WHERE WE HELP

We have 3 offices in:

- Ceduna
- Port Lincoln
- Port Augusta

We help people from other areas as well such as:

- Far West Coast: Koonibba, Oak Valley, Scotdesco and Yalata
- Spencer Gulf: Davenport and Whyalla
- Upper North: Coober Pedy, Leigh Creek, Nepabunna Community, Oodnadatta and the APY Lands

We can see you at one of our offices, meet over a video call or we can speak to you on the phone. We can sometimes meet you in community, at other services or at your home.



HOW WE CAN HELP

We can:

- Talk with you about how the law can help you
- Give you legal advice
- Go to court for you
- Write letters to other people or other services
- Help you get in touch with other services who can help you
- Refer you to other legal services if we can't help you

We also have Aboriginal client support officers who can help with different things like:

- Talk with you about how you feel
- Help you figure out what you need
- Going to meetings with you for support
- Help you deal with police if you want to make a report
- Support you to go to Court hearings
- Get you in touch with other services for counselling
- Making sure our service is a culturally safe place for you

PROGRAMS

Sista 2 Sista

A program that celebrates the strength and resilience of Aboriginal women. Sista 2 Sista Days offer a safe space for women to share about family violence issues and connect with services as well as finding out about legal options. And you get to be pampered!

Love Colours

A program for women to learn more about love and safety in relationships, created in consultation with Ceduna and surrounding communities.

Through Young Black Eyes

Workshops with younger children about personal safety based on the SNAICC program.