

# RIGHTS EDUCATION TO HELP PEOPLE AVOID LEGAL PROBLEMS IS AT RISK

**GUARANTEE ONGOING FUNDING FOR  
COMMUNITY LEGAL CENTRES BY  
DECEMBER 2024.**

**Community legal centres are in a  
funding and workforce crisis.**

**People can avoid legal trouble when they can access community legal  
education from their community legal centre.**

But chronic underfunding and funding insecurity have plunged community legal centres into crisis. With less than a year's funding left, centres are now in the most uncertain position they've ever faced in the past decade.



It's already too late to prevent the crisis. **It's not too late to prevent total catastrophe, but the countdown is on.**

**We need \$35 million this year** to address the workforce crisis facing community legal centres.

**We need at least \$270 million per year** for community legal centres from 1 July 2025, committed by December 2024.

**We need an extra \$95 million** for frontline domestic and family violence work.