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Legal advice to help you find the right solution

THE Seniors Legal and Support Service at Cairns Community Legal Centre offers free legal advice for senior citizens who are faced with difficult decisions.

Consider the dilemma faced by John in this scenario: John is 76 and lives by himself in his own home. Recently he had a fall and ended up in hospital. Even though he is back at home he is no longer able to care for himself as well as he used to, prompting his three children to offer their own solutions.

John is considering the following options: selling his home and living on his son's property in a granny flat built with his own money, moving into residential aged care, or having one of his daughters stay with him as his carer. Before making a decision it is important John seeks independent legal advice to weigh up his options and make a decision that is in his own best interests.

If you, like John, are considering making changes in your life, the Seniors Legal and Support Service can assist you with free legal advice and social work support. Ph: 40317688.



If you are weighing up your options, contact Cairns Community Legal Centre for the right advice.