

Legal clinic free

FREE legal advice on estates is available in early April for Central Queensland residents.

Central Queensland Community Legal Centre is offering an Estate Clinic on Thursday at its Rockhampton office.

Residents who book an appointment will receive a half-an-hour consultation on matters relating to estates, with discussion topics including probate, estate administration, letters of administration on intestacy, administering a deceased estate, contesting a will, and acting as executors, administrators or trustees.

CQCLC chief executive and principal solicitor Fay Tzioutzias said the service was provided to ensure all community members had access to professional legal advice.

"We are pleased to be able to support Central Queenslanders and the feedback we've had suggests these will be sought-after and valued by residents," Ms Tzioutzias said.

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She said the clinic, hosted by John Siganto from Grant and Simpson, was being held in addition to the service's regular generalist legal advice clinic.

The generalist legal advice clinic is held on Thursdays between 5.30pm and 7.30pm at the CQCLC office by appointment.

"It is important for residents to know that we can provide advice on a wide range of estate matters, but we do not do wills or conduct estate planning as we recognise there are other services offering this valuable service in CQ," Ms Tzioutzias said.

Due to limited availability,



HELP OFFERED: CQ Community Legal Centre's Flora Wellington of My Will and CQCLC president Lauren Farrelly of Rees Jones, with Supreme Court Justice Duncan McMeekin and CQCL principal solicitor Fay Tzioutzias.

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appointments are offered by booking only. The CQCLC is an independent, community-based, non-profit organisation which provides legal help and

advocacy for a range of people and groups in the community, especially those who are on low incomes or who would otherwise be disadvantaged.