

Queensland's legal investment model

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2024-25 Federal Budget

National Legal Assistance Partnership

Payments (\$m)

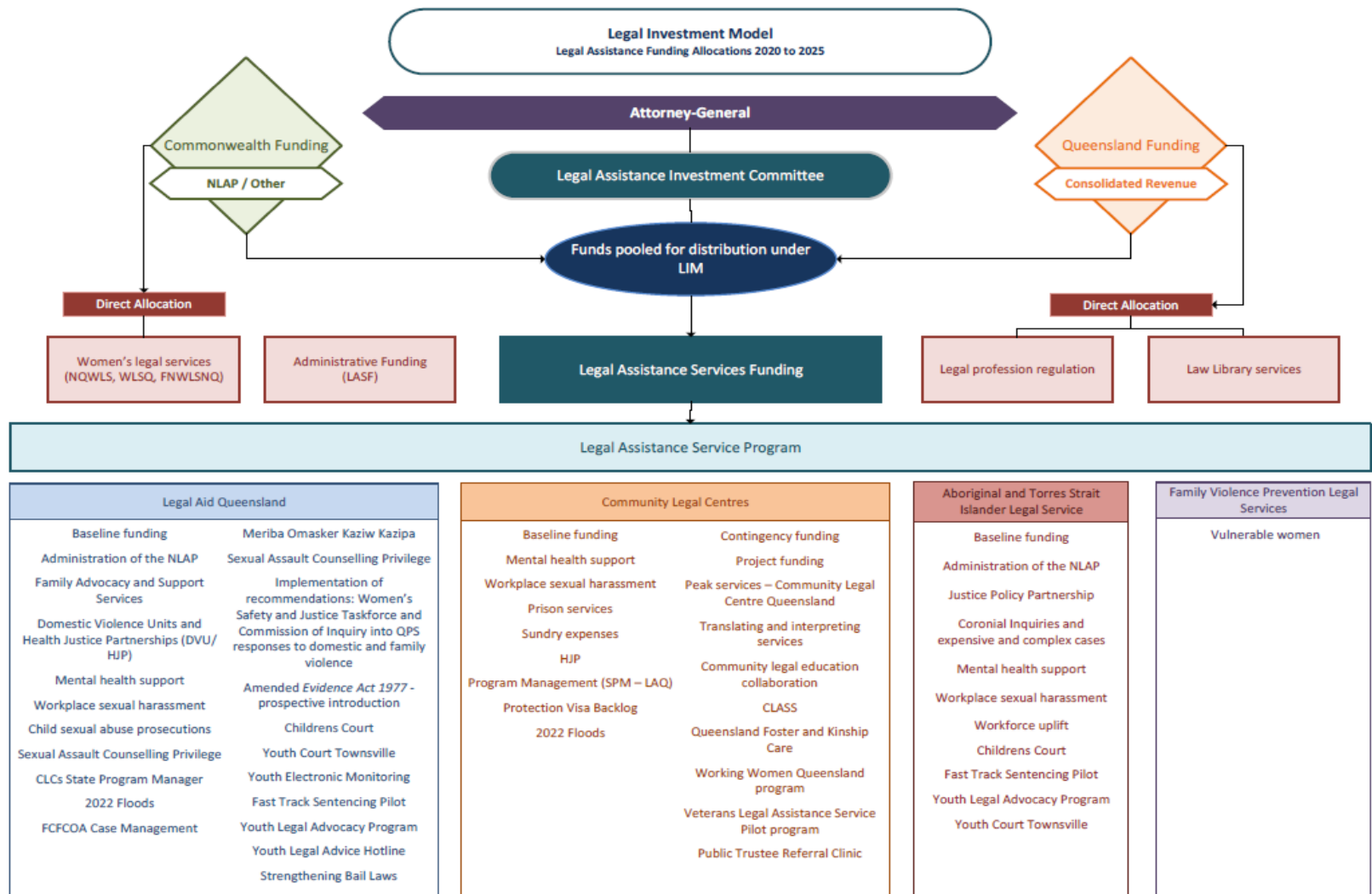
	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28
Department of the Treasury	-	35.5	-	-	-
National Indigenous Australians Agency	-	8.6	-	-	-
Total – Payments	-	44.1	-	-	-

The Government will provide additional funding of \$44.1 million in 2024-25 to support the National Legal Assistance Partnership and Family Violence Prevention Legal Services, including one-year indexation supplementation to the funding for Legal Aid Commissions, Community Legal Centres and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Legal Services, and additional funding to reduce community legal sector pay disparity.

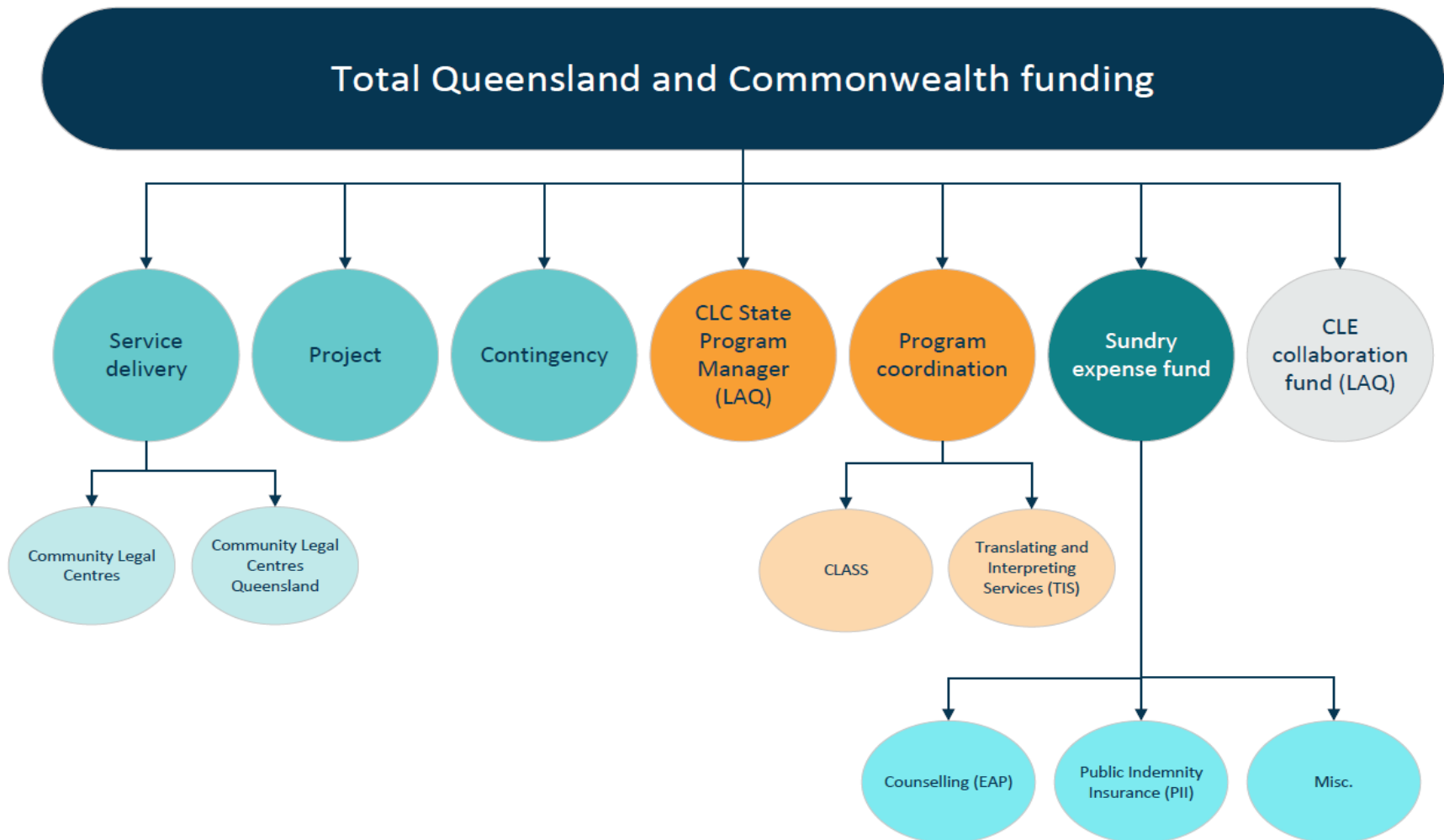
The Treasury manages Commonwealth payments to the states and territories.

This measure supports the implementation of the *National Plan to End Violence Against Women and Children 2022-32*.

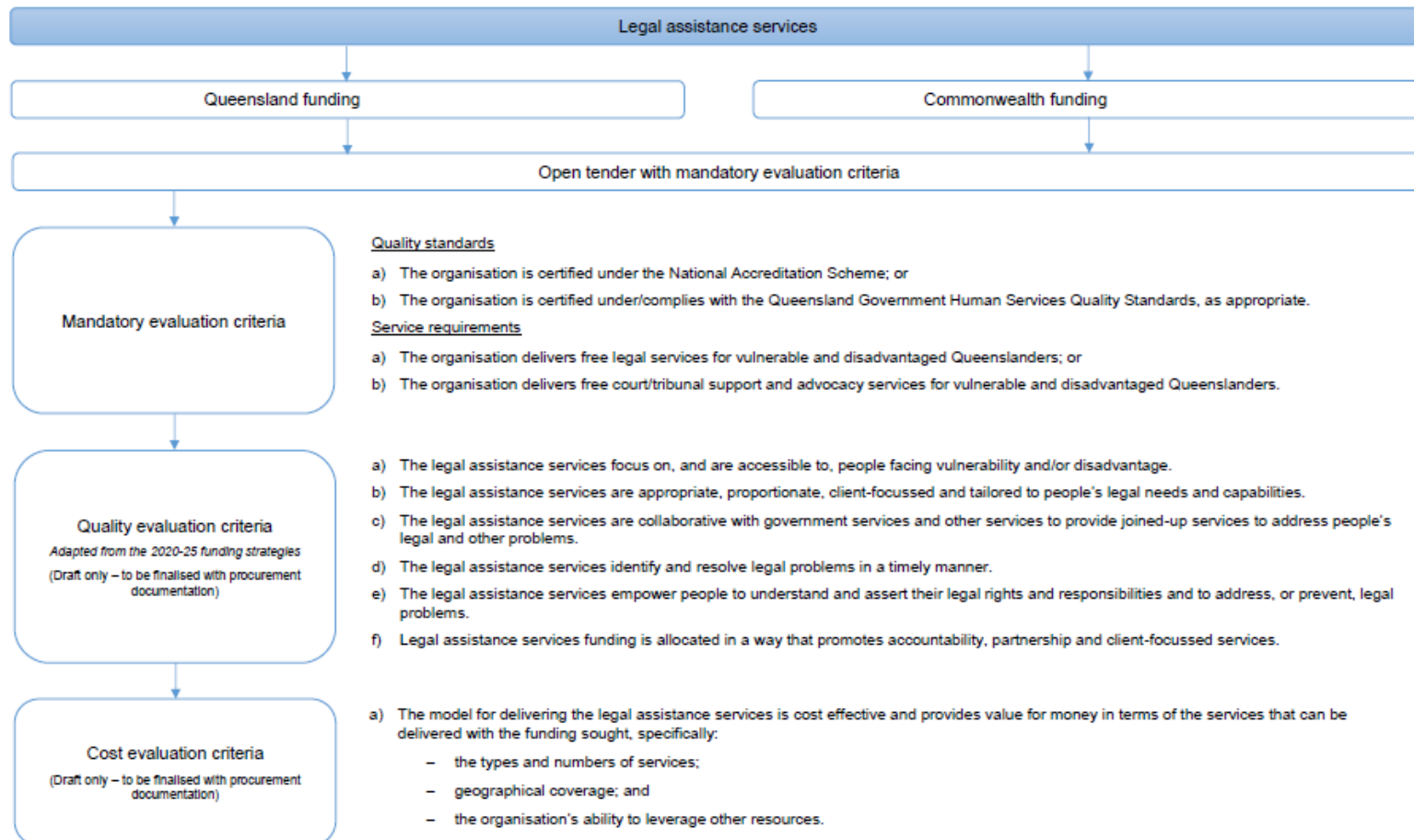
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2020-25 funding breakdown



2020-25 service delivery funding



2020-25 Project funding

Year	Organisation	Project	Amount (\$)
2020-22	CLCQ	Intake and triage project	210,000
2021-25	<i>*funding set aside</i>	Projects related to regional collaborative service planning	150,000
2021-22	CLCQ	Leadership and governance training	116,000
2021-22	CLCQ	First Nations Sector Framework	150,000
2021-22	Townsville Community Law	Disaster legal assistance pilot model	150,000
2021-22	CLCQ	Regional collaborative service planning	35,000
2022-23	<i>*funding set aside</i>	Projects related to First Nations Sector Framework	280,000

2020-25 Project funding

Year	Organisation	Project	Amount (\$)
2023-25	CLCQ	Support proposed transition from CLASS	245,000
2023-25	<i>*Grants process currently open</i>	Digital Capacity Grant Program	588,000
2023-25	CLCQ	Wunya	50,000



2020-25 Contingency funding

Year	Organisation	Initiative	Amount (\$)
2020-21	RAILS	Address increased demand of recently released community detainees	39,765
2020-21	BRQ	Centrelink outreach in RRR areas	63,670
2020-21	RAILS	Assist asylum seekers and refugees (arrived by boat)	237,939
2020-21	TASC	Homeless legal assistance	125,000
2021-22	CQCLC	Office fit out	18,194
2021-22	RAILS	Afghanistan crisis	70,336

2020-25 Contingency funding

Year	Organisation	Initiative	Amount (\$)
2021-22	Encircle	Response to February 2022 floods	40,211
2021-22	HUB Community Legal	Response to February 2022 floods	55,000
2021-22	LawRight	Response to February 2022 floods	42,500
2021-22	Tenants Queensland	Response to February 2022 floods	42,753
2022-23	CLCQ	Workforce Wellbeing Strategy	219,000

2025-30



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