

Mango Madness

will soon be upon us!

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It pains me to say that the dreaded “build-up” and all of that unwanted behavioural baggage that accompanies it for so many Top Enders, is due to start in just a few short weeks. However, it may be timely to remind practitioners about the free LawCare counselling service that is available to all members of the Law Society and their immediate family when times become a bit fraught.

LawCare Counselling Service

The Law Society recognises that lawyers (like employees in several other professions) often work under enormous pressure, so it has been a priority of our Member Services Committee to make a LawCare counselling program available to its members.

The counselling service, provided through Employee Assistance Service Australia (EASA), is confidential, free and available to Law Society members and their immediate family.

If you are experiencing workplace, personal or emotional issues which are affecting your work or personal life, please call LawCare via the Employee Assistance Program on 1800 193 123 to make an appointment.

When booking an appointment, please tell the operator you are a Law Society member, and take your current membership card to your appointment.

This service is completely confidential. The Law Society will only receive general statistics on the number of practitioners accessing the service.

The EASA Employee Assistance Programme main features are:

- Problem resolution
- Totally confidential
- Always voluntary
- Professional and experienced counsellors
- Available in Darwin and NT regional centres
- Female and male counsellors usually available
- After hours appointments available in most centres
- After hours emergency service
- Toll free number

If you need someone to talk to regarding:

- Work Related Difficulties
- Relationship and Family Issues
- Stress Management
- Anxiety and Depression
- Grief
- Alcohol and Other Drug Issues
- Interpersonal Conflict
- Vocational Issues

EASA provides counselling services Territory wide and may be contacted at:

Darwin Head Office

Level 2, Highway Arcade
47 Stuart Highway,
Stuart Park NT 0820

GPO Box 1031
Darwin NT 0801

P: (08) 8941 1752

F: (08) 89410746

E: esasdarwin@easa.org.au

Alice Springs

Level 1 Eurilpa House,
25 Todd Mall
Alice Springs NT 0870

P: (08) 8953 4225

E: esaaalicesprings@easa.org.au

Katherine

Katherine District Hospital
Building L
Katherine NT 0850

P: (08) 8941 1752

E: esakatherine@easa.org.au

Visiting Service

Jabiru, NT

Phone Service

Nhulunbuy, NT

Toll Free:

1800 193 123 (NT only)

www.easa.org.au

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Announcing New Benefits for Law Society Members

The Law Society is pleased to announce the introduction of two new benefits for all of its existing and new members to help them meet their CPD obligations.

Member Benefit #1:

Free CPD point

Starting today, all Law Society members can choose any online CPD module worth 1 CPD point for free by signing up on the LawCPD website by 31 October 2010.

After the 31 October 2010 deadline, the Free CPD point will only be available to new members.

To claim your free CPD point, follow these steps:

1. Go to www.LawCPD.com.au/ Free before 31 October 2010.
2. Choose any module worth 1 CPD point
3. Click "Purchase" then follow the steps until you reach the "Checkout"
4. Under Payment Method select "Pay using Reward Points"
5. You can then access and complete your free module to earn 1 CPD point.

Member Benefit #2:

Ongoing 15% Discount

As a Law Society member you automatically qualify for an ongoing 15% discount on all LawCPD

modules.

To receive your member discount, enter the following discount code at the checkout every time you make a purchase: **LSNT**

Remember you can use the same discount code with every purchase you make on the LawCPD website.

LawCPD

These new member benefits are made available by LawCPD, a leader in online CPD courses for lawyers in Australia.

LawCPD gives lawyers the opportunity to complete their mandatory CPD obligations by completing online CPD modules.

Online CPD

Because all LawCPD modules are online you can access them anywhere, anytime. On your computer from the comfort of your home, or in your office, or anywhere else you have internet access – even from your smartphone.

You can work at your own pace. Complete your module in one sitting or in several stages – whatever suits you best.

Wide Range of CPD modules

LawCPD offers a range of online CPD modules which are engaging,

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All of LawCPD's modules are authored by highly qualified legal professionals, with new modules added regularly.

Each module contains special features including links to cases and legislation (where relevant) and reference material to download, print and keep for future use.

See the advertisement below for contact details if you need more information. ●

FREE CPD Point



Remember to sign up before 31 October 2010 to make sure you don't miss out on claiming your free online CPD module.

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enquiries@LawCPD.com.au

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