

# Family Advocacy and Support Service (FASS)



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## Victoria (Vic)

The Family Advocacy and Support Service (FASS) provide support and legal help if you are affected by domestic and family violence and have a family law issue. We can help you if:

- you have experienced domestic and family violence or,
- someone says you have used violence.

If you are worried about your safety at court or about going to court please talk to us before your court date.

Our lawyers can assist with:	Our support workers can:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Arrangements for children</li><li>• Family Violence Intervention Orders</li><li>• Property after separation</li><li>• Divorce</li><li>• Child Support</li><li>• Child protection</li><li>• Applying for legal aid</li><li>• Some urgent court matters</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Help you plan for your safety</li><li>• Talk to the Family Courts about your safety at court</li><li>• Give you information and support during your family law case</li><li>• Help with practical problems like Centrelink and housing</li><li>• Advocate for you with services like police</li><li>• Connect you with men's behaviour change programs or other services</li></ul>

### How do I get help?

You can see a lawyer or support worker by going to these Family Courts:

**Melbourne Family Courts**  
305 William Street, Melbourne

**Dandenong Family Courts**  
53-55 Robinson Street, Dandenong

Our lawyer and support worker are there Monday to Friday.

You don't need an appointment.

For more information, call **1300 792 387** or visit the [Victoria Legal Aid website](http://www.vic.gov.au/legal-aid).

