

# ASSETS FOR CARE: PREVENTING SENIORS FROM FINANCIAL ABUSE

As the population ages, more and more seniors become reliant on their families for a little extra support and care. In many instances the accumulated assets of the older person are provided to the family in exchange for care and accommodation.

This arrangement may work well for some, but it comes with a significant financial risk for the older person.

The Centre for Rural Regional Law and Justice at Deakin University in partnership with Seniors Rights Victoria invites you to participate in a free rural law seminar discussing Assets for Care arrangements.

Content includes:

- How to detect financial abuse.
- Protective and remedial action available to older Victorians.
- The role of lawyers in advising clients seeking advice on this topic.

Lawyers, financial advisers and community organisations working with senior Victorians are particularly encouraged to attend.

This seminar will be video conferenced to 10 locations across rural and regional Victoria.

Presenter: Elizabeth Samra, Principal Solicitor, Senior Rights Victoria

For the past five years Elizabeth has been employed as a solicitor with Seniors Rights Victoria, focusing on assisting older Victorians who are experiencing or may be at risk of experiencing Elder Abuse. Prior to entering the community sector Elizabeth was employed as a solicitor in private practice.

Questions will be welcome from all sites during the forum and we encourage you to let us know in advance if you have a specific question you would like to ask. Please email to [crrlj@deakin.edu.au](mailto:crrlj@deakin.edu.au).

**Bookings are essential.**

**[Register online](#) or visit our website for further information.**



**When:** Wednesday 9 October 2013 from 10:30 - 12:00 pm.

**Where:** Ballarat, Bairnsdale, Bendigo, Geelong, Horsham, Morwell, Portland, Swan Hill, Shepparton and Warrnambool.

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