

Kingsford Legal Centre Outreach Project

Kingsford Legal Centre (KLC) provides **FREE** legal advice to people who live, work or study in the Randwick and Botany local government areas.

If you want to make an appointment to see a solicitor, please contact us on 9385 9566.

Kingsford Legal Centre provides an Outreach Service at the Junction Neighbourhood Centre each Thursday evening from 5.30-7.30pm.

Following is a statistical summary of KLC's Outreach Service to the JNC for the year ending 2009.

Summary Of Statistics

There were 356 clients of which 277 were new clients and 79 repeat clients. They received 388 advices at the Junction in 2009 an average of 7.5 advices a week.

Low income clients total 57% with more medium (31%) and high income (3%) clients visiting the Junction than SENC (South East Neighbourhood Centre) and KLC proper, however this might be due in part to the fortnightly employment clinic.

Client gender was split 50/50. ATSI access is at 4%.

The percentage of DOH clients at the Junction is lower than at SENC. Employment is by far the main area of law at 23% followed by Credit & Debt, Road Traffic Offences and Neighbour disputes.

Country of Birth of clients closely shadows KLC's main premises with Australian born, followed by China, Hong Kong and England.

Over 70% of clients attending The Junction Outreach come from suburbs to the south of the UNSW. Including: Maroubra 14%; Randwick 11%; Kingsford 9%; Kensington 7.5%; Eastlakes 5%.

Problem Type	No. Of Advices
Employment	23%
Credit & Debt	10.5%
Road Traffic & Motor Vehicle Regulatory Offences	10%
Motor Vehicle Accidents	8.5%
Neighbourhood Disputes	8%
Consumer	7.5%
Other Civil	5%
Criminal	4%
Fines	4%
Violence and Restraining Orders (non-DV)	4%
Wills, probate, guardianship, PA	3.5%
Tenancy	3%
Injuries Compensation	2.5%
Domestic Violence	1%
Govt Pensions/Allowances	1%
Strata/Body Corporate	0.95%
Discrimination	0.9%
Police Complaints	0.9%
Govt Complaints	0.7%
Family law	0.25%
FOI	0.2%

Client Age	% of Clients
<18	1%
18-34	32%
35-49	31%
50-64	23%
65 & over	11%

Country of Birth	No. Of Clients
Australia	159 (41%)
China	19 (5%)
Hong Kong	13 (3.3%)
England	12 (3.1%)
Russian Federation	11 (2.8%)
Chile	10 (2.5%)
New Zealand	9 (2.3%)
Bangladesh, India, Indonesia,	7 (1.8% each)

Housing Type	No. of Advices
Own	27%
Private Rent	27%
DOH	12%
Board	9%
Not specified	7%
Other	6%