Our Financial Independence Program



Our Financial Independence Program supports existing clients to take more control of your finances. We help you develop decision-making capability according to your individual needs and circumstances.



Your money

We will work with you and your support people to understand what's important to you and what your financial goals are. Your financial goals might be to:

- · understand your money
- · pay some of your bills yourself
- · take part in managing your money
- · manage your money without our help



Develop a plan

We will work with you and your support people to develop a plan for how you can reach these goals, and connect you to other organisations that will help you build your financial understanding and confidence as you take on more responsibility.

An important part of the plan will be how we can help you in a way that suits you. We will talk to you about how you like to learn. For example, you may learn best:

- · one-on-one
- · in a group course
- online



Look to the future

We will work with you to get the help you need now and make sure you know how to get help in the future. With our support, you may be able to start taking control of your finances including:

- · paying for expenses like bills, rent and food
- managing the rest of your income the money that is left after you've taken out your expenses.

If we agree that you're ready to be financially independent, and don't need our help anymore, we will help you to apply to the Victorian Civil and Administrative Tribunal (VCAT).





Talk to us about how we can protect and support you, a loved one or a client you support at all stages of life.

Call Us



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