

<p>Community Education</p>	<p>Where is FC(Vic)?</p>	<p>F.C.(Vic) Inc.</p> <hr/> <p>ABN 19 722 312 658 Reg. No. A0017898F</p> <p>Financial Counselling (Vic) Inc.</p> <p>Phone: 9585 1955 www.financial-counselling.org.au</p>
<p>FC(Vic) has a commitment to the prevention of financial and credit-related problems.</p> <p>We believe that informed and aware consumers:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • are better able to prevent problems arising <p><i>and, if problems do arise</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • are better able to resolve them satisfactorily. <p>FC(Vic) workers are available to conduct workshops or give talks to interested community groups on a range of relevant issues. Please ring us and discuss your requirements.</p>	<p>We are at Suite 1A, 147 Centre Dandenong Road Cheltenham.</p> <p>(North west corner Warrigal Road and Centre Dandenong Road).</p> <p>-----</p> <p>CHELSEA BRANCH</p> <p>1 Chelsea Rd., CHELSEA</p> <p>Ring for appointment: 9581 4863</p> <div data-bbox="786 858 1402 1425" style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 10px; margin: 10px auto; width: fit-content;"> <p>Phone: 9585 1955 Fax: 9585 1966 E-Mail: admin@financial-counselling.org.au www.financial-counselling.org.au</p> <p>Please ring first</p> <p>To avoid inconvenience, and to save time, we ask that you make contact with us by phone. If the matter cannot be dealt with over the phone, a mutually convenient appointment will be arranged.</p> </div>	

What is FC(Vic) ?	How can FC(Vic) help you?	Referrals
<p>FC (Vic) Inc. is a free and confidential community-based financial counselling (debt crisis) service in the Southern region.</p> <p>Funded by the Department of Human Services (State Government), we aim to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide a regional information, advice, referral and advocacy service for individuals and families experiencing financial or credit-related problems; • Educate and inform members of the community about their rights and responsibilities, with an emphasis on empowering people who are adversely affected by inequalities within our social and economic systems; • Work cooperatively with our consumers and other relevant groups on the identification of broader social, economic and policy issues and the development of strategies to address them. 	<p>FC(Vic) can provide you with information and advocacy on a range of debt and credit-related topics, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • renegotiation of debt • debt recovery procedures • sexually transmitted debt (STD) • gambling associated debt • finance contracts • guarantor issues • bankruptcy and its implications • insurance and superannuation <p>People speaking a language other than English are encouraged to make use of the service. Interpreter for any language will be provided.</p> <div style="border: 2px solid black; padding: 10px; margin-top: 20px;"> <p style="text-align: center;">Our service is free and confidential, available to residents of the ...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City of Stonnington (Malvern) • City of Glen Eira • City of Kingston • City of Bayside </div>	<p>FC(Vic) is unable to provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • legal advice • investment advice • help with financial planning • help with tax returns • material aid or emergency relief <p>However, we may be able to refer you to another community service or government department that can. Please ring us and discuss your situation.</p>