

JOURNALS AND STATISTICS

Here's some useful resources and places you may go to find information or important statistics.

Alternative Law Journal

The Alternative Law Journal is a bi-monthly, national journal. The producers of this journal have sorted through back issues and arranged relevant articles into subject kits as resources for students. Issues covered include family law, domestic violence, sex discrimination, workplace legislation, and many more. These kits cost between \$5-\$9. The website provides up to date information on the current topics available. The topics available at the moment include domestic violence, sex discrimination, rape, access to justice, Human Rights, Family Law and workplace legislation.

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Issues in Society (formerly known as Issues for the 90's)

This publication is produced by The Spinney Press Educational Publishers and covers a wide range of topics. Topics range from changing roles in the family, a violent society, gender and discrimination, gender roles and violence in the family. The sources used for the book include newspaper reports and features, general interest magazine articles, government surveys and statistics, journal and book extracts, internet website material, lobby group literature, cartoons, illustrations and poetry. A wide variety of opinions are also expressed. A new addition is an expanded further resources directory, which includes a comprehensive list of organisations worth contacting for further information. This includes a greater selection of government and commercial bodies, industry and private lobby groups which will be of use for further research on the topic. These books can be accessed in libraries or you can contact the publisher direct. The cost of the publication is \$14.95.

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Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)

The ABS publishes a wide range of statistics and other information on Australia's economic and social conditions. Publications include the Australian Women's Yearbook, Women in Australia and Women in NSW. The statistics in these publications cover topics such as population, families, housing, crime and justice, health, education, work, income and leisure. These are available from ABS bookshops. A wide range of information is also available via the Internet. A selection of ABS publications can be accessed at local and tertiary libraries.

Information: 02 9268 4611
Fax: 02 9268 4668
TTY: 02 9268 4422
Bookshop Sales: 02 9268 4620
Internet: <http://www.abs.gov.au>
Opening Hours: Mon-Fri
9.00am-5.00pm

NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research

The Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research conducts research concerning trends in crime in NSW and undertakes special monitoring programs to analyse the impact of new crime prevention or criminal justice policies and programs. A list of publications is available from:

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