



Job title:	Senior Solicitor
Reporting to:	Principal Solicitor & Operations Manager
Salary:	Commensurate with experience
Hours:	Full-time (or as otherwise negotiated)
Location:	Remote ¹
Closing Date:	Closed upon finding a suitable applicant

Overview:

Connect Family Law is a dynamic and client-focused family law practice seeking an experienced Family Law Solicitor to join our team. The successful candidate will have a minimum of 5 years post-admission experience in family law, demonstrating extensive knowledge and proficiency in managing a wide range of family law matters, including separation, divorce, child disputes, and property disputes.

Responsibilities and Duties

- Provide expert legal advice and representation to clients in a broad spectrum of family law matters.
- Prepare and manage all aspects of family law cases, from initial consultation to resolution.
- Negotiate settlements effectively on behalf of clients.
- Represent clients in court hearings, mediations, and other legal proceedings.
- Stay updated with current laws and regulations related to family law in Victoria and Australia.
- Collaborate with our team to ensure the best outcomes for clients.
- Mentor junior solicitors and contribute to the development of the practice.

¹ Travel may be required for operational reasons (e.g. attendance at regional sittings of the Court)





Academic qualifications

Essential qualifications

- A bachelor's degree in law, and
- a current practising certificate in Victoria (or the ability to obtain one).

Work experience and skills

Essential experience

- Minimum five (5) years post-admission experience in family law,
- A strong understanding of the family law system in Australia,
- Commitment to ongoing professional development,
- Excellent negotiation, communication, and interpersonal skills,
- Ability to manage a high-volume caseload with attention to detail and deadlines,
- Demonstrated commitment to ethical legal practice and client confidentiality.

Relationships

Details of relationships relevant to this role

- This position reports directly to the principal solicitor on legal matters.
- Regarding business, human resources and administration matters, this position reports to the Operations Manager.

Application:

Interested candidates are invited to submit a cover letter, resume, and any relevant certifications to our recruitment team via email at admin@connectfamily.com.au. Please include "Family Law Solicitor Application" in the subject line.

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