

Dear ACL LAG Member

We have received the notification below from the LAA that the Eligibility Calculator will no longer work for the reasons given and draw this to your attention.

Kind regards

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**From:** Workman, Mark (LAA) **On Behalf Of** Communications Department (LAA)

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**Subject:** Removal of civil legal aid calculator

Dear All

We are withdrawing the civil legal aid calculator tool which providers have used to check client financial eligibility for legal aid.

The calculator is a legacy tool which can no longer be updated when there are eligibility changes. Alternative resources for providers are available on our GOV.UK means testing page. The legal aid checker which clients use themselves for eligibility checks remains on GOV.UK.

A news story about the withdrawal of the tool has been published on GOV.UK:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/civil-news-removal-of-eligibility-calculator-tool>

Anyone attempting to use the URL for the calculator will see suitable signposting links and explanatory text.

Best wishes

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