

Get your super questions answered on SUPERFRIDAY

These are uncertain times for the Australian superannuation industry. With the various reviews and tinkering of the system, the average Australian worker can be forgiven for feeling confused.

This is your chance to get your super questions answered. The NT Discussion Group of the Association of Superannuation Funds of Australia (ASFA) will be hosting SUPERFRIDAY on Friday 30 April, at Raintree Park in the Darwin Mall from 10am to 2pm. Representatives from a number of super funds, ASIC and Centrelink will be available to provide information and assist fund members with various super issues.

“SUPERFRIDAY is a great opportunity for super fund members and the general public to come and ask questions and to find out about things such as how to rollover their super, the co-contribution scheme, salary sacrifice, lost super, change of beneficiary, and how to consolidate their superannuation.” said Pauline Vamos, CEO of the Association of Superannuation Funds of Australia (ASFA).

“There are many people who want to become more informed and engaged with their super but are not sure where to start or even what questions to ask. The decisions that a person makes about their super will have a significant impact on retirement income. Come and see the SUPERFRIDAY team to find out.”

This is the third year in a row that the NT Discussion Group has hosted a Super Day. Superannuation funds and organisations who will be taking part in SUPERFRIDAY are:

1. Northern Territory Government Superannuation Office
2. AGEST
3. REST Superannuation
4. AustralianSuper
5. HESTA
6. Local Super
7. ASIC – Australian Securities and Investment Commission
8. Centrelink

REST Superannuation’s Client Services Manager for Northern Australia and Chair of the NT Discussion Group, Varenya Mohan-Ram said that “These events are all about funds being accessible to their members. As we are still recovering from the impact of the global financial crisis, the super funds taking part know it is important to be available and to answer the many questions our members have.”

Please be aware that the representatives of the superannuation funds can only provide general information and cannot provide personal financial advice. Members of the public are urged to seek help from a financial advisor to assess their personal circumstances.

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The Association of Superannuation Funds of Australia (ASFA) is the peak industry body for the entire superannuation sector. It is the only industry body that represents all types of superannuation funds, service providers and fund members.

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