

# **Hospital Fees Class Action Notice**

If you have signed a document in a Hospital in New South Wales on or after 4 March 2011, guaranteeing the payment of medical fees for a patient who is **not** eligible for Medicare benefits, then you are a class/group member of proceedings in the Supreme Court of NSW (Fernandez v State of NSW 2018/00263134).

The Plaintiffs in the proceedings claim that guarantees signed by class members were invalid, and that class members are entitled to a refund of any monies paid by them.

You will be bound by the Court's decision in these proceedings unless you take steps to Opt-out by completing an Opt-out Notice. For further information and a copy of the Opt-out Notice go to [www.legalaid.nsw.gov.au](http://www.legalaid.nsw.gov.au)