# **Problem at home?**

We can signpost you to help and support for issues outside your working life

Problems at home can impact on your working life, wherever you work across the **civil service**, public sector or private sector, particularly in terms of stress, domestic violence or financial worries.

Our reps can signpost you to a range of confidential, free and supportive organisations. We also have a range of free helplines for members to use.

Find your local rep on PCS Digital.

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## Personal and domestic legal helpline

Call free on 0800 916 9066 for legal advice on a range of issues, excluding employment or personal injury. You can call 9am to 5.30pm, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. We offer a range of services for you and your spouse, partner and dependent children can also use the helpline.

# **Personal Injury Helpline**

PCS members can call the PCS Personal Injury Helpline to enquire about the possibility of making a claim. The line is run by Thompsons Solicitors. The number is 0800 328 3255. You can call on Monday to Friday between 8 am to 8 pm and Saturday 9am to 5 pm.

## Financial advice

You are entitled to a no obligation complimentary consultation with <u>Lighthouse</u> <u>Financial Advice</u>. To arrange your initial consultation contact appointments@lighthousefa.co.uk or phone 08000 858 590.

#### Free debt advice

You are entitled to free confidential advice on debt from PayPlan. PayPlan offers comprehensive guidance on a wide range of practical, long term debt solutions. Contact PayPlan on 0800 716239 and quote PCS or visit the Payplan website.

#### Stress counselling and health advice

The Health Assured telephone helpline 0161 836 9383 is available 24-hours a day, is confidential, independent and provides counselling and emotional support on family issues, bereavement, trauma, back to work and Covid-19 anxiety, relationship issues and stress-related conditions and access to an <u>online health</u> <u>and wellbeing portal</u> which provides well-being resources, including four-week programmes, videos and webinars and access to online counselling. To receive the user name and password email benefits@pcs.org.uk

Breast cancer care 0808 800 6000

Domestic violence 0808 2000 247