



# Unbundled Legal Services

Legal services to fit your needs and budget

[unbundlinglaw.ca](https://unbundlinglaw.ca)

## What is unbundling?

Unbundling means breaking down your legal problem into parts. You and your lawyer decide which parts your lawyer will do and which parts you will handle on your own. You pay only for the work the lawyer does.

## What tasks might my lawyer do?

With unbundling, a lawyer can provide you with a wide range of services including:

- giving legal advice
- preparing documents (drafting specific documents or reviewing your draft)
- coaching you (for example, guiding you through a mediation or negotiation)
- representing you in a hearing or court application





## **What are the advantages of unbundled legal services?**

### **Expert assistance**

You get professional assistance. You are supported where you need it the most.

### **Affordability**

By completing some tasks yourself, the costs are lower than when a lawyer does everything for you. You can develop a budget and spend your money on the tasks you need the most help with.

The Legal Services Society will pay for your unbundled legal services if you qualify. Visit **[legalaidsociety.bc.ca](https://legalaidsociety.bc.ca)** for more information.

### **You stay involved and in control**

With unbundling, you remain in control of your legal matter. Working as a team, you and your lawyer create a plan designed for your unique situation.

## Is unbundling right for me?

Unbundling works well for many people and many types of legal matters — but not for all. The lawyer is not taking on responsibility for handling your whole case. That remains with you. To be successful takes time, hard work and follow-through.

Take the self-assessment at **[unbundlinglaw.ca](http://unbundlinglaw.ca)** to help you see whether unbundling is a good fit for you and your matter.

## How do I learn more about unbundling, including finding a lawyer who does this work?

Find out more about unbundling at **[unbundlinglaw.ca](http://unbundlinglaw.ca)**. On this site you'll find practical, easy-to-understand information, tips and tools to help you with your choices. Also on the site is a directory of lawyers in British Columbia offering unbundled legal services.

