



## Life in Australia – Australian values

The Australian Government encourages people to gain an understanding of Australia, its people and their way of life, before applying for a visa to live in Australia. As part of this every person aged 18 years or over must declare that they will respect Australian values, as outlined below and obey the laws of Australia.

Australian values include respect for the freedom and dignity of the individual, freedom of religion, commitment to the rule of law, Parliamentary democracy, equality of men and women and a spirit of egalitarianism that embraces mutual respect, tolerance, fair play and compassion for those in need and pursuit of the public good.

Australian society also values equality of opportunity for individuals, regardless of their race, religion or ethnic background.

It is also important to understand that English is the national language.

Further information is contained in the *Life in Australia* booklet, however, you are not required to read the booklet. The booklet is available in a wide range of languages. If you would like a copy of the booklet it can be obtained from [www.immi.gov.au](http://www.immi.gov.au)

## About this application

Important – Please read this information carefully before you complete your application. Once you have completed your application we strongly advise that you keep a copy for your records.

## Who should use this application?

This form should be used by people who wish to apply for temporary residence in Australia for a specified period under one of the (non-business) visa subclasses listed below:

- Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa;
- Exchange (subclass 411) visa;
- Foreign Government Agency (subclass 415) visa;
- Visiting Academic (subclass 419) visa;
- Sport (subclass 421) visa;
- Domestic Worker (subclass 426) visa;
- Domestic Worker (Executive) (subclass 427) visa;
- Religious Worker (subclass 428) visa;
- Special Program (subclass 416) visa;
- Entertainment (subclass 420) visa;
- Medical Practitioner – Temporary (subclass 422) visa;
- Film and Media Staff (subclass 423) visa;
- Occupational Trainee (subclass 442) visa; or
- New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship (subclass 461) visa.

If the visa subclass that you wish to apply for is NOT listed above, you should contact the nearest office of the Department of Immigration and Citizenship (the department) or overseas mission to find out which form you should be using. Alternatively, all the department's forms are available from [www.immi.gov.au/allforms/](http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/)

## Who should be included in this application?

As the primary person you should include your details as well as all family members (secondary persons) who will be accompanying you, intend to join you in Australia, or intend to remain with you if you are already in Australia, except for the:

- New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship (subclass 461) visa – primary persons must be members of the family unit of Special Category (subclass 444) visa holders.
- Domestic Worker (Diplomatic or Consular) (subclass 426) visa – primary persons are not able to bring dependants on this visa.

Family members include your partner, children under 18 years of age AND children and other relatives 18 years or over who are wholly or substantially reliant on you for financial support for their basic needs.

'**Partner**' means your spouse or de facto partner (including a same-sex partner).

People 18 years or over must show that they have been reliant on you for a substantial period and that they are more reliant on you than on any other person or source. A person may also be considered dependent on you if they rely on you for financial support because of a disability.

**Note:** A child of any age who is engaged to be married or who has a partner is not considered dependent.

## Family members joining a temporary resident in Australia

If you are applying as a secondary person (ie. family member), either to join or remain with a temporary resident in Australia, you will need to apply for a visa in the same class and subclass as that held by the temporary resident.

If the subclass of visa requires you to be sponsored, you must show evidence that an organisation or eligible individual in Australia has sponsored you. If you were not included in the temporary resident's nomination you will need to provide a letter from the sponsor confirming that they will accept responsibility for you during your stay in Australia. In cases where a nomination is not required, all applicants must be listed in the invitation or letter of support.

## Integrity of application

The department is committed to maintaining the integrity of the visa and citizenship programs. Please be aware that if you provide us with fraudulent documents or claims, this may result in processing delays and your application being refused.

## Charges

Not all applications attract a charge, but when a prescribed charge is applicable, the application will not be valid unless payment has been received.

Payment of the charge does not guarantee this application will be successful and is generally not refundable.

Fees may be subject to adjustment at any time. Visa Application Charges may be subject to adjustment on 1 July each year.

To check the Visa Application Charge, see form 990i *Charges* available from the department's website

[www.immi.gov.au/allforms/990i.htm](http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/990i.htm) or check with the nearest office of the department.

## Method of payment

### In Australia

To make a payment, please pay by credit card, debit card, bank cheque or money order made payable to the Department of Immigration and Citizenship. Debit card and credit card are the preferred methods of payment.

### Outside Australia

Before making a payment outside Australia, please check with the Australian Government office where you intend to lodge your application as to what methods of payment and currencies they can accept and to whom the payment should be made payable.

## Sponsorship obligations

The sponsor must meet a number of sponsorship obligations in relation to the primary person and any secondary persons. Further information about sponsorship obligations is available from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/skilled/](http://www.immi.gov.au/skilled/)

If your visa application is approved, it will permit you to work or undertake activities for your sponsor in the nominated position, or position in relation to which your visa was granted, for the visa validity period. Should you cease employment or the activities with your sponsor, or if you believe the sponsor is not meeting their sponsorship obligations, you should contact your nearest office of the department.

## Other obligations

The sponsor must also comply with other applicable laws of the Commonwealth, states and territories. If the department believes that the sponsor has breached a law of the Commonwealth, a state or territory, the department may take action to bar the sponsor from accessing further overseas people for the specified period or may result in cancellation of the sponsorship.

Further information about sponsorship obligations is available from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/skilled/sponsor-obligations-list.htm](http://www.immi.gov.au/skilled/sponsor-obligations-list.htm)

## Medical and x-ray examinations

All applicants are required to meet health requirements. Formal health examinations may be requested depending on length of stay, whether an applicant is likely to enter a classroom situation, or is considered to be of 'special significance' in terms of health.

Your health may be of 'special significance' if you:

- are likely to enter a hospital or health care area (including nursing homes) for any purpose;
- intend to work as a doctor, dentist or nurse;
- are likely to be engaged at an Australian preschool-aged child care centre (including preschools or creches), as either an employee or trainee; or
- if there are indications you may not meet the health requirement.

Please enquire about health assessment procedures and forms at the office where you intend to lodge this application. Information on health requirements is available from the department's website

[www.immi.gov.au/allforms/health-requirements/](http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/health-requirements/)

## Health insurance requirements

You are required to hold adequate private medical and hospital health insurance cover for the period you are in Australia. This insurance cover does not have to be held with an Australian insurer – arrangements made in your home country may be assessed as being acceptable. You need to ensure your health insurance cover will provide for medically necessary treatment for the entire period of your stay. Your visa may be cancelled if you do not maintain adequate health insurance cover.

The above may not apply if you are enrolled with Medicare (Australia's national health cover). Information on entitlements to Medicare is available from [www.medicare.gov.au](http://www.medicare.gov.au)

## How to apply

### Step 1 – Sponsorship or letter of invitation

Check the tables on pages 7–10 to determine the subclass of visa you should apply for, and whether your application needs to be supported by a sponsor, nomination or written invitation.

If you are required to be sponsored, your visa application cannot be accepted if your sponsor has not already lodged a sponsor application. The visa application will not be assessed until the sponsor application is decided. We recommend that you lodge your visa application after you receive confirmation that the sponsor and nomination (if required) are approved.

### Step 2 – Nomination

Check the tables on pages 7–10 to determine if the subclass of visa requires nomination.

If it does, you will need to identify the person who has nominated/proposes to nominate you.

In general, we recommend that you lodge your visa application after the nomination has been approved. However, if applying for an Entertainment visa both the nomination and visa application must be lodged together.

### Step 3 – Complete the application

Please use a black or blue pen, and write neatly in English using BLOCK LETTERS.

If you need more space to answer questions or wish to provide additional relevant information, attach a signed and dated sheet giving the required details.

Any alterations made before you lodge the form must be initialled and dated.

You will need to supply 2 recent passport-sized photographs of each person included in your application.

#### Step 4 – Lodging your visa application

To lodge your visa application you must provide the completed application, payment and any attachments if required. Refer to additional documentary requirements on pages 7–10, and at Part M.

Applications for the following visas only:

- **Government Agreement (subclass 406);**
- **Foreign Government Agency (subclass 415);**
- **Domestic Worker (Consular/Diplomatic) (subclass 426);** or
- **Domestic Worker (Executive) (subclass 427);**

may be lodged in person, by a representative or sent by mail or fax. Your application should be lodged at one of the following addresses:

##### **In Australia:**

Street address:

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
3 Lonsdale Street  
BRADDON ACT 2612

Mail address:

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
GPO Box 717  
CANBERRA ACT 2601

Fax: 02 6195 6104

Applications for the following visas:

- **Exchange (subclass 411);**
- **Sport (subclass 421);** or
- **Religious Worker (subclass 428);**

should be lodged at one of the following addresses:

##### **In Australia:**

Street addresses:

Parramatta office

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
9 Wentworth Street  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2150

or

Sydney City Office

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
26 Lee Street  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Mail address:

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
GPO Box 9984  
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Applications for:

- **Visiting Academic (subclass 419)** visas;

should be lodged at one of the following addresses:

##### **In Australia:**

Street address:

Hobart Office  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
188 Collins Street  
HOBART TAS 7000

Mail address:

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
GPO Box 794  
HOBART TAS 7001

Fax: 03 6281 9454

#### **Outside Australia:**

More information on where to lodge an application outside Australia is available from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/contacts/overseas/](http://www.immi.gov.au/contacts/overseas/)

If you want to change any details after you lodge your application, or if you want to withdraw it, please contact the office where you lodged the application.

You should also advise the office if any of the information you gave in your application changes while your application is being considered.

#### **Special instructions**

Please read the instructions below for lodgement details for the following visas:

- **Special Program (subclass 416);**
- **Entertainment (subclass 420);**
- **Medical Practitioner – Temporary (subclass 422);**
- **Media and Film Staff (subclass 423);**
- **Occupational Trainee (subclass 442);** or
- **New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship (subclass 461).**

#### **Special Program (subclass 416) visa only**

All applications are to be lodged at one of the following addresses:

Street address:

Hobart Special Program Processing Centre  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
188 Collins Street  
HOBART TAS 7000

Mail address:

Hobart Special Program Processing Centre  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
GPO Box 794  
HOBART TAS 7001

Fax: 61 3 6281 9579

Pre-lodgement enquiries: [hobart.special.program@immi.gov.au](mailto:hobart.special.program@immi.gov.au)

#### **Entertainment (subclass 420) visa only**

To lodge a valid application, the nomination and visa application must be lodged together. A faxed copy will be sufficient. Sending your application to your sponsor to lodge both applications will result in faster processing of your application. All applications are to be lodged at one of the following addresses:

Street addresses:

Parramatta Office  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
9 Wentworth Street  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2150

or

Sydney City Office

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
Level 2, Gateway House  
26 Lee Street (near Railway Square)  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Mail address:

GPO Box 9984  
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Fax: 61 2 8861 4301

Pre-lodgement enquiries: [entertainment.visas@immi.gov.au](mailto:entertainment.visas@immi.gov.au)

## Medical Practitioner – Temporary (subclass 422) visa only

From 1 July 2010 the Medical Practitioner visa is available only to family members (ie. secondary persons) of existing Medical Practitioner (subclass 422) visa holders who want to join the primary visa holder in Australia.

Primary persons are no longer able to apply for this visa. Primary persons should instead apply for the Business (Long Stay) (subclass 457) visa.

Addresses for Centres of Excellence are available from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/contacts/](http://www.immi.gov.au/contacts/)

## Media and Film Staff (subclass 423) visa only

Your sponsor should lodge the nomination before you lodge your visa application. Your visa application should be lodged along with the current Visa Application Charge and any attachments required.

### In Australia:

All applications are to be lodged at one of the following addresses:

Street addresses:

Parramatta Office  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
9 Wentworth Street  
PARRAMATTA NSW 2150

or

Sydney City Office  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
Level 2, Gateway House  
26 Lee Street (near Railway Square)  
SYDNEY NSW 2000

Mail address:

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
GPO Box 9984  
SYDNEY NSW 2001

Fax: 02 8861 4301

### Outside Australia:

Information on where to lodge an application outside Australia is available from the department's website

[www.immi.gov.au/contacts/overseas/](http://www.immi.gov.au/contacts/overseas/)

## Occupational Trainee (subclass 442) visa only

Your sponsor should lodge the nomination before or with your visa application. Your visa application should be lodged along with the current Visa Application Charge and any attachments required. You do not need to send your passport with your application. If required you will be advised where you should go to have a visa label placed on your passport.

### In Australia:

All applications are to be lodged at one of the following addresses:

Mail address:

Adelaide Occupational Trainee Processing Centre  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
GPO Box 2399  
ADELAIDE SA 5001

Courier address:

Department of Immigration and Citizenship  
Level 4 (West)  
55 Currie Street  
ADELAIDE SA 5000

Pre-lodgement enquiries: [otv.adelaide@immi.gov.au](mailto:otv.adelaide@immi.gov.au)

### Outside Australia:

Applications for the Occupational Trainee (subclass 442) visa are not able to be accepted by an office of the department that is outside Australia. Applications should be lodged at one of the above addresses.

## New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship (subclass 461) visa only

### In Australia:

Your application should be lodged by post or courier with the NZ Family Relationship Visa Centre. Information on the NZ Family Relationship Visa Centre can be found on the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/contacts](http://www.immi.gov.au/contacts)

### Outside Australia:

Information on where to lodge an application outside Australia is available from the department's website

[www.immi.gov.au/contacts/overseas/](http://www.immi.gov.au/contacts/overseas/)

## What happens after you lodge the visa application?

If sponsorship and/or nomination is a requirement of the subclass of visa, these will need to be decided before your visa application can be assessed. In some cases you may be asked to provide additional information to enable a decision to be made.

You will be advised in writing whether your application has been approved or not.

If your application is refused, you will be given a reason for the decision as well as information about any review rights.

## Applications made by people who are in Australia

If you are applying for a class of visa which may be granted in Australia, this form also serves as an application for any class of Bridging visa (Classes A, C or E) for which you may be eligible to apply. Further explanation is contained in the information form 1024i *Bridging visas* available at all offices of the department in Australia.

If you need to travel overseas temporarily before the application is decided, you should contact the processing office to enquire about a Bridging visa B, to enable you to return to Australia.

If you are seeking to change the work conditions of your existing visa before the application is decided, you should apply on form 1005 *Application for a bridging visa*.

You should lodge the form at the nearest office of the department in the state or territory in which you are at the time of application (if you are in NSW, you may lodge your application in the ACT if it is closer to where you live).

This application will not be valid if you are a holder of a criminal justice entry visa, or if you are a detainee who has not made an application within the prescribed time limits, or if you are a holder of a visa subject to a condition preventing the grant of a substantive visa while you remain in Australia.

## Residential address

You must provide the address of where you intend to live during the period that your application is being considered. Failure to give your residential address will result in this application being invalid. A post office box address will not be accepted as your residential address.

## Passport information

Most visa applicants will be required to hold a valid passport before they can be granted a visa. It is strongly recommended that the passport be valid for at least 6 months.

If you change your passport after you have been granted the visa you must notify the nearest Australian mission or office of the department.

**If you do not provide us with the details of any new or additional passport you use to travel to Australia, you may experience significant delays at the airport and may be denied permission to board your plane.**

Do NOT send your passport with your visa application.

Provide with your visa application a certified copy of the page from your passport showing your photo and details. We will advise you if your application has been approved and where you should go to have a visa label placed in your passport, if required.

## Let the department know if you change your address

If you change your residential address for more than 14 days while your application is being processed, you must tell the department your new address and how long you will be there. The department will send communication about your application to the latest address for correspondence you have provided.

Communication about your application can be sent to another person that you have authorised, but you will be taken to have received the communication that the department sends to that person. The department must be informed (in writing) of any address change for either you or your authorised person.

## Work restrictions

If your visa application is approved, in most cases (see pages 7–10) it will be subject to mandatory visa condition 8107. This means that visa holders must not, during their period of stay:

- cease to be employed, or cease to undertake the activity in relation to which the visa was granted;
- work in a position, or engage in an activity inconsistent with the position or activity, in relation to which the visa was granted; or
- engage in work for another person or on your own account, while undertaking the employment or activity in relation to which the visa was granted.

## About the information you give

The department is authorised to collect information provided on this form under Part 2 of the *Migration Act 1958* 'Control of Arrival and Presence of Non-Citizens'. The information provided will be used for assessing your application, and for other purposes relating to the administration of the Migration Act.

To ensure the integrity of temporary residence visas, the department has a thorough monitoring process to assist in ensuring compliance with all program requirements and all relevant Australian laws.

The department will disclose your information to other Commonwealth, state and territory government departments and agencies for the purpose of administering migration legislation, and when it may assist another agency to perform a regulatory function. The departments and agencies include the Fair Work Ombudsman, Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations, Australian Taxation Office and Commonwealth, state and territory departments and agencies responsible for the regulation of education, health, workplace safety, workplace training, public safety, industrial relations, law enforcement, taxation, superannuation, fair trading, trade practices or registration, licencing in relation to an occupation and review of decisions and regulation of migration agents.

The information provided might also be disclosed to departments and agencies who need to know for the purpose of running the Pacific Seasonal Worker Pilot Scheme.

The information provided on this form, including any information on your health, will be used to assess your health for an Australian visa and may be disclosed to the relevant Commonwealth, state and territory health agencies, registration authorities and examining doctor(s).

Form 1163i *Health Requirement for temporary entry to Australia* provides additional information on Australia's visa health requirements. Form 1163i is available at offices of the department or from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/allforms/](http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/)

The collection, access, storage, use and disclosure by the department of the information you provide in this form is governed by the *Privacy Act 1988* and, in particular, by the 11 Information Privacy Principles. The information form 993i *Safeguarding your personal information*, available from the offices of the department, gives details of agencies to which your personal information might be disclosed.

The department is authorised under the *Migration Act 1958*, in certain circumstances, to collect a range of personal identifiers including a facial image, fingerprints and a signature, from non-citizens, including from visa applicants. The department requires personal identifiers to assist in assessing your identity. The department is authorised to disclose your personal identifiers and information relating to your name and other relevant biographical data to a number of agencies including law enforcement and health agencies and, other agencies who may need to check your identity with this department. Where the department obtains personal identifiers they will become part of your official record with the department.

The department is involved in international information exchanges with a number of countries, including the United Kingdom, the United States of America, Canada and New Zealand. These international information exchanges may involve the sharing of personal identifiers, including facial images and fingerprint data, collected by immigration agencies such as this department. If, as a result of this sharing between countries, there is a match with your personal identifiers, the department will disclose your biographical data, copies of travel and other identity documents or information from such documents, your immigration status and immigration history (which may include any immigration abuse and offences) and any criminal history information relevant to immigration purposes. The purpose of such disclosure would be to help confirm your identity and determine if you have presented to the department and the other agency under the same identity and with similar claims.

For more detailed information you should read form 1243i *Your Personal Identifying Information*, which is available from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/allforms/](http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/) or from any office of the department.

When sponsorship is required for your visa subclass, the outcome of your application may be made known to the person/organisation who has submitted a sponsorship form regarding your application.

## Immigration assistance

A person gives immigration assistance to you if he or she uses, or claims to use, his or her knowledge or experience in migration procedure to assist you with your visa application, request for ministerial intervention, cancellation review application, sponsorship or nomination.

In Australia a person may only lawfully give immigration assistance if he or she is a registered migration agent or is exempt from being registered. Only registered migration agents may receive a fee or reward for providing immigration assistance.

If an unregistered person in Australia, who is not exempt from registration, gives you immigration assistance they are committing a criminal offence and may be prosecuted.

### Migration agents in Australia

Migration agents in Australia must be registered with the Office of the Migration Agents Registration Authority (Office of the MARA) unless they are exempt from registration.

### Migration agents outside Australia

Migration agents who operate outside Australia do not have to be registered. The department may give some overseas agents an ID number. This number does not mean that they are registered.

**Note:** Some Australian registered migration agents operate overseas.

### Migration agent information

A migration agent is someone who can:

- advise you on the visa that may best suit you;
- tell you the documents you need to submit with your application;
- help you fill in the application and submit it; and
- communicate with the department on your behalf.

If you appoint a migration agent, the department will assume that your migration agent will be your authorised recipient, unless you indicate otherwise.

Your migration agent will be the person with whom the department will discuss your application and from whom it will seek further information when required.

You are not required to use a migration agent. However, if you use a migration agent, the department encourages you to use a registered migration agent. Registered agents are bound by the Migration Agents Code of Conduct, which requires them to act professionally in their clients' lawful best interests.

Information on migration agents, including a list of registered migration agents, is available on the Office of the MARA website [www.mara.gov.au](http://www.mara.gov.au)

You can also access information about migration agents on the department's website [www.immi.gov.au](http://www.immi.gov.au)

### Exempt persons

The following people do not have to be a registered migration agent in order to provide immigration assistance, but they must not charge a fee for their service:

- a close family member (spouse, de facto partner, child, parent, brother or sister);
- a member of parliament or their staff;
- an official whose duties include providing immigration assistance (eg. a Legal Aid provider);
- a member of a diplomatic mission, consular post or international organisation.

### Appointing a migration agent/exempt person

To appoint a migration agent/exempt person you should complete Part K *Options for receiving written communications*.

Your migration agent/exempt person should complete form 956 *Advice by a migration agent/exempt person of providing immigration assistance*.

Form 956 is available from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/allforms/](http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/)

## Options for receiving written communications

If you do not appoint a migration agent/exempt person you may still authorise another person, in writing, to receive written communications on your behalf. This person is called the authorised recipient.

### Authorised recipient information

All written communication about your application will be sent to your authorised recipient, unless you indicate that you wish to have health and/or character information sent directly to you.

The department will communicate with the most recently appointed authorised recipient as you may only appoint one authorised recipient at any time for a particular application.

You will be taken to have received any documents sent to that person as if they had been sent to you.

To appoint an authorised recipient you should complete:

- Part K *Options for receiving written communications*; and
- form 956A *Appointment or withdrawal of an authorised recipient*.

**Note:** Migration agents/exempt persons do not need to complete form 956A.

Form 956A is available from the department's website [www.immi.gov.au/allforms/](http://www.immi.gov.au/allforms/)

## Consent to communicate electronically

The department may use a range of means to communicate with you. However, electronic means such as fax or e-mail will only be used if you indicate your agreement to receiving communication in this way.

To process your application the department may need to communicate with you about sensitive information, for example, health, police checks, financial viability and personal relationships. Electronic communications, unless adequately encrypted, are not secure and may be viewed by others or interfered with.

If you agree to the department communicating with you by electronic means, the details you provide will only be used by the department for the purpose for which you have provided them, unless there is a legal obligation or necessity to use them for another purpose, or you have consented to use for another purpose. They will not be added to any mailing list.

The Australian Government accepts no responsibility for the security or integrity of any information sent to the department over the internet or by other electronic means.

If you authorise another person to receive documents on your behalf and they wish to be contacted electronically, their signature is required on form 956 or 956A to indicate their consent to this form of communication.

**Note:** Electronic communication is the fastest means of communication available and the department prefers to communicate electronically because this results in faster processing.

*Home page* [www.immi.gov.au](http://www.immi.gov.au)

*General enquiry line*

Telephone **131 881** during business hours in Australia to speak to an operator (recorded information available outside these hours). If you are outside Australia, please contact your nearest Australian mission.

For more information regarding the wording of each condition see page 11.

SUBCLASS	PURPOSE	SPONSORSHIP AND NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS AND MANDATORY CONDITIONS
<p>406 Government Agreement</p>	<p>Temporary stay of people seeking entry under certain bilateral government agreements. Also provides for the national director of operations in Australia of the British Council, the Alliance Francaise, the Goethe Institute and the Italian Cultural Institute.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – Not required  <b>Nomination</b> – Not required  <b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.            Condition 8107 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.            Conditions 8501 and 8516 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
<p>411 Exchange</p>	<p>Temporary stay of skilled people wanting to come to Australia to broaden their work experience and skills under reciprocal arrangements which allow Australian residents similar opportunities overseas.            Applicants seeking to enter Australia under the terms of a bilateral agreement should consider using the Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.  <b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1378 <i>Nomination for a temporary position</i>.  <b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.            Condition 8107 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.            Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
<p>415 Foreign Government Agency</p>	<p>Temporary stay of employees and other representatives of foreign governments and foreign government agencies, who do not have diplomatic or official status in Australia.            Applicants seeking to enter Australia under the terms of a bilateral agreement should consider using the Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.  <b>Nomination</b> – Not required  <b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.            Condition 8107 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.            Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
<p>416 Special Program</p>	<p>Temporary stay of people under approved programs to participate in youth exchange, community-based non-commercial programs, or the Pacific Seasonal Worker Pilot Scheme.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i> except for visa applicants participating in the Pacific Seasonal Worker Pilot Scheme.  <b>Nomination</b> – Not required  <b>Supporting documentation</b> – Youth exchange programs and Community-based not for profit programs must provide a letter of invitation from an approved program partner.            Pacific Seasonal Worker Pilot Scheme – you must provide a letter of invitation from an approved labour hire company.            See Part M for general requirements.            Condition 8107 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.            Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>

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<p>419 Visiting Academic</p>	<p>Temporary stay of people whose presence in Australia will contribute to the sharing of research knowledge.</p> <p>You must not receive a salary from the host institution in Australia.</p> <p>Applicants seeking to enter Australia under the terms of a bilateral agreement should consider using the Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1378 <i>Nomination for a temporary position</i>.</p> <p>See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Conditions 8103 and 8107 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p> <p>Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
<p>420 Entertainment</p>	<p>Temporary stay of entertainment personnel involved in one or more specific performances or productions in Australia. This visa covers a wide range of circumstances including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• entertainers involved in live performances or in the production of films, television or radio productions, concerts or recording of performances;</li> <li>• their support staff; and</li> <li>• directors, producers, choreographers and other technical staff for such productions.</li> </ul> <p>Applicants seeking to enter Australia under the terms of a bilateral agreement should consider using the Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1379 <i>Nomination for an entertainment visa or media and film staff visa</i>.</p> <p>See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Conditions 8107 and 8109 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p> <p>Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
<p>421 Sport</p>	<p>Temporary stay of amateur or professional sports people to engage in competition with Australian residents to improve general sporting standards in Australia through high calibre competition and training.</p> <p>Applicants seeking to enter Australia under the terms of a bilateral agreement should consider using the Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1378 <i>Nomination for a temporary position</i>.</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Condition 8107 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p> <p>Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
<p>422 Medical Practitioner</p>	<p>Temporary stay of suitably qualified medical practitioners where there is a demonstrated need to employ practitioners from overseas.</p> <p><b>Note:</b> From 1 July 2010 this visa is only available to secondary persons wishing to join a Medical Practitioner (subclass 422) visa holder in Australia.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1381 <i>Sponsoring a medical practitioner</i>.</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>



For more information regarding the wording of each condition see page 11.

SUBCLASS	PURPOSE	SPONSORSHIP AND NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS AND MANDATORY CONDITIONS
423 Media and Film Staff	<p>For persons seeking temporary stay as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>professional media staff members of overseas news organisations (print, radio, TV or film media) assigned to Australia as accredited representatives of that organisation (eg. as their foreign correspondent); or</li> <li>television or film crew, including actors, production and support staff and still photographers, involved in the production of documentary programs (or commercials) exclusively for use outside Australia.</li> </ul> <p>Applicants seeking to enter Australia under the terms of a bilateral agreement should consider using the Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1379 <i>Nomination for an entertainment visa or media and film staff visa</i>.</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Condition 8107 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p> <p>Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
426 Domestic Worker (Diplomatic or Consular)	<p>Temporary stay of domestic staff for work in the households of subclass 995 Diplomatic visa holders posted to Australia on advice from the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT).</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – Not required</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – Not required</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Conditions 8110 and 8516 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p>
427 Domestic Worker (Executive)	<p>Temporary stay for domestic staff of certain holders of subclass 457 long-stay temporary business visas.</p> <p>A visa may only be granted where it can be shown that the entry of domestic staff is necessary for the proper discharge of the executive's representational duties.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1378 <i>Nomination for a temporary position</i>.</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Conditions 8107 and 8111 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p> <p>Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>
428 Religious Worker	<p>Temporary stay of religious workers, including ministers, priests and spiritual leaders to serve the spiritual needs of people of their faith in Australia.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1378 <i>Nomination for a temporary position</i>.</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Conditions 8107 and 8303 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p> <p>Condition 8501 is a mandatory condition attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>

For more information regarding the wording of each condition see page 11.

SUBCLASS	PURPOSE	SPONSORSHIP AND NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS AND MANDATORY CONDITIONS
<p>442 Occupational Trainee</p>	<p>For people seeking temporary stay to undertake occupational training that is either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• practical experience required for registration; or</li> <li>• structured training to enhance skills in occupations specified in an Instrument under subregulation 2.721(5)(b); or</li> <li>• workplace-based training for capacity building overseas.</li> </ul>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1377 <i>Application for approval as a temporary residence sponsor</i>.</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – The sponsor is required to complete form 1378 <i>Nomination for a temporary position</i>, unless the training is to be provided by the Commonwealth.</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Conditions 8102 and 8501 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all primary visa holders in this subclass.</p> <p>Conditions 8104 and 8501 are mandatory conditions attached to visas of all family member visa holders in this subclass.</p>
<p>461 New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship</p>	<p>Temporary stay of family unit members of New Zealand citizen Special Category Visa holders.</p>	<p><b>Sponsorship</b> – Not required</p> <p><b>Nomination</b> – Not required</p> <p><b>Supporting documentation</b> – See Part M for general requirements.</p> <p>Either or both conditions 8303 and 8501 may be attached to visas of all visa holders in this subclass.</p>

## Mandatory conditions attached to visas

**Condition 8102** states you must not engage in work in Australia other than in relation to your course of study or training.

**Condition 8103** states you must not receive salary in Australia without the permission in writing from the department.

**Condition 8104** states you must not engage in work for more than 20 hours a week.

**Condition 8107** states:

If the visa is a:

- Government Agreement (subclass 406) visa;
- Foreign Government Agency (subclass 415) visa;
- Special Program (subclass 416) visa;
- Medical Practitioner (subclass 422) visa;
- Occupational Trainee (subclass 442) visa (where Occupational training is provided by the Commonwealth);

the holder must not:

- cease to be employed by the employer in relation to which the visa was granted;
- work in a position or occupation inconsistent with the position or occupation in relation to which the visa was granted; or
- engage in work for another person or on the holder's own account while undertaking the employment in relation to which the visa was granted.

If the visa is a:

- Exchange (subclass 411) visa;
- Visiting Academic (subclass 419) visa;
- Entertainment (subclass 420) visa;
- Sport (subclass 421) visa;
- Media and Film Staff (subclass 423) visa;
- Domestic Worker (Temporary) – Executive (subclass 427) visa;
- Religious Worker (subclass 428) visa;
- Occupational Trainee (subclass 442) visa (where the occupational training is not provided to the visa holder by the Commonwealth);

the holder must not:

- cease to engage in the most recently nominated occupation, program or activity in relation to which the visa holder is identified;
- engage in work or an activity that is inconsistent with the most recently nominated occupation, program or activity in relation to which the visa holder is identified; or
- engage in work or an activity for an employer other than the employer identified in the most recent nomination for the visa holder.

**Condition 8109** states you must not change details of times and places of engagements specified in the application to be undertaken in Australia during the visa period, without the prior permission in writing from the department.

**Condition 8110** states that you:

- i) must not engage in work in Australia except in the household of the employer in relation to whom the visa was granted; and
- ii) must not work in a position or occupation inconsistent with the position or occupation in relation to which the visa was granted; and
- iii) must not engage in work for another person or on your own account while undertaking the employment in relation to which the visa was granted; and
- iv) must not cease to be employed by the employer in relation to which the visa was granted, unless paragraph (v) applies; and
- v) except with the written permission of the Foreign Minister, must not remain in Australia after the permanent departure of that employer.

**Condition 8111** states you must not remain in Australia after the permanent departure of your employer.

**Condition 8303** states you must not become involved in activities disruptive to, or violence threatening harm to, the Australian community or a group within the Australian community.

**Condition 8501** states you must maintain adequate arrangements for health insurance while you are in Australia.

**Condition 8516** states you must continue to be a person who would satisfy the primary or secondary criteria, as the case requires, for the grant of the visa.

*Please keep these information pages for your reference*

**This page is intentionally blank**



Please use a pen, and write neatly in English using BLOCK LETTERS.

Tick where applicable

**Do not** complete these questions until you have read the information pages at the front of this form. The information pages tell you about the different visa subclasses for temporary residents, eligibility for a visa, and some of the conditions for holding a visa.

Intended date of arrival DAY MONTH YEAR  
 (If you are already in Australia, write 'N/A')

**PHOTOGRAPH**

Please attach required photographs of yourself AND each member of your family unit included in this application.

## Part A – Visa information

**1** Which **subclass** of temporary visa are you applying for?

**2** Does a Labour Agreement or Special Program apply to you?  
 No   
 Yes  Name of Labour Agreement or Special Program

**3** Have you been selected under a bilateral government agreement?  
 No   
 Yes  Name of agreement  
  
 Names of the Australian government body and the overseas government body party to the agreement

**4** Are you, or any secondary persons included in this application, an AusAID subsidised student?  
 No   
 Yes  Attach a letter of support from AusAID

**5** Does the visa subclass you are applying for require you to be sponsored by an organisation or individual in Australia?  
 No   
 Yes  Name of your sponsor  
  
 Sponsorship Application ID number (if known)  
  
 The Sponsorship Application ID number can be found on the approval letter given to you by your sponsor

## Part B – Your details

**6** Are you applying as a:  
 primary person   
**OR**  Go to Question 7  
 secondary person applying separately and wishing to join a person who already holds a visa

**7** Your full name  
 Family name   
 Given names

**8** Have you been known by any other names?  
*(including name at birth, previous married names, aliases)*  
 No   
 Yes  Give details  
 Family name   
 Given names

*If you have been known by other names, attach a page giving the names*

9 Sex Male  Female

10 Date of birth 

DAY	MONTH	YEAR

**Note:** You must have turned 18 if applying for an Occupational Trainee visa or Domestic Worker (Executive) visa

11 Place of birth  
Town/city   
Country

12 Relationship status  
Married  Separated  Never married or   
Engaged  Divorced  been in a de facto  
De facto  Widowed  relationship

13 Your present country of citizenship

14 Do you hold any other citizenship?  
No   
Yes  Which countries?

15 Do you have a passport?  
No   
Yes  Give details  
Passport number   
Country of passport   
Date of issue 

DAY	MONTH	YEAR

  
Date of expiry 

DAY	MONTH	YEAR

  
Issuing authority/  
Place of issue as  
shown in your  
passport

**Note:** Most visa applicants will be required to hold a valid passport before they can be granted a visa. It is strongly recommended that the passport be valid for at least 6 months.

If you change your passport after you have been granted the visa you must notify the nearest Australian mission or office of the department.

**If you do not provide us with the details of any new or additional passport you use to travel to Australia, you may experience significant delays at the airport and may be denied permission to board your plane.**

16 Details of identity card or identity number issued to you by your government (if applicable) eg. National identity card.  
**Note:** If you are the holder of multiple identity numbers because you are a citizen of more than one country, you need to enter the identity number on the card from the country that you live in.

Identity number   
Country of issue

17 Your current residential address  
**Note:** A post office box address is not acceptable as a residential address. Failure to give a residential address will result in your application being invalid.

POSTCODE

18 Your postal address  
(If the same as your residential address, write 'AS ABOVE')

POSTCODE

19 Your telephone numbers  
COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER  
Office hours ( ) ( )  
After hours ( ) ( )

20 Do you agree to the department communicating with you by fax, e-mail or other electronic means?

No   
Yes  Give details  
COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER  
Fax number ( ) ( )  
E-mail address

21 Your current occupation

22 Are you applying on the basis of being a secondary person (ie. family member) of a primary person who already holds a temporary visa?

No   
Yes  Give details of the primary person you intend to join and stay with in Australia

Family name   
Given names   
Sex Male  Female   
Date of birth 

DAY	MONTH	YEAR

Subclass of visa held   
Passport number



## Part D – Accompanying persons

**26** Give details of all secondary persons who are being included in this application and:

- who will accompany you to Australia; or
- intend to join you in Australia; or
- who are in Australia.

*(If there are more than 6 family members, please copy this page and attach it to this form with additional details)*

1. Family name

Given names

Sex Male  Female

Date of birth  DAY MONTH YEAR

Country of birth

Relationship to primary person

Is this family member included in this application?  
No  Yes

Citizenship

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue  DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/Place of issue as shown in passport

2. Family name

Given names

Sex Male  Female

Date of birth  DAY MONTH YEAR

Country of birth

Relationship to primary person

Is this family member included in this application?  
No  Yes

Citizenship

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue  DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/Place of issue as shown in passport

3. Family name

Given names

Sex Male  Female

Date of birth  DAY MONTH YEAR

Country of birth

Relationship to primary person

Is this family member included in this application?  
No  Yes

Citizenship

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue  DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/Place of issue as shown in passport

4. Family name

Given names

Sex Male  Female

Date of birth  DAY MONTH YEAR

Country of birth

Relationship to primary person

Is this family member included in this application?  
No  Yes

Citizenship

Passport number

Country of passport

Date of issue  DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/Place of issue as shown in passport



## Part E – Additional assessment information

5. Family name

Given names

Sex Male  Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Country of birth

Relationship to primary person

Is this family member included in this application?  
No  Yes

Citizenship

Passport number

Country of passport DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/Place of issue as shown in passport

6. Family name

Given names

Sex Male  Female

Date of birth DAY MONTH YEAR

Country of birth

Relationship to primary person

Is this family member included in this application?  
No  Yes

Citizenship

Passport number

Country of passport DAY MONTH YEAR

Date of issue

Date of expiry

Issuing authority/Place of issue as shown in passport

**27** Additional information is required for the following visa subclasses. Select a visa and go to the relevant part.

- Government Agreement visa
- Special Program visa
- Foreign Government Agency visa  ► Go to Part F
- Entertainment visa
- Media and Film Staff visa
- Medical Practitioner visa
- Occupational Trainee visa  ► Go to Part G
- New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship visa  ► Go to Part H
- none of the above  ► Go to Part I

## Part F – Employment/activity details

**28** What occupation or activity do you propose to undertake in Australia?

**29** Details of your qualifications, training and skills relevant to your proposed occupation or activity in Australia. Attach a copy of relevant qualifications and curriculum vitae (CV).

*(If you need more space to answer, attach a signed and dated sheet giving the required details)*

Educational qualifications including trade or professional qualifications

Training (including on-the-job training)

Other relevant skills

**30** If you will be employed in Australia, give details of the wage/salary or other benefits to be paid in Australia and name and address of the employer paying your wage/salary

Hours of work  per week

Wage/salary in Australian dollars  AUD

Other benefits to be paid

Name of employer

Address

  
 POSTCODE

Telephone number  (AREA CODE )

**31** If you will be undertaking an activity, give details of the individual or organisation you will undertake the activity for in Australia

Name of individual or organisation

Address where the activity will be undertaken

  
 POSTCODE

Telephone number  (AREA CODE )

▶▶ Now go to Part I

## Part G – Occupational Trainee (subclass 442) visa

**Note:** Unless the training is to be provided by the Commonwealth, Occupational Trainees are required to be nominated by the sponsor providing the training in Australia. Nominations should be submitted by the sponsor on form 1378 *Nomination for a temporary position* either before or at the same time as making this application.

*(If you need more space to answer, attach a signed and dated sheet giving the required details)*

**32** Outline your intended activities in Australia

**33** Duration of your occupational training

From  DAY MONTH YEAR to  DAY MONTH YEAR

If being invited by a Commonwealth sponsor, attach a copy of the invitation to participate in the training.

**34** Please describe your English language ability:

I am from an English speaking country

I have been educated for at least 5 years in an English speaking school

My IELTS/TOEFL/OET score is

Other (please specify)

**35** Are you paying fees for this training?

No

Yes  ▶ What is the amount you are paying?

AUD

Who are you paying the fees to?

- 36** If you will be employed in Australia, give details of the wage/salary or other benefits to be paid in Australia and name and address of the employer paying your wage/salary

Hours of work per week	
Wage/salary in Australian dollars	AUD
Other benefits to be paid	
Name of employer	
Address	
POSTCODE	
Telephone number	(AREA CODE )

- 37** If you will be undertaking an activity, give details of the individual or organisation you will undertake the activity for in Australia

Name of individual or organisation	
Address where the activity will be undertaken	
POSTCODE	
Telephone number	(AREA CODE )

►► Now go to Part I

## Part H – New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship (subclass 461) visa

**Note:** Applicants for a New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship visa (temporary) must be the member of the family unit of a New Zealand citizen who is, or will be, on entry to Australia, the holder of a Special Category (subclass 444) visa.

Applicants holding a subclass 461 may reapply for a further stay unless they have become a member of the family unit of another person.

- 38** Provide details of the **New Zealand citizen**

Family name	
Given names	

Other names the New Zealand citizen is known by or has been known by (*include name at birth, previous married names, aliases*)

Family name	
Given names	

Reason for name change

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Date of birth	DAY MONTH YEAR
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Place of birth

Town/city

Country

Sex Male  Female

Relationship of the New Zealand citizen to you

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Address

POSTCODE	

Telephone number	COUNTRY CODE AREA CODE NUMBER
	( ) ( )

Date of last arrival in Australia (if applicable)	DAY MONTH YEAR
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Details of the New Zealand citizen's passport

Passport number

Date of issue	DAY MONTH YEAR
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Date of expiry

Issuing authority/ Place of issue as shown in passport	
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Other citizenships held by the New Zealand citizen

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## Part I – Health and character details

**39** Do you hold health insurance cover for all people listed in this application for your stay in Australia?

No

Yes  ► Type of health insurance cover

Name of health insurer

Period covered by health insurance

from  DAY MONTH YEAR to  DAY MONTH YEAR

**40** In the last 5 years, have you, or any other person included in this application, visited, or lived, outside your country of passport for more than 3 consecutive months?

No

Yes  ► Give details

1. Name

Country(s)

Date from  DAY MONTH YEAR to  DAY MONTH YEAR

2. Name

Country(s)

Date from  DAY MONTH YEAR to  DAY MONTH YEAR

3. Name

Country(s)

Date from  DAY MONTH YEAR to  DAY MONTH YEAR

**41** Do you, or any other person included in this application, intend to enter a hospital or a health care facility (including nursing homes) while in Australia?

No

Yes  ► Give details

**42** Do you, or any other person included in this application, intend to work as, or study to be, a doctor, dentist, nurse or paramedic during your stay in Australia?

No

Yes  ► Give details

**43** Do you, or any other person included in this application, intend to work, or be a trainee, at a child care centre (including preschools and creches) while in Australia?

No

Yes  ► Give details

**44** Do you, or any other person included in this application, intend to be in a classroom situation for more than 3 months (eg. as either a student, teacher, lecturer, or observer)?

No

Yes  ► Give details

**45** Have you, or any other person included in this application:

- ever had, or currently have, tuberculosis?
- been in close contact with a family member that has active tuberculosis?
- ever had a chest x-ray which showed an abnormality?

No

Yes  ► Give details

**46** During your proposed visit to Australia, do you, or any other person included in this application, expect to incur medical costs, or require treatment or medical follow up for:

- blood disorder;
- cancer;
- heart disease;
- hepatitis B or C and/or liver disease;
- HIV infection, including AIDS;
- kidney disease, including dialysis;
- mental illness;
- pregnancy;
- respiratory disease that has required hospital admission or oxygen therapy;
- other?

No

Yes  ► Give details

**47** Do you, or any other person included in this application, require assistance with mobility or care due to a medical condition?

No

Yes  ► Give details

You are strongly advised to carry certification of your vaccination status, especially for children attending Australian schools and child care centres (including preschools and creches). Vaccination against polio, tetanus, measles, mumps, rubella, diphtheria, pertussis (whooping cough), Haemophilus influenzae hypo B (Hib), and Hepatitis B is recommended for children. Certification may be sought at time of enrolment. Vaccination against Rubella is also recommended for women of child bearing age.

**48** Have you, or any of the secondary persons included in this application, ever:

- been convicted of a crime or offence in any country (including any conviction which is now removed from official records)? No  Yes
- been charged with any offence that is currently awaiting legal action? No  Yes
- been acquitted of any criminal offence or other offence on the grounds of mental illness, insanity or unsoundness of mind? No  Yes
- been removed or deported from any country (including Australia)? No  Yes
- left any country to avoid being removed or deported? No  Yes
- been refused a visa for Australia or any other country? No  Yes
- been excluded from or asked to leave any country (including Australia)? No  Yes
- committed, or been involved in the commission of war crimes or crimes against humanity or human rights? No  Yes
- been involved in any activities that would represent a risk to Australian national security? No  Yes
- had any outstanding debts to the Australian Government or any public authority in Australia? No  Yes
- been involved in any activity, or been convicted of any offence, relating to the illegal movement of people to any country (including Australia)? No  Yes
- served in a military force or state sponsored/private militia, undergone any military/paramilitary training, or been trained in weapons/explosives use (however described)? No  Yes

If you answered **'Yes'** to any of the above questions, you must state who it applies to and give ALL relevant details below.

If the matter relates to a criminal conviction, please give the nature of the offence, full details of sentence and dates of any period of imprisonment or other detention.

*(If you need more space to answer, attach a signed and dated sheet giving the required details)*

## Part J – Assistance with this form

49 Did you receive assistance in completing this form?

No  ▶ Go to Part K

Yes  ▶ Please give details of the person who assisted you

Title: Mr  Mrs  Miss  Ms  Other

Family name

Given names

Address

POSTCODE

Telephone number or daytime contact

Office hours 

COUNTRY CODE	AREA CODE	NUMBER
( )	( )	

Mobile/cell

50 Is the person an agent registered with the Office of the Migration Agents Registration Authority (Office of the MARA)?

No

Yes  ▶ Go to Part K

51 Is the person/agent in Australia?

No  ▶ Go to Part K

Yes

52 Did you pay the person/agent and/or give a gift for this assistance?

No

Yes

## Part K – Options for receiving written communications

53 All written communications about this application should be sent to:  
(Tick one box only)

Myself

**OR**

Authorised recipient  ▶ You should complete form 956A *Appointment or withdrawal of an authorised recipient*

**OR**

Migration agent  **OR** Exempt person  ▶ Your migration agent/exempt person should complete form 956 *Advice by a migration agent/exempt person of providing immigration assistance*

## Part L – Payment details

54 How will you pay your application charge?

If applying **in Australia**, debit card or credit card are the preferred methods of payment. Debit cards cannot be used for applications lodged by mail. If paying by bank cheque or money order please make payable to the Department of Immigration and Citizenship.

If applying **outside Australia**, please check with the Australian Government office where you intend to lodge your application as to what methods of payment and currencies they can accept and to whom the payment should be made payable.

Bank cheque

Money order

Debit card  ▶ Cannot be used for applications lodged by mail

Credit card  ▶ Give details below

Payment by (tick one box)

Australian Dollars

MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> Diners Club <input type="checkbox"/> American Express <input type="checkbox"/> JCB <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; height: 60px;"> <tr><td style="text-align: center; vertical-align: middle;">AUD</td></tr> </table>	AUD
AUD		

Credit card number

:  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :  :

Expiry date 

MONTH	YEAR

Cardholder's name

Telephone number 

COUNTRY CODE	AREA CODE	NUMBER
( )	( )	

Address   
  
 POSTCODE

**Signature of cardholder**

Credit card information will be used for charge paying purposes only.

## Part M – Documentation to be attached to this application

- 55** Attach the following documents to this application. You should provide **certified copies** of original documentation. Documents not in English must be accompanied by accredited English translations.

Tick  when completed

### Nominated primary applicant

To establish your identity you may be required to provide:

Identity page (showing photo and personal details) of your passport	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Passport size photograph	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Full birth certificate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Family Register Document	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Identity card	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Details of any name change (for example by marriage or deed poll)	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Secondary applicants

To establish the identity of family members included in the application, you may be required to provide:

Identity page (showing photo and personal details) of your passport	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Passport size photograph	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Full birth certificate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Marriage certificate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Family Register Document	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Identity card	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Details of any name change (for example by marriage or deed poll)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Evidence if in a de facto relationship	<input type="checkbox"/>
For a child under 18 years of age, unless both parents are included in application – documents identifying custody and access arrangements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Completed form 47A <i>Details of child or other dependent family member aged 18 or over</i> for each dependant listed in this application who has turned 18 and who is not married or in a de facto relationship with the principal applicant	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Health insurance

Certified copy of evidence of adequate health insurance such as a health insurance certification letter, health insurance schedule or a Medicare card for you and any family members listed in this application

### Health requirements

You are required to meet Australian health requirements in order to meet criteria for the grant of a visa. Refer to form 1163i *Health requirement for temporary entry to Australia*

### Character requirements

If your stay in Australia, including any time already spent in Australia is more than 12 months, you must obtain police clearances for each applicant who is 16 years of age or older (excluding applicants who are applying for the Occupational Trainee visa)

### Financial support

Where required, evidence of financial capacity to support your stay in Australia, such as bank statements or a letter from your financial institution stating your financial position

Allowances, accommodation and other assistance can also be considered when looking at your ability to support yourself and any secondary applicants

### Sponsor details

If sponsorship is required, a copy of the sponsor approval letter or evidence (ie. receipt) that the sponsor application has been lodged

### AusAID subsidised student

Provide a letter of support from AusAID

**Visa evidence – If your visa is listed below you may need to provide additional evidence**

You should provide **certified copies** of any original documentation required.

**Government Agreement visa**

A copy of the bilateral government agreement (if available)	<input type="checkbox"/>
A copy of the letter of support from the Australian signatory to the agreement or department with portfolio responsibility for the activity to be undertaken, stating that you meet the terms of the agreement and they agree to your stay in Australia	<input type="checkbox"/>
If not stated in the letter of support, evidence your government agrees to your stay in Australia	<input type="checkbox"/>
For people applying to direct the operations of a listed organisation, a copy of the letter of support from your foreign government ministry	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Foreign Government Agency visa**

A copy of the letter of support from your foreign government ministry	<input type="checkbox"/>
A copy of the letter from the foreign government agency sponsor stating that they are willing to sponsor you and any accompanying members of your family	<input type="checkbox"/>
A copy of the letter of support from the Australian school (foreign language teachers only)	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Special Program visa**

A copy of the letter of invitation from the sponsor	<input type="checkbox"/>
If applying as a participant of the Pacific Seasonal Worker Pilot Scheme, a copy of the letter of invitation from the labour hire company	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Sport visa**

If you are applying as an amateur competitor you will also need to provide evidence that you do not derive an income from your sport, such as a payslip from your employer	<input type="checkbox"/>
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**Occupational Trainee visa**

If being invited by a Commonwealth sponsor, a copy of the invitation to participate in the training	<input type="checkbox"/>
If applying after being a Student visa holder, evidence of successful completion of principal course at diploma level or higher	<input type="checkbox"/>

**New Zealand Citizen Family Relationship visa**

Evidence that shows that you are a member of the family unit of a New Zealand citizen	<input type="checkbox"/>
Certified copy of the passport page that shows the photo and personal details of the New Zealand citizen	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Domestic Worker (Temporary) – Diplomatic or Consular visa**

A letter of support is required from DFAT. A signed declaration from your employer (available from the 426 information on the department's website at <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au">www.immi.gov.au</a> )	<input type="checkbox"/>
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**Domestic Worker (Executive) visa**

A signed declaration from your sponsor (available from the 427 information on the department's website at <a href="http://www.immi.gov.au">www.immi.gov.au</a> )	<input type="checkbox"/>
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## Part N – Declaration and consent

### 56 **WARNING:** Giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.

This declaration and consent must be signed by the main applicant and each accompanying person over 18.

I declare that:

- The information that has been provided on this form, and on any attachments to it, is complete and correct in every detail;
- I acknowledge that I have read the notes at the front of this application. I am aware of the conditions that may apply and that I am required to abide by them;
- Any registration or licensing that is required before I can begin employment in Australia will be my responsibility;
- I am aware that I must advise the Department of Immigration and Citizenship immediately I am aware of a change in circumstances relating to any information I have provided in or with this application;
- I understand that the effect of the 8503 visa condition is that it will not be possible for me to apply to remain in Australia beyond the authorised period of stay **of my visa**. I agree to having this condition included on any visa issued to me as a result of this application;
- I acknowledge that I understand that if the 8503 visa condition is imposed on my visa, it will be indicated on the visa label or in documents given to me by the Department of Immigration and Citizenship about the grant of my visa by the condition code '8503'. I acknowledge that this means that the 8503 condition has been imposed on my visa, that I am required to depart Australia on or before the date or time period notified on my visa label or in documents given to me by the Department of Immigration and Citizenship about the grant of my visa and that I understand the restriction that Condition 8503 places on me. I will advise my sponsor (if any) regarding the imposition of the condition to ensure that they understand that such a condition is attached to my visa;
- I understand that if condition 8107 is imposed on my visa, it will be indicated on the visa label or in documents given to me by the Department of Immigration and Citizenship about the grant of my visa by the condition code '8107';
- I acknowledge that where condition 8107 is imposed on my visa, it means that my work or activity will be restricted and I understand the restriction that condition 8107 places on me;
- I understand that if condition 8501 is imposed on my visa, it will be indicated on the visa label or in documents given to me by the Department of Immigration and Citizenship about the grant of my visa by the condition code '8501';
- I understand that if my visa is granted it may be subject to condition 8501;
- I will respect Australian values as listed on this form, during my stay in Australia and will obey the laws of Australia.

For offshore applicants who are required to provide their fingerprints and facial image:

- I understand that my fingerprints and facial image and my biographical information held by the Department of Immigration and Citizenship may be given to Australian law enforcement agencies to help identify me, to help determine my eligibility for grant of the visa I have applied for, and for law enforcement purposes.
- I consent to:
  - Australian law enforcement agencies disclosing my biometric, biographical and criminal record information to the Department of Immigration and Citizenship for any of the purposes outlined above; and
  - the Department of Immigration and Citizenship using the information obtained for the purposes of the Migration Act 1958 or the Citizenship Act 2007.

**Signature of primary person**

DAY MONTH YEAR  
Date

**Signatures of secondary persons**

**Signature**

Name

**Signature**

Name

**Signature**

Name

**Signature**

Name

**Signature**

Name

We strongly advise that you keep a copy of your application and all attachments for your records.

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Decision    Approved     Rejected

Reasons for refusal/comment

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Subclass

Class

Entry    Single     Multiple

Conditions

Date of entry     DAY     MONTH     YEAR    validity

Length of stay

**Signature of authorised officer**

Date  DAY     MONTH     YEAR