

Application for  
Visiting New Zealand



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# The Guide for: • Visitors • Limited Purpose Entry

- For further information on visiting New Zealand see our leaflet “*Guide for Visiting in New Zealand*” (NZIS 1018).
- For further information on Limited Purpose Visas & Permits see our leaflet “*Information on Limited Purpose Visas & Permits*” (NZIS 1070).
- If you are the holder of a Visitor’s Permit and wish to extend your stay in New Zealand you may be able to apply for a further Visitor’s Permit by using NZIS Online Services. This service can be accessed using the NZIS website at [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz)

## To make an application for a Visitor’s Visa or Permit or a Limited Purpose Visa or Permit you will need to supply:

- a completed, signed *Application for Visiting New Zealand* (NZIS 1017) form
- the application fee (see our leaflet *New Zealand Immigration’s Guide to Fees* (NZIS 1028))
- your passport (must normally be valid until at least 3 months past the date you plan to leave New Zealand)
- a recent passport size photograph
- evidence of your financial support while in New Zealand. This may be:
  - NZ \$1000 per each person for each month, or
  - NZ \$400 for each person for each month if your accommodation is already paid (you will need to show evidence, such as prepaid hotel vouchers)Evidence of funds can be in the form of traveller’s cheques, bank draft, letters of credit or a bank statement in your name. Cash or credit cards may be accepted as evidence of funds.
  - If you do not have the required funds, you will need a guarantee of accommodation and maintenance from a New Zealand citizen/resident friend or relative who lives in New Zealand and is able to be your sponsor. Your sponsor should complete the *Sponsorship Form for Visiting New Zealand* (NZIS 1025).

## For a Visitor’s Visa or Limited Purpose Visa you may also be asked to supply:

- evidence of onward travel
  - valid ticket to a country to which you have right of entry, or
  - guarantee of repatriation from a New Zealand citizen or resident friend or relative who lives in New Zealand and is able to be your sponsor. Your sponsor should complete the *Sponsorship Form for Visiting New Zealand* (NZIS 1025) or
  - sufficient funds in New Zealand to purchase a ticket to a country to which you have the right of entry.
- any other documents or information requested by a Visa/Immigration officer.

**Please Note:** Any non-refundable travel arrangements are made at your own risk.

## For a Visitor’s Permit or Limited Purpose Permit you must also supply:

- evidence of onward travel
  - valid ticket to a country to which you have right of entry, or
  - a guarantee of repatriation from a New Zealand citizen or resident friend or relative who lives in New Zealand and is able to be your sponsor. Your sponsor should complete the *Sponsorship Form for Visiting New Zealand* (NZIS 1025) or
  - sufficient funds in New Zealand to purchase a ticket to a country to which you have the right of entry.
- any other documents or information requested by a Visa/Immigration Officer.

## Special Provisions exist for:

- dependent children travelling without parents or with one parent
- Partners of New Zealand citizens and residents
- Visitors entering New Zealand for the purpose of a culturally arranged marriage to a New Zealand citizen or resident.

See the *Guide for Visiting in New Zealand* (NZIS 1018)

- Visitors for medical treatment and consultation should read *Guide for Visiting in New Zealand* (NZIS 1018) and *Information for Medical Treatment* (NZIS 1010).

# Application for Visiting New Zealand

(to travel to New Zealand or to be in New Zealand to visit)

Application No.

For NZIS Use Only

This form may be used by a single applicant or a family (which may include a principal applicant, partner, and dependent children under 20), and may be used to apply for a Visitor's Visa or Permit or a Limited Purpose Visa or Permit.

**Please note: If you decide to apply directly for a Limited Purpose Visa and you are subsequently granted a Limited Purpose Permit, your immigration rights in New Zealand are restricted to fulfilling the express purpose for which you came.**

- Number of persons included on this form
- Number of visitor visas applied for on this form
- Number of visitor permits applied for on this form
- Number of limited purpose visas/permits (delete one) applied for on this form.

**Please note: if you are in New Zealand and applying for a further permit, you need to allow sufficient time for a decision to be made on your application before your current permit expires. If your permit does expire, your application for a further permit does not make your stay in New Zealand lawful or give you the right to remain in New Zealand while your application is being considered.**

## Section A Personal Details

### Principal applicant

Client number:

<b>A1</b>	Name as shown in passport	Family: <input type="text"/>	Given: <input type="text"/>	<p>Attach one recent passport size photograph of yourself here. Write your name on the back.</p>					
<b>A2</b>	Preferred title	Mr <input type="checkbox"/>	Mrs <input type="checkbox"/>		Ms <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss <input type="checkbox"/>	Dr <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="text"/>	
<b>A3</b>	Other names you are known by	<input type="text"/>							
<b>A4</b>	Your name in ethnic script	<input type="text"/>							
<b>A5</b>	Gender	Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>		<b>A6</b>	Date of birth	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
							day	month	year
<b>A7</b>	Place and country of birth	Place: <input type="text"/>	Country: <input type="text"/>						
<b>A8</b>	Passport details	Number: <input type="text"/>	Country: <input type="text"/>						
		Expiry Date: <input type="text"/>					day	month	year
<b>A9</b>	Your citizenship	<input type="text"/>							
<b>A10</b>	Other citizenships currently held	<input type="text"/>							
<b>A11</b>	Partnership status	<input type="checkbox"/> Married	<input type="checkbox"/> Never married	<input type="checkbox"/> De Facto	<input type="checkbox"/> Separated	<input type="checkbox"/> Engaged	<input type="checkbox"/> Widowed	<input type="checkbox"/> Divorced	

**A12** If you are applying for a visa/permit on the basis of a partnership:  
 • are you living in a genuine and stable partnership?  Yes  No  
 If no please explain


- will your partner be in New Zealand for the same period of time?  Yes  No
- do you meet the minimum requirements for the recognition of a partnership?  Yes  No
- do you intend to apply for residence under Partnership policy?  Yes  No
- If yes, will your New Zealand citizen or resident partner be eligible to sponsor your application?  Yes  No

## Additional information

Principal applicant, please complete for yourself and on behalf of any accompanying family members.

**A13** I may be contacted at this New Zealand residential address and telephone number:

Telephone

**A14** Name and address of any friends, relatives or contacts I have in New Zealand are:

Name	Relationship
Address	
Name	Relationship
Address	
Name	Relationship
Address	

**A15** My postal address and contact phone number for this application are:

Address:	Telephone
	Email

**A16** My residential address in my home country is:


**A17** I am employed by, and my regular occupation is:  
 (Please give name and address of employer. If not employed, please state this.)

Employer details:
Your occupation:

**A18** My stay in New Zealand will be financially supported in the following way:

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**A19** The arrangement I have made for outward travel from New Zealand is:

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**4** If requested, please attach a copy of your travel itinerary or air ticket out of New Zealand.

## Principal Applicant: Application Details – Visitor’s Visa or Permit

**DO NOT** complete this section if you are applying for a **Limited Purpose Visa** or **Permit** (see questions A24 to A27)

- A20**  I am applying for a Visitor’s Visa to travel to New Zealand, or  
 I am applying for a Visitor’s Permit to be in New Zealand, or  
 I am applying for a Visitor’s Permit and a Visitor’s Visa as I am already in New Zealand

- A21** If applying for a Visitor’s Visa:  
This is the date I will enter or re-enter New Zealand:     
day month year
- This is the date I will finally depart New Zealand:     
day month year
- I would like a **single** journey Visitor’s Visa, or  
 I would like a **multiple** journey Visitor’s Visa

- A22** The purpose of this application is to **visit** New Zealand for:  
 General (tourist, or visit friends or family)  Business  Medical  
Other  Please specify

If you wish to apply to study or work in New Zealand please use a study or work application form.

- A23** If applying for a **Visitor’s Permit**:  
This is the date I arrived in New Zealand:     
day month year
- This is the date I request my **Visitor’s Permit** be valid to:     
day month year
- This is the date I will finally depart New Zealand:     
day month year

## Limited Purpose Visa or Permit Complete questions A24 to A27.

**DO NOT** complete questions A24 to A27 if you are applying for a Visitor’s Visa or Permit.

Only complete this section if:

- you are travelling to New Zealand for an “express purpose” and you wish to have a Limited Purpose Permit in New Zealand,
- or
- your existing Limited Purpose Permit will not last long enough for you to achieve your “express purpose” and you therefore require a further one.

Such permits mean that you are **not** able to apply for any other type of permit in New Zealand or seek to stay longer or indefinitely in New Zealand. For general information and a list of “express purposes” see the **Information Leaflet on Limited Purpose Visas and Permits** (NZIS 1070).

## Principal Applicant: Application Details – Limited Purpose

- A24**  I am applying for a **Limited Purpose Visa** to travel to New Zealand, or  
 I am applying for a further **Limited Purpose Permit** to be in New Zealand

*(you may only apply for a further Limited Purpose Permit if you already have a Limited Purpose Permit and you need further time to achieve the “express purpose”).*

- A25** The limited purpose application is for the “**express purpose**” of:
- Attendance at an event such as a wedding, funeral, conference, seminar, graduation, sports tournament or match, religious event, or other significant ceremony; or
  - Medical treatment in New Zealand; or
  - Family emergencies such as illness or accident affecting a family member or relative of the applicant in New Zealand; or
  - “Milestone” events such as reunions or anniversaries; or
  - Any other specific purpose other than employment, where the circumstances warrant the issue of a Limited Purpose Visa.

Please specify the “express purpose”, the date the “express purpose” begins and the date the “express purpose” will be completed below.

“Express purpose” details:

If your “**express purpose**” is to study in New Zealand please use the **Application to Study in New Zealand** (NZIS 1012) form.

**A26** If applying for a **Limited Purpose Visa**:

This is the date I will enter New Zealand:

day	month	year

This is the date I will finally depart New Zealand:

day	month	year

**A27** If applying for a **Limited Purpose Permit**:

This is the date I arrived in New Zealand on a **Limited Purpose Visa**:

day	month	year

This is the date I will finally depart New Zealand:

day	month	year

Please list the reasons why you require a further **Limited Purpose Permit**:


## Section B Application for the purpose of a culturally arranged marriage

Complete this section ONLY if you are applying for a visa/permit for the purpose of culturally arranged marriage.

**B1** Are you coming to New Zealand for the purpose of entering a marriage in accordance with an identified cultural tradition where the arrangements for the marriage, including the initial selection of the persons to be married, are made by persons who are not parties to the marriage? Yes  No

**B2** Do you intend to marry within 3 months of your arrival in New Zealand? Yes  No

**B3** Please mark the box to confirm you have supplied the following items:

- Evidence that the person you intend to marry is a New Zealand citizen or resident; and
- Evidence that the New Zealand citizen or resident you intend to marry:
  - supports your application in writing; and
  - is eligible to sponsor your application
- Evidence that there is no legal impediment to the intended marriage; and
- Evidence that the marriage follows an identified cultural tradition; and
- Evidence that you and the New Zealand citizen or resident you intend to marry comply with the minimum requirements for the recognition of partnership.

## Partner

**C1** Name as shown in passport  
 Family:  Given:

**C2** Preferred title Mr  Mrs  Ms  Miss  Dr  other   
 (please specify)

**C3** Other names they are known by

**C4** Name in ethnic script

**C5** Gender Male  Female  **C6** Date of birth   
day month year

**C7** Place and country of birth Place:  Country:

**C8** Your citizenship

**C9** Passport details Number:  Country:

**C10** Other citizenships currently held

**C11** Is your partner included in this application? Yes  No

Attach one recent passport size photograph. Write name on back.

## Dependent Children

**C12** Supply the following details for each dependent child included in this application:

Child's name as shown in passport  
 Family:  Given:

**C13** Male  Female  **C14** Date of birth   
day month year

**C15** Country of birth

**C16** Passport number

**C17** Country of citizenship

**C18** Other citizenships currently held

Attach one recent passport size photograph. Write name on back.

Dependent Child 1

Child's name as shown in passport  
 Family:  Given:

**C20** Male  Female  **C21** Date of birth   
day month year

**C22** Country of birth

**C23** Passport number

**C24** Country of citizenship

**C25** Other citizenships currently held

Attach one recent passport size photograph. Write name on back.

Dependent Child 2

Dependent Child 3

**C26** Child's name as shown in passport  
 Family:  Given:

Attach one recent passport size photograph. Write name on back.

**C27** Male  Female

**C28** Date of birth     
day month year

**C29** Country of birth

**C30** Passport number

**C31** Country of citizenship

**C32** Other citizenships currently held

Dependent Child 4

**C33** Child's name as shown in passport  
 Family:  Given:

Attach one recent passport size photograph. Write name on back.

**C34** Male  Female

**C35** Date of birth     
day month year

**B36** Country of birth

**C37** Passport number

**C38** Country of citizenship

**C39** Other citizenships currently held

## Character Details

Have you or any person included in this application been:

- convicted
- charged
- under investigation

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>

for any offence(s) against the law in any country; or

- deported
- excluded (refused entry)
- removed

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>

from any country.

If you have marked **Yes** to any of the above. Please provide details below:


# Health Details

Are you, or any person included in the application, currently receiving, or likely to require during your time in New Zealand:

- dialysis treatment, or a consultant physician has indicated that such treatment will be required in the future; or Yes  No
- treatment for active tuberculosis; or Yes  No
- treatment for a mental disorder or intellectual disability that has needed care in a hospital or supervised residence for more than 90 days in the last 2 years; or Yes  No
- treatment for a physical incapacity that requires full-time care Yes  No

If you have answered **Yes** to any of the above questions, please provide details below:


**Please Note:** All immigration visa and permit holders who access health services in New Zealand should carry a current passport to enable health providers to document eligibility status. We strongly recommend that you have comprehensive health insurance for the duration of your visit. For more information visit the Ministry of Health website at [www.moh.govt.nz](http://www.moh.govt.nz).

# Declaration

I understand the questions and contents of this form, and the information I have provided is true and correct.

I understand that if, between the time that I make this application and the time it is decided, or between the time I am issued with a visa and the time I travel to New Zealand, any relevant matter relating to the application changes, I am obliged to inform the NZIS.

I understand I am responsible for making sure I leave New Zealand before my permit expires and that if I do not I may face removal action.

Residents and people holding work permits for a stay of two years or more (and their dependent children) are eligible for publicly funded health and disability services. Other work permit holders, students, and visitor permit holders generally are not eligible. People covered by New Zealand's Reciprocal Health Agreements with Australia and the UK are entitled to publicly funded health care for immediately necessary medical treatment only. I understand that if not entitled to free treatment, I will pay for any health care or medical assistance I or any person included in my application may require in New Zealand.

I authorise NZIS to provide information about my state of health and my immigration status to any health service agency. I authorise any health service agency to provide information about my state of health to the NZIS.

I authorise NZIS to make any enquiries it considers necessary in respect of information provided on this form in order to make a decision on this application and enquiries about my subsequent immigration status. I authorise any agency which holds information (including personal information) relevant to those matters to disclose that information to NZIS.

If granted a Limited Purpose Permit I understand that I am subject to immediate removal from New Zealand without appeal if I fail to leave New Zealand on or before the expiry date of that Permit.

Signature of principal applicant

day month year

Signature of partner

day month year

Signature of dependent child

day month year

Signature of dependent child

day month year

Signature of dependent child

day month year

Note: a parent or guardian may sign on behalf of any children aged under 17 years.

## Important Note

If you are an applicant who is using this form to apply for a Limited Purpose Visa you should have specifically chosen to take the Limited Purpose Visa option rather than apply for a Visitor's Visa. You will also have specified an "express purpose" in coming to New Zealand and will understand the limitations of a Limited Purpose Permit compared to a Visitor's Permit.

# Declaration for Person Assisting the Applicant to Complete This Form

To be completed and signed by any person who has assisted the applicant to complete this form by explaining, translating or filling in the form for the applicant.

Full name of person assisting:

Address of person assisting:

  

I understand that after the applicant has signed this form it is an offence to alter or enter further information on it, alter any material attached to it, or attach any further material to it, unless the person making the alteration or addition states on the form what information or material has been altered or attached, why and by whom. I understand that the maximum penalty for this offence is a fine of up to NZ\$100,000 and/or a term of imprisonment of up to 7 years.

I certify that I have assisted in the completion of this form and any additional forms at the request of the applicant **and** that the applicant understood the content of the form(s) and agreed that the information provided is correct before signing the declaration. I have assisted the applicant as a:

lawyer  agent, consultant or representative  translator  friend or family member  other advisor

Please specify:

Signature of person assisting:

day month year

## Payment Details

Amount enclosed

I am paying by cash

I am paying by electronic direct debit (eg EFTPOS).

I am paying by cheque

Please charge to my Visa/Mastercard: details as follows:

**Note:** For credit card or personal cheque payments outside New Zealand please check with your nearest diplomatic or consular office.

Card type      Expiry date      Card number      Name of card holder

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Signature

day month year

## Collection Details

I wish to collect my documents when ready.

Please return all documents to me by "secure" post at the address given.

## Privacy Act

The information about you on this form is collected to determine your eligibility for a Visitor's Visa or Permit or, as the situation requires, for a Limited Purpose Visa or Permit.

The main recipient of the information is the New Zealand Immigration Service of the Department of Labour but it may also be shared with other Government agencies which are entitled to this information under applicable legislation, or with other agencies in accordance with an authority in the form.

The address of the New Zealand Immigration Service is PO Box 3705, Wellington, New Zealand. **This is not where your application should be sent.**

The collection of the information is authorised by the Immigration Act 1987 and the Immigration Regulations made under that Act. The supply of the information is voluntary, but if you do not supply it then your application is likely to be declined.

You will, if you come to New Zealand, have a right to access the information about you held by the New Zealand Immigration Service and to ask for any of it to be corrected if you think that is necessary.

**Your application should be sent to your nearest New Zealand Immigration Service Branch or New Zealand Embassy or High Commission.**

## More Information and Advice

You can get more information and advice from:

- New Zealand diplomatic and consular offices.
- Any of our NZIS branch offices overseas. We have overseas offices in Apia, Bangkok, Beijing, Hong Kong, Jakarta, London, Moscow, New Delhi, Nuku'alofa, Shanghai, Singapore, Suva, Sydney, and Taipei.
- Any of our NZIS branch offices in New Zealand, which are located in Auckland, Manukau, Hamilton, Palmerston North, Wellington, Christchurch and Dunedin.

All NZIS forms, leaflets, and fee information can be downloaded from our website at: [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz).



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