



Australian Government

Department of Home Affairs

# Application by a subclass 445 dependent child for a permanent partner visa

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The Department of Home Affairs (the Department) acknowledges that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples are the traditional custodians of the Australian land.

## 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.

This includes understanding that the English language, as the national language, is an important unifying element of Australian society. Australian society is also united through the following shared values:

- respect for the freedom and dignity of the individual;
- freedom of religion (including the freedom not to follow a particular religion), freedom of speech, and freedom of association;
- commitment to the rule of law, which means that all people are subject to the law and should obey it;
- parliamentary democracy whereby our laws are determined by parliaments elected by the people, those laws being paramount and overriding any other inconsistent religious or secular 'laws';
- equality of opportunity for all people, regardless of their gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, race, or national or ethnic origin;
- a 'fair go' for all that embraces:
  - mutual respect;
  - tolerance;
  - compassion for those in need; and
  - equality of opportunity for all.

The *Life in Australia* booklet provides more information on the values that Australians share and their way of life. This booklet is available in a wide range of languages and can be obtained from [www.homeaffairs.gov.au](http://www.homeaffairs.gov.au)

You are encouraged to read the *Life in Australia* booklet before completing this application form. If you have difficulty, or are unable to read the booklet, you may have the content of it explained to you, for example, by a friend or relative. This form contains a statement, that you must sign, that confirms you understand and will undertake to conduct yourself in accordance with the values of Australian society (as explained in the booklet) and will obey the laws of Australia.

This statement must also be signed by each person aged 18 years or over, who is included in this form.

## About this form

Important – Please read this information carefully before completing the application. Once the application is completed we strongly advise that the applicant keep a copy for their records.

## Who can use this form

Form 1002 is an application to be used by an Extended Eligibility (temporary) visa (Dependent Child subclass 445) visa holder. It enables the subclass 445 visa holder and, if applicable, any dependants of that child to be added to a parent's permanent partner visa application.

That parent must have already been granted a Partner (provisional) (subclass 309) or a Partner (temporary) (subclass 820) visa, but their permanent Partner (subclass 100 or 801) visa must not as yet have been granted.

**Note:** For parents who lodged a partner visa application before 1 July 2009, they would have been granted either a provisional/temporary Spouse (subclass 309 or 820) or Interdependency (subclass 310 or 826) visa).

**Failure to submit a form 1002, depending on the circumstances, may result in the subclass 445 visa holder child becoming unlawful and/or there not being any other permanent visa options available to them.**

## Integrity of application

The Department is committed to maintaining the integrity of the visa and citizenship programmes. In relation to this application, if you or a member of your family unit:

- provide, or have provided in a previous application, fraudulent documents or false or misleading information (knowingly or not); and/or
- fail to satisfy, or have failed to satisfy in a previous application, the Minister of your or their identity;

this visa application may be refused and you, and any members of your family unit, may become unable to be granted a visa for specified periods of time, as set out in migration legislation.

If documents are found to be fraudulent or information to be incorrect after the grant of a visa, the visa may subsequently be cancelled.

## Dependants

If the subclass 445 visa holding child has dependants, their details must be included at Question 23 of this form.

## Visa Application Charge

There is no Visa Application Charge.

## Health requirement

Applicants may have already undertaken a health assessment for their visa. However, the Department reserves the right to request additional health examinations as part of this visa application process.

## Character requirement

Applicants may have already undertaken a character assessment for their visa. However, it may be necessary for this check to be done again. The office of the Department processing the application will advise if this is the case.

## Parental responsibility requirement

If the child is under 18 years of age, the office of the Department that granted the subclass 445 visa will have asked for acceptable evidence that the parent has the sole legal right to decide where the child can live, or that all persons with this right consent to the applicant residing permanently in Australia. However, the office of the Department processing this application **must** be advised if there are any changes to custodial and guardianship arrangements.

## Making a valid application

To lodge a valid application:

- complete this form;
- provide the address where the applicant intends to live while the application is being dealt with. Failure to give a residential address will result in the application being invalid.  
**Note:** A post office box address will not be accepted as an applicant's residential address;
- attach any documentation that is required to be provided with this application; and
- send this application by post or courier to the office of the Department that is processing the parent's permanent partner visa application.

### The applicant must ensure that:

- the form is completed in English;
- all questions are answered truthfully; and
- supporting documents are provided where necessary.

**If incorrect information or documents are provided, this may affect whether a visa is granted or not, or whether the visa might subsequently be cancelled.**

Read the notes on each question. If a question is not applicable, write 'N/A'. Any changes or corrections made to the form must be initialled and dated by each person who signs the form. If additional sheets of paper are attached to this application, ensure each page is signed and dated by all persons who sign the form.

## Supporting documents

The Department may ask for further documentation during the processing of this application. 'Certified copies' of documents mean copies authorised or stamped as being true copies of originals by a person or agency recognised by the law of the child's home country. In Australia, they must be certified by a justice of the peace or commissioner for declarations or by a person before whom a statutory declaration may be made.

All documents not in English must be accompanied by a certified English translation of the original. Originals of the documents may be asked for at a later stage. Do not provide originals unless the Department specifically asks for them.

## Health

All applicants for permanent visas including the main applicant and any members of the family unit must be assessed against the health requirement.

In addition, in certain circumstances, family members who are not applying for the visa will be assessed against the health requirement. Further information about the health requirement is available on the Department's website

<https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/help-support/meeting-our-requirements/health/who-needs-health-examinations>

**Note:** Applicants may have already undertaken a health assessment for their visa. However, the Department reserves the right to request additional health examinations as part of this visa application process.

## Important information about privacy

The *Privacy Act 1988* contains 13 Australian Privacy Principles which regulate the way that the Department collects and handles personal information. Information about how the Department collects, uses and discloses personal information for its key functions can be found in form 1442i *Privacy notice*. More information about the Department's general information handling practices (including form 1442i) can be found in the Department's Privacy policy at <https://www.homeaffairs.gov.au/access-and-accountability/our-commitments/privacy>

## What is immigration assistance?

A person gives immigration assistance if he or she uses, or purports to use, his or her knowledge or experience in migration procedure to assist a person with matters related under the *Migration Act 1958*.

The most common times assistance is provided is during visa application processes, visa cancellation processes or sponsorship processes (including monitoring or sanctions).

**Note:** Immigration assistance does not include simply filling in an application form, translating or interpreting or passing on information about an application without comment or explanation.

## Registered migration agents

A registered migration agent is a person who is registered with the Office of the Migration Agents Registration Authority (OMARA) to provide immigration assistance.

If operating in Australia, migration agents must be registered with the OMARA.

Information on registered migration agents, including how to find one, is available on the OMARA website [www.mara.gov.au](http://www.mara.gov.au)

## Legal practitioners

A legal practitioner is a lawyer who holds an Australian legal practising certificate (whether restricted or unrestricted) granted under a law of an Australian state or territory.

Legal practitioners can provide immigration assistance in connection with legal practice.

Information on legal practitioners, including how to find one, is available on the Law Council of Australia website.

Information on legal practitioners can also be sought from the relevant state or territory legal professional bodies.

## Exempt persons

The following people do not have to be a registered migration agent or legal practitioner in order to provide immigration assistance:

- a close family member (spouse, child, adopted child, parent, brother or sister of a visa applicant);
- a sponsor or nominator for a visa applicant;
- a member of parliament or their staff;
- a member of a diplomatic mission, consular post or international organisation.

An exempt person **must not charge a fee** for their assistance. In Australia, if they do charge a fee they are committing an offence and penalties of up to 10 years jail can apply.

### **Appointing a registered migration agent/legal practitioner/exempt person**

To appoint a registered migration agent/legal practitioner/exempt person you should complete *Part G – Options for receiving written communications*.

Your registered migration agent/legal practitioner/exempt person should complete form 956 *Appointment of a registered migration agent, legal practitioner or exempt person*.

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

### **Options for receiving written communications**

If you do not appoint a migration agent/legal practitioner/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 G – Options for receiving written communications*; and
- form 956A *Appointment or withdrawal of an authorised recipient*.

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

Form 956A is available from the Department's website [www.homeaffairs.gov.au/allforms/](http://www.homeaffairs.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 email 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.homeaffairs.gov.au](http://www.homeaffairs.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.

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Please open this form using Adobe Acrobat Reader.  
Either type (in English) in the fields provided or print this form  
and complete it (in English) using a pen and BLOCK LETTERS.

Tick where applicable

## Part A– Details of parent

**1** Parent's name  
Family name   
Given names

**2** Parent's visa type      Spouse       Interdependency   
Partner       Dependent child

**3** Parent's visa grant number

**4** Parent's receipt/file/client number

**5** Parent's current residential address  
  
  
Postcode

**6** Parent's address for correspondence  
*(If the same as parent's residential address, write 'AS ABOVE')*  
  
  
Postcode

**7** Telephone numbers  
Country code    Area code                      Number  
Office hours  (    ) (    )  
After hours  (    ) (    )

**8** May the Department communicate with the parent by fax, email or other electronic means?  
No   
Yes  Give details  
Country code    Area code                      Number  
Fax number  (    ) (    )  
Email address

## Part B– Details of child

**9** Child's name  
Family name   
Given names

**10** Sex    Male     Female     Indeterminate / Intersex / Unspecified

**11** Child's date of birth      Day    Month    Year

**12** Child's place of birth  
Town/city   
Country

**13** Child's citizenship   
Details from child's passport  
Passport number   
Country of passport   
Date of issue      Day    Month    Year   
Date of expiry   
Issuing authority/place of issue as shown in passport

**14** Details of identity card or identity number issued to the child by his/her government *(if applicable)* eg. National identity card.  
**Note:** If the child is the holder of multiple identity numbers because he/she is a citizen of more than one country, you need to enter the identity number on the card from the country that the child lives in.  
Identity number   
Country of issue

**15** Child's date of arrival in Australia *(if relevant)*      Day    Month    Year

**16** Child's visa grant number

**Note:** If this visa application is refused, notification will be by mail.

**17** Child's current residential address

**Note:** A post office box address will not be accepted as a residential address. Failure to give the child's residential address will result in this application being invalid.

Postcode

**18** Child's address for correspondence

*(If the same as child's residential address, write 'AS ABOVE')*

Postcode

**19** Has the child had an application for a visa refused since last entering Australia?

No   
 Yes

**20** Has the child ever had a visa cancelled?

No   
 Yes

**21** Is the child currently awaiting a decision on another visa application?

No   
 Yes

**22** May the Department communicate with the child by fax, email or other electronic means?

No   
 Yes  Give details

Fax number

Country code	Area code	Number
(    )	(    )	

Email address

**Note:** If this visa application is refused, notification will be by mail.

**23** Give details of ALL the child's dependent children

Full name	Sex *	Date of birth			Country of current residence	Citizenship	Migrating with you?	
	M/F/X	Day	Month	Year			No	Yes
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\* M = Male, F = Female, X = Indeterminate / Intersex / Unspecified









## Part H – Declarations

### 31 AUSTRALIAN VALUES STATEMENT

This statement must be signed by the main applicant and each person aged 18 years or older who is included in this application.

I confirm that I have read, or had explained to me, information provided by the Australian Government on Australian society and values.

I understand that Australian society values:

- respect for the freedom and dignity of the individual;
- freedom of religion (including the freedom not to follow a particular religion), freedom of speech, and freedom of association;
- commitment to the rule of law, which means that all people are subject to the law and should obey it;
- parliamentary democracy whereby our laws are determined by parliaments elected by the people, those laws being paramount and overriding any other inconsistent religious or secular 'laws';
- equality of opportunity for all people, regardless of their gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, race, or national or ethnic origin;
- a 'fair go' for all that embraces:
  - mutual respect;
  - tolerance;
  - compassion for those in need;
  - equality of opportunity for all;
- the English language as the national language, and as an important unifying element of Australian society.

I undertake to conduct myself in accordance with these values of Australian society during my stay in Australia and to obey the laws of Australia.

I undertake to make reasonable efforts to learn the English language, if it is not my native language.

I understand that, if in the future I meet the legal qualifications for becoming an Australian citizen and my application is approved, I will need to pledge my loyalty to Australia and its people.

**Signature of main applicant**

Day    Month    Year

Date

**Signature**

Name

**Signature**

Name

**Signature**

Name

This declaration must be signed by the parent and the child.

If the applicant is under 16, this declaration may be signed, on behalf of the child, by the child's parent, relative or guardian as appropriate.

### 32 DECLARATION

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

- I declare that the information supplied on this application is complete, correct and up-to-date in every detail.
- I understand that if this application is approved, any person not included in this application will not have automatic right of entry to Australia by way of this application and whether they can migrate will depend on the migration settings at the time they apply, their circumstances and their ability to meet visa requirements, including the health requirement.
- I will inform the Department of any changes to my personal circumstances (including change of address) while my application is being considered.
- I authorise the Australian Government to make any enquiries necessary to determine my eligibility for permanent stay in Australia, and to use any information supplied in this application for that purpose.
- I have read and understood the information supplied to me in this application.
- I have read the information contained in form 1442i *Privacy notice*.
- I understand the Department may collect, use and disclose my personal information (including biometric information and other sensitive information) as outlined in form 1442i *Privacy notice*.
- I understand that if any fraudulent documents or false or misleading information has been provided with this application, or if I fail to satisfy the Minister of my identity, my application may be refused and I, and any other member of my family unit, may become unable to be granted a visa for specified periods of time.
- If documents are found to be fraudulent or information to be incorrect after the grant of a visa, the visa may subsequently be cancelled.

**Signature of parent**

Day    Month    Year

Date

**Signature of child\***

\* a parent, relative or guardian may sign if child is under 16

Day    Month    Year

Date

We strongly advise that the applicant keep a copy of the application and all attachments for their records.

#### Office use only

File number

Date of lodgement

Office of lodgement