

Verification of working life residence in Australia

Purpose of this form

The information collected in this form is used to confirm your periods of working life residence in Australia.

Working life residence periods are periods where you lived in Australia as an Australian resident between the ages of 16 and Age Pension age.

Filling in this form

- Use black or blue pen.
- Print in BLOCK LETTERS.
- Where you see a box like this **Go to 1** skip to the question number shown.

For more information

Go to servicesaustralia.gov.au or visit one of our service centres.

Call us on **131 673** (+61 3 6222 3455 if you are outside Australia). You can call us between 8 am and 5 pm (Hobart time), Monday to Friday.

Call charges may apply.

Returning this form

Check that all required questions are answered and that the form is signed and dated.

You can return this form and any supporting documents:

- by post to:
Services Australia
International Services
PO Box 7809
CANBERRA BC ACT 2610
Australia
- in person at one of our service centres, or at an office of the social insurance agency in your country, if you are outside Australia.

If you lodge in person, your original documents can be copied and returned to you.

If you send original documents to us, we will make copies and return the original documents to you.

If you need advice, call us on **131 673** (+61 3 6222 3455 if you are outside Australia). You can call us between 8 am and 5 pm (Hobart time), Monday to Friday.

Personal details

1 Your Centrelink Customer Reference Number (if known)

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2 Your Social Insurance Reference Number or Identity Number in country other than Australia (if known)

3 Your name

Mr Mrs Miss Ms Mx

Other

Family name

First given name

Second given name

4 Your date of birth

Day	Month	Year
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

5 Have you been known by any other name(s)?

Include:

- name at birth
- name before marriage
- previous married name
- Aboriginal or skin name
- alias
- adoptive name
- foster name.

No Go to next question

Yes Give details below

1 Other name

Type of name (for example, name at birth)

2 Other name

Type of name (for example, name before marriage)

If you need more space, provide a separate sheet with details.

6 Your contact phone number

7 Are you claiming a survivor's pension?

No Go to 10

Yes Go to next question

8 Read this before answering the following questions.

The remaining questions 8 to 14 are to be completed with your **deceased partner's details**.

Social Insurance Reference Number or Identity Number in country other than Australia (if known) of your deceased partner

9 Name of your deceased partner



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Residence

10 Read this before answering the following question.

We need to know if you have lived in any countries other than Australia. 'Lived' means where you made your home or spent a long period of time – it does not include places you visited for a holiday.

List **all** countries you have lived in since birth and the date you started living in each country.

Include when you started living in **Australia**.

Do not include short trips or holidays.

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11 Did you start living in Australia before 1965?

No Go to next question

Yes Give details below

Name of ship or airline on which you arrived

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Name of the place where you first arrived/disembarked

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What was your name when you first arrived in Australia?

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12 Your visa details on arrival

Visa subclass [] Date visa granted Day [] [] Month [] [] Year [] [] [] [] [] []

13 Has your visa changed since you arrived in Australia?

No Go to next question

Yes Most recent visa details


Visa subclass [] Date visa granted Day [] [] Month [] [] Year [] [] [] [] [] []

14 List all important personal events that occurred during your residence in Australia, providing as much detail as possible.

This will help us verify your residence in Australia.

For example:

- name, place and date of birth of children
- name, address and dates of employment
- details of schools that children attended
- names, addresses of property owned.

 You must provide documents that we can use to confirm your periods of residence in Australia. If you live in Australia, take these documents to your local Services Australia office. If you live outside Australia, take these documents to any office of the social security authorities in the country in which you live. The documents will be copied and returned to you.

Suitable documents are:

- passport
- Australian citizenship certificate
- group certificates
- education certificates
- references from employers showing periods of employment
- marriage certificate
- birth certificate
- birth certificate of any of your children born in Australia
- any other documents which may help to confirm your residence in Australia during your working life.

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If you need more space, provide a separate sheet with details.

Privacy notice

15 You need to read this

Privacy and your personal information

The privacy and security of your personal information is important to Services Australia, and is protected by law. Services Australia collects this information to provide payments and services. Services Australia only shares your information with other parties where you have agreed, or where the law allows or requires it. For more information, go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/privacy

Declaration

16 I declare that:

- the information I have provided in this form is complete and correct.

I understand that:

- Services Australia can make relevant enquiries to make sure I get the correct entitlement.
- giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.

I give permission for:

- Services Australia to exchange information with a social security agreement partner in order to make sure I receive my correct social security entitlement.

Your signature

Signature box containing a pen icon.

Date

Day	Month	Year
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