



Who should complete this form?

This form should be completed by a person with a disability, illness or injury who is looking for work and is applying for a Centrelink payment or claiming a pension from another country.

Please return the completed form **within 28 days** of receiving it, to ensure that you get assistance from the earliest date possible.

1 Customer details

Centrelink Reference Number (if known) - - -

Family name

Maiden name (if applicable)

Previous married name (if applicable)

Other aliases (if applicable)

Given name(s)

Date of birth

Day	Month	Year
/	/	

 Male Female

Address

Postcode

Is there a telephone number we can contact you on? No
Yes ()

Do you need an interpreter? No
Yes Preferred language

2 Please list any disabilities, illnesses or injuries that you have

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3 When did these disabilities, illnesses or injuries start to make it difficult for you to work or study full-time?

Month	/	Year
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OR I have had my disabilities or illnesses since birth

4 Are you getting any treatment for your disabilities, illnesses or injuries?

No

Yes Please give details

e.g. medication, physical therapy, counselling

If you need more space please attach a separate sheet of paper with details.

5 Have you ever been hospitalised because of these disabilities, illnesses or injuries?

No

Yes Date of last admission

Day	/	Month	/	Year
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Name of hospital

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Duration of stay

From

Day	/	Month	/	Year
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To

Day	/	Month	/	Year
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Reason for admission
e.g. operation, investigation, treatment

Number of admissions in the last 5 years

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6 Are you expecting to have an operation in the future?

No

Yes Type of operation/procedure

Expected date (if known)

Day	/	Month	/	Year
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Where will operation take place (if known)

Reason for operation

7 How often does your disability, illness or injury make it difficult for you to:

no problem sometimes often all the time **Please give further details (if applicable)**

sit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
stand	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
walk	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
climb stairs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
drive a car	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
use public transport	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
pick up objects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
handle objects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
lift	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
carry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
bend	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
operate everyday appliances or machinery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
read	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
write	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
speak	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
hear	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
concentrate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
remember	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
interact with others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
attend work or other appointments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
understand or follow instructions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
sleep	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
breathe	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
manage your personal affairs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
care for yourself*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
care for others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

* If you have someone caring for you full-time, they may be eligible for a payment for carers. Please contact International Services if you need further details.

8 In a workplace, would your disabilities, illnesses or injuries make it difficult for you to:	no	sometimes	often	all the time	Please give further details (if applicable)
A interact with others?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
B maintain appropriate behaviour?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
C cope with work related stress or pressure?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
D learn new tasks?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
E remember how to do tasks?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
F understand and follow instructions?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
G concentrate?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
H persist at tasks without unscheduled breaks?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
I undertake more than one task?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
J look after your personal care needs?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
K physically complete tasks?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
L move safely around the workplace?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
M communicate with others?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
N control the use of your language?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

9 Who is the doctor who you usually see about your disabilities, illnesses or injuries? e.g. your general practitioner.

Name

Address

Postcode

Telephone ()

Do you give permission for us to contact this person? No Yes

10 Have any specialists or other doctors treated you for these disabilities, illnesses or injuries?

No Yes

Name

Address

Postcode

Telephone ()

Date of last visit Day / Month / Year

Conditions for which you were treated

If you have specialist reports, please attach copies.

11 Is there anybody else you have consulted or that has assisted you with any of your disabilities, illnesses or injuries?

e.g. • counsellor
 • social worker
 • community health worker
 • teacher
 • psychologist
 • physiotherapist

No Yes

1 Name

Profession

Address

Postcode

Telephone ()

Do you give permission for us to contact this person? No Yes

2 Name

Profession

Address

Postcode

Telephone ()

Do you give permission for us to contact this person? No Yes

If you need more space, please attach a separate sheet of paper with details.

12 Is there any other information you feel we need to know about your disabilities, illnesses or injuries?

No Yes

Please give details

If you need more space, please attach a separate sheet of paper with details.

17 Have you been given or offered extra support in the workplace because of your disability, illness or injury, such as modification to your environment, reduced hours of work, alternative duties, retraining etc?

No

Yes Please give details

If you need more space, please attach a separate sheet of paper with details.

18 Have you participated in any programs to help you find work, stay in a job, return to work, manage your injury or help you with vocational rehabilitation, gaining new skills, work experience or training?

No

Yes

1	Name of provider	<input type="text"/>
	Type of program	<input type="text"/>
	Dates you participated	From <input type="text"/> To <input type="text"/> <small>Day / Month / Year Day / Month / Year</small>
2	Name of provider	<input type="text"/>
	Type of program	<input type="text"/>
	Dates you participated	From <input type="text"/> To <input type="text"/> <small>Day / Month / Year Day / Month / Year</small>

Attach any documentation you have which provides details of your participation in the program, including when the program started and finished, the requirements of the program, what activities you undertook while in the program and for how long.

19 Is there any reason why you could not do a rehabilitation or training program in the future?

No

Yes Is this because you are about to have other treatment?

No

Yes Please give details

If you need more space, please attach a separate sheet of paper with details.

Is this drug or alcohol related?

No

Yes

Is there another reason?

No

Yes Please give details

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20 When do you think you will be able to start part-time or full-time work or study?

now

within
6 months

6-12 months

12-24 months

more than
2 years

never

21 Did someone help you complete this form?

No

Yes Who helped you?

Name

Address

Postcode

Telephone

Do you give permission for us to contact this person? No Yes

22 IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Privacy and your personal information

Your personal information is protected by law (including the *Privacy Act 1988*) and is collected by the Australian Government Department of Human Services for the assessment and administration of payments and services. This information is required to process your application or claim.

Your information may be used by the department, or given to other parties where you have agreed to that, or where it is required or authorised by law (including for the purpose of research or conducting investigations).

You can get more information about the way in which the department will manage your personal information, including our privacy policy, at humanservices.gov.au/privacy

23 Your statement

If the customer cannot sign this form, it should be signed by their legal representative and a copy of their guardianship or power of attorney papers should be attached.

I declare that:

- the information I have given is correct.

I understand that:

- giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.

Your signature



Date

Day	Month	Year
/	/	

Return this form to:

**Department of Human Services
International Services
PO Box 7809
Canberra BC ACT 2610
AUSTRALIA**

- 1 Check that you have read and signed your statement above.
- 2 Attach any further information you feel supports your application. If you cannot provide all of the documents immediately, do not delay returning your form. Please supply any remaining documents as soon as possible to Department of Human Services, International Services, PO Box 7809, Canberra BC ACT 2610, AUSTRALIA.

ENQUIRIES

If you have any questions, please call the Department of Human Services direct (free of charge) on **1866 3433 086** (between 8.00 am and 5.00 pm Hobart Time, Monday to Friday).

This service may not be available from all locations in the USA.

If this service is not available call the Department of Human Services on **(+61 3) 6222 3455** (outside Australia) or **131 673** (inside Australia)

Note: Call charges apply – calls from mobile phones may be charged at a higher rate.