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# Expression of Interest Form

Skilled Migrant Category

## Use the guide to help you complete the Expression of Interest (EOI) form

For help completing this form, refer to the *Skilled Migrant Category Expression of Interest Guide (INZ 1101)*.

When you submit this Expression of Interest to Immigration New Zealand (INZ), we will consider offering you an Invitation to Apply for residence in New Zealand under the Skilled Migrant Category only if you meet the following requirements:

- character
- health
- English language
- age
- the minimum threshold of 100 points for employability and capacity-building factors.

The criteria for each of these requirements are explained in this form as per the Residence Instructions (Skilled Migrant Category).

If you are unsure whether you meet the prerequisites, use the Skilled Migrant Quick Check and the Points Indicator at [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz) to get an idea of whether it's worth completing an Expression of Interest.

**You must complete all the questions in the form**, unless the form specifically directs you straight to another question or section further on. If a question does not apply to you, mark it 'N/A' or 'not applicable'.

If you leave questions that qualify for the award of points blank, this will be interpreted as a 'no' answer. If you fail to answer any questions or to mark them clearly as 'N/A' or 'not applicable', we may send the incomplete form back to you and it will not be submitted into the Expression of Interest Pool until all the necessary information is provided.

Expressions of Interest must be accompanied by the correct Expression of Interest fee.

**Do not send supporting documentation with your Expression of Interest form. Include only any additional sheets required to complete questions in the form.**

Detailed explanations to assist you to fill out this form can be found in the *Skilled Migrant Category Expression of Interest Guide (INZ 1101)* or on our website at [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz).

If you are found to have provided false information or to have omitted any relevant information in your Expression of Interest, any subsequent application may be declined and you will lose the right to appeal any decision to decline your application.

### Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007

Under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007 it is an offence to provide immigration advice without being licensed or exempt. If your immigration adviser is not licensed when they should be, Immigration New Zealand will return your application.

For more information and to view the register of licensed advisers, go to the Immigration Advisers Authority website [www.iaa.govt.nz](http://www.iaa.govt.nz) or email [info@iaa.govt.nz](mailto:info@iaa.govt.nz).

Lawyers provide immigration advice and are exempt from licensing under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007. For more information and to view the register of immigration lawyers, go to the New Zealand Law Society website [www.lawsociety.org.nz](http://www.lawsociety.org.nz).

## Section A Identity

In this section we need to confirm that you are who you say you are.

**A1** Name as shown in passport  
Family/last name  Given/first name(s)

**A2** Provide all other names you are known by or have ever been known by

**A3** Preferred title Mr  Mrs  Ms  Miss  Dr  Other (specify)

**A4** Gender  Male  Female

**A5** Date of birth

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*You are eligible for points for your age up to the age of 56. If you are aged 56 and over your Expression of Interest will not be accepted into the Pool and you should not complete any further questions. Section SM18 of the Skilled Migrant Category refers.*

**A6** Town/city of birth   
Country of birth

**A7** Birth certificate number   
Name of the issuing authority

**A8** Main country of citizenship

**A9** Details of all passports held.

### Passport 1

Number  Country   
Expiry date  Issue date  Place of issue   
Family/last name as shown in passport  Given/first name(s) as shown in passport

### Passport 2

Number  Country   
Expiry date  Issue date  Place of issue   
Family/last name as shown in passport  Given/first name(s) as shown in passport

### Passport 3

Number  Country   
Expiry date  Issue date  Place of issue   
Family/last name as shown in passport  Given/first name(s) as shown in passport

**A10** List other citizenships you hold

**A11** Where applicable, provide the following details.

**Driver licence 1**

Name(s) as shown on driver licence

Driver licence number

Expiry date  Valid for which country/state/area

**Driver licence 2**

Name(s) as shown on driver licence

Driver licence number

Expiry date  Valid for which country/state/area

**Driver licence 3**

Name(s) as shown on driver licence

Driver licence number

Expiry date  Valid for which country/state/area

**Taxation number**

Taxation number

Country

**Social Security number**

Social Security number

Country

**National ID number** or other unique identifier that was issued to you by any government.

National ID number

Country

**Chinese Commercial Code**

**A12** List all countries, including all countries of citizenship, you have lived in for a total of 12 months or more in the last 10 years. Include all countries where your stay has been broken by any departures. Start with the country that you live in now.

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*Please note: It is a mandatory requirement (see instructions R2.40) for first time applicants for a residence class visa aged 17 and over to obtain a police or similar certificate from:*

- the applicant's country (or countries) of citizenship; and
- each country in which the applicant has lived for 12 months or more (whether on one visit or intermittently) in the last 10 years (but see A5.10.1).

**A13** Provide your residential address and contact details (do not use your adviser's address). This will be considered your permanent place of residence for tax purposes.

Address

Telephone (daytime)  Telephone (evening)

Fax  Email

*If different from your residential address, provide your mailing address (do not use your adviser's address).*

*If you are in New Zealand and list a New Zealand address, this will be your New Zealand address for the purpose of the New Zealand Immigration Act.*

Number and street name/PO Box

Suburb

City, PIN/ZIP code

Country

*If your residential address is in New Zealand, also provide your last residential address in your main country of citizenship.*

Number and street name/PO Box

Suburb

City, PIN/ZIP code

Country

**A14** What is your current partnership status? (Select only one)

- Married/in civil union     Single     Partnership     Separated  
 Engaged     Widowed     Divorced

Note: If you have a partner it is important to declare at **A16** whether they are to be included in this Expression of Interest or not.

**A15** If you have selected Married/in civil union, Partnership or Engaged, do you meet the minimum requirements for recognition of partnerships, as defined in the guide? (Please ensure you have read and understood these instructions before selecting yes.)  Yes  No

**i** Refer to the guide under Partner in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

**A16** Will your partner be included in your residence application?  Yes  No

If no, please explain why your partner is not being included in your residence application?

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**A17** How many children do you have? *This includes biological, adopted and stepchildren from previous marriages/relationships.*

Will any of these children be included in your residence application?  Yes  No

For each **dependent** child who will be included in your residence application, complete a *Child Supplement Expression of Interest Form (INZ 1103)*. Refer to the Summary of Terms - Dependent Children in the *Skilled Migrant Category Expression of Interest Guide (INZ 1101)*.

**If you are separated or divorced and bringing a child under 16 years of age with you to New Zealand, we will need to see proof of their right to leave their home country and your right to remove them before any residence application can be granted. Section F5.20 of Residence Instructions refers.**

**A18** Have you received immigration advice on this Expression of Interest?

**i** You can find a definition of immigration advice at [www.immigration.govt.nz/advice](http://www.immigration.govt.nz/advice).

- Yes. *Make sure that your immigration adviser completes Section Q: Immigration adviser's details.*  
 No

**A19** Indicate who you prefer INZ to communicate directly with. Select only one.

- You  
 The person listed in Section R: Declaration by person assisting the applicant.

**A20** What is your preferred means of communication in relation to this Expression of Interest?  Email  Letter

**A21** Have you previously submitted an EOI?  Yes  No

If you have previously submitted an EOI, please provide the EOI number here, if known.

## Section B Character

In this section we need to confirm that you are of good character which is a prerequisite of the Skilled Migrant Category. Provide the following details about your character.

Questions **B1** to **B6** relate to sections 15 and 16 of the Immigration Act. People described in sections 15 and 16 of the Immigration Act cannot ordinarily be granted residence in New Zealand.

Questions **B7** to **B15** relate to other character requirements. People described in questions B10 to B15 may require a character waiver to be granted residence.

**B1** Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment for a term of five years or more (including any suspended sentences or any expunged criminal records)?  Yes  No

**B2** Have you been sentenced to imprisonment for a term of 12 months or more within the last 10 years (including any suspended sentences or any expunged criminal records)?  Yes  No

**B3** Are you subject to a period of prohibition under the Immigration Act 2009?  Yes  No

**B4** Have you ever been:

• excluded  Yes  No

• removed or deported  Yes  No

from any country, including New Zealand?

**B5** Have you been involved in any terrorist activities or supported similar violent activities?  Yes  No

**B6** Have you ever been a member of, or adhered to, any terrorist organisation?  Yes  No

**B7** Have you been involved in any drug trading or trafficking?  Yes  No

**B8** Have you been a member of, or belonged to, any group with criminal objectives?  Yes  No

**B9** Have you been a member of, or belonged to, any group that has engaged in or supported criminal activities?

Yes  No

**If you answered Yes to any of questions **B1** to **B9**, you must provide a full explanation about the surrounding circumstances. If, having considered your explanation, INZ assesses that you are a person to whom sections 15 and 16 of the Immigration Act applies, your Expression of Interest cannot be accepted into the Pool.**

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**B10** Are you currently:

• under investigation  Yes  No

• wanted for questioning  Yes  No

• facing charges  Yes  No

for any offence in any country?

**B11** Have you been convicted at any time of any offence, including any driving offence? Please note that this includes any conviction(s) in any country subsequently cleared or wiped by 'clean slate' legislation.  Yes  No

**B12** Have you ever been refused entry to any country, including New Zealand?  Yes  No

**B13** Have you been (or are you currently) a member of an organisation or group which had/has objectives or principles based on hostility against people or groups on the basis of colour, race or ethnic/national origins; or an assumption that persons of a particular race or colour are inherently inferior or superior to other races or colours?  Yes  No

**B14** Have you at any time in a public speech or public comments, or public broadcast, or in publicly distributing or publishing a document, argued that one race or colour is inherently inferior or superior to another race or colour; or used language intended to encourage hostility or ill will against any person or group of persons on the basis of colour, race, or ethnic or national origins of that person or group?  Yes  No

**B15** Have you had (or do you currently have) an association with, membership of, or involvement with, any government, regime, group or agency that has advocated or committed war crimes, crimes against humanity and/or other gross human rights abuses?  Yes  No

**If you answered 'yes' to any of the questions B10 to B15, you must provide a full explanation about the surrounding circumstances. This includes full details of any charges, convictions and the sentence or penalty imposed. If your Expression of Interest is selected from the Pool, you may be asked to provide a police certificate or other relevant information to enable INZ to fully consider those circumstances.**

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Attach additional sheets if necessary.

## Section C Health

**In this section we need to confirm that you meet a minimum standard of health, which is a prerequisite of the Skilled Migrant Category. Providing accurate information about your health status is very important.**

**Questions C1 to C4 list medical conditions for which a medical waiver cannot be granted. People with these conditions cannot ordinarily be granted residence in New Zealand.**

**i** Read the leaflet *Health Requirements (INZ 1121)* for more information.

**C1** Do you require or are you likely to require dialysis treatment in the immediate future?  Yes  No

**C2** Do you have tuberculosis (TB)?  Yes  No

**C3** Do you have severe haemophilia?  Yes  No

**C4** Do you have a physical incapacity that requires full-time care?  Yes  No

**If you answered Yes to any of questions C1 to C4, you must provide an explanation of your medical condition. If, having considered your explanation, we assess that your medical condition is one for which a medical waiver cannot be granted, your Expression of Interest cannot be accepted into the Pool.**

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**C5** Have you been exposed to, or diagnosed with, any infectious or communicable diseases?  Yes  No

**C6** Are you receiving, or have received, any treatment for any psychiatric condition or developmental disorder?  
 Yes  No

**C7** Do you have any condition that is likely to require ongoing treatment or medication?  Yes  No

If you answered Yes to any of questions **C5** to **C7**, you must provide an explanation of your medical condition. If your Expression of Interest is selected from the Pool, you may be asked to provide a medical certificate to confirm this information to enable INZ to fully consider those circumstances.

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## Section D English language ability

In this section we ask you to confirm that you meet the minimum standard of English language, which is a prerequisite of the Skilled Migrant Category. Provide the following details about your English language ability. Section SM5 of the Skilled Migrant Category refers.

**D1** Indicate how you meet the minimum standard of English, as defined in the guide under English Language Requirements in the section 'Summary of Terms'. (Select one only)

- An English language test with the required score (IELTS overall band score of 6.5 or more, Cambridge First (FCE)/FCE for Schools overall score of 176 or more, TOEFL iBT overall score of 79 or more, PTE Academic overall score of 58 or more, OET grade B or higher in all four skills (Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking)) Go to **D3**
- Otherwise meet the minimum standard, as defined in the Guide Go to **D2**

*Note: Regardless of the statement you select, INZ may ask you to provide an English language test result.*

*If you cannot demonstrate that you meet the minimum standard of English, your Expression of Interest cannot be accepted into the Pool. You should not complete any further questions.*

**D2** Provide details explaining why you meet the minimum standard, as defined in the Guide under English Language Requirements in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

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**D3** If you have completed an English language test, please confirm which test you have taken, and provide the relevant test details that will allow us to verify your test results (e.g. test report form number, candidate/test taker ID, any other unique number assigned to you (e.g. secret number, registration number)).

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**D4** What was the date you sat your test and the score/s? 

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English language test score/s 

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## Sections E and F

The following sections outline the factors which qualify for points. To submit your Expression of Interest, you must meet the minimum threshold of 100 points.

### Section E Skilled employment in New Zealand

In this section you qualify for points and bonus points, depending on whether you have current skilled employment in New Zealand or an offer of skilled employment in New Zealand. Provide the following details about your employment. Sections SM6, SM7, SM8, SM9 and SM19 of the Skilled Migrant Category refer.

**E1** Are you claiming points for skilled employment, and declare that you meet criteria for any of the following? Refer to the guide under Skilled Employment in the section 'Summary of Terms'. Select only one.

- Current skilled employment in New Zealand for 12 months or more
- Current skilled employment in New Zealand for less than 12 months
- Offer of skilled employment in New Zealand
- None of the above *Go to* **E9**

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**E2** What is your job title? \_\_\_\_\_

**E3** What industry is your main occupation in (ie the main activity of the place where you work)?  
\_\_\_\_\_

**E4** Indicate why your job is skilled. Give a **detailed reason** in support of your claim for points. We recommend that you first check our definition of skilled employment in the *Skilled Migrant Category Expression of Interest Guide (INZ 1101)*.

You should explain what is in your job description and how this is consistent with the **occupational tasks** listed for your occupation in the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO), see [www.immigration.govt.nz/ANZSCO](http://www.immigration.govt.nz/ANZSCO). You should also explain how your recognised qualification and/or work experience is relevant to your job.

If you are claiming that your employment is skilled because it will enhance the quality of New Zealand's accomplishments and participation in that occupational area, explain:

- how your employment will achieve this; and
- what evidence you can provide to show that you have an international reputation and record of excellence in your occupational field.

For more information, refer to the guide under Skilled Employment in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

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Attach additional sheets if necessary.

**E5** Provide the following details for the skilled employment listed above.

Employer contact name (manager) | \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's job title/position | \_\_\_\_\_

Business/organisation name | \_\_\_\_\_

Number and street name | \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb/City | \_\_\_\_\_

County/Province/State PIN/ZIP | \_\_\_\_\_

Country | \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone | \_\_\_\_\_

*(Country code/Area code/Telephone number) (eg + 12 3 456 7890)*

Email | \_\_\_\_\_ Website | \_\_\_\_\_

When did you start working for this employer? | \_\_\_\_\_

What is your current annual base salary? Your annual base salary excludes any employment related allowances (for example overtime, tool or uniform allowances, medical insurance, accommodation) or bonuses.

| \_\_\_\_\_

**E6** Is your skilled employment outside Auckland? Refer to the guide under Employment outside Auckland in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

Yes  No

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**E7** Is your skilled employment in one of the identified future growth areas? If yes, provide the growth area name. Refer to the guide under Identified Future Growth Area in the section 'Summary of Terms' for the future growth area names.

Yes  No Go to **E8**

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Growth area name | \_\_\_\_\_

**E8** Is your skilled employment in one of the areas of absolute skills shortage? If yes, provide the absolute skills shortage occupation name. Refer to the Long Term Skill Shortage List (LTSSL) on our website [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz) or request a copy of the LTSSL from your nearest INZ branch.

Yes  No Go to **F1**

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Absolute skills shortage occupation name | \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: If you are invited to apply for residence your employer will need to confirm your claims in relation to questions **E7** and **E8**.*

**E9** To do your job in New Zealand, do you require full or provisional occupational registration? Refer to the guide under Occupational Registration in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

No  Yes *Provide details.*

New Zealand Occupational Registration Number (if applicable)

| \_\_\_\_\_

Name of the New Zealand Occupational Registration Body

| \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: You cannot claim these bonus points for your occupation unless you meet the specific requirements laid out in columns three and four of the Long Term Skill Shortage List.*

## Section F Recognised qualification(s)

In this section you qualify for points and bonus points if you have a recognised qualification(s). Provide the following details about your qualification(s). Sections SM14, SM15 and SM16 of the Skilled Migrant Category refer.

It is recommended that you first read about which qualifications are recognised for the award of points under the Skilled Migrant Category in the *Skilled Migrant Category Expression of Interest Guide (INZ 1101)*.

**F1** Are you claiming points for a recognised qualification(s) and declaring that you meet criteria?

Refer to the guide under Recognised Qualification in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

Yes  No

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How many qualifications are you submitting? \_\_\_\_\_

**Answer questions F2 to F6 for each of your qualifications. You should attach additional sheets if necessary; you may wish to photocopy this section to use.**

**F2** Provide the details of the recognised qualification(s) for which you are claiming points. If claiming points for a postgraduate qualification, also add details of your undergraduate qualifications.

Name of qualification (please enter the name of the qualification, exactly as it appears on the certificate)

\_\_\_\_\_

Date obtained  Major area of study \_\_\_\_\_

Date commenced studies  Date completed studies

Institution name \_\_\_\_\_

Number and street name \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

County/Province/State \_\_\_\_\_ PIN/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

(Country code/Area code/Telephone number) (eg + 12 3 456 7890)

Attach additional sheets if necessary. You may wish to photocopy this section to use.

Note: To qualify for points as a recognised qualification your qualification must have been assessed by the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA)\*, by:

- being on the List of Qualifications Exempt from Assessment (LQEA) (see F3); or
- individual assessment (see F4 to F6); or
- being on the List of Qualifications Recognised as an Exception (see F3).

**F3** Is this qualification on the List of Qualifications Exempt from Assessment (see Appendix 3 of our Instructions) or the list of Qualifications recognised as an exception (see Appendix 8)? All of the specifications of the list must be met, including the name of the qualification, the awarding institution, and the date it was awarded. Or has an Occupational Registration Body assessed your qualification(s) as comparable to a New Zealand qualification? Please read instructions SM14.5 and SM14.10 for more information.

Yes Provide the level of your qualification on the New Zealand Register of Quality Assured Qualifications \_\_\_\_\_

No

\* Your qualification may also be assessed by an Occupational Registration Body (see F3).

**F4** Has your qualification been assessed by the NZQA?

Yes  No Go to **F7**.

*Note: If you have answered 'No' to questions **F3** and **F4**, this qualification does not qualify for points as a recognised qualification.*

**F5** What are the reference number, type and level assessed by the NZQA? Refer to the Guide under Qualifications Assessment Report in the section Summary of Terms.

Reference number

Type  Preliminary (Pre-Assessment)  Interim  Full

Level

**F6** What New Zealand qualification(s) was your qualification(s) assessed as being comparable with?

*Note: If you have only submitted a Pre-Assessment Result (PAR) for your EOI, and you are invited to apply for residence, the level of your qualification will have to be confirmed through a full International Qualifications Assessment (IQA) by NZQA before points can be awarded.*

**F7** Have you studied full-time in New Zealand towards a New Zealand-recognised qualification for two years or more? Refer to the guide under Two Years Study in the 'Summary of Terms'.

Yes  No

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**F8** Do you have a recognised New Zealand qualification **gained in New Zealand**? Refer to the guide under New Zealand Qualification in the 'Summary of Terms'.

Yes Provide the details of your recognised New Zealand qualification(s) in **F9**.

No Go to **F10**.

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**F9** Name of qualification (please enter the name of the qualification, exactly as it appears on the certificate)

Date obtained         Major area of study

Date commenced studies         Date completed studies

Institution name

Number and street name

Suburb  City

County/Province/State  PIN/ZIP

Country

Telephone  Student ID#

*(Country code/Area code/Telephone number) (eg + 12 3 456 7890)*

**F10** Do you have a recognised postgraduate New Zealand qualification **gained in New Zealand**? Refer to the guide under Postgraduate New Zealand Qualification in the 'Summary of Terms'.

No Go to **F12**.

Yes Provide the details of your recognised postgraduate New Zealand qualification(s) in question **F11**.

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**F11** Name of qualification (please enter the name of the qualification, exactly as it appears on the certificate)

\_\_\_\_\_

Date obtained  Major area of study \_\_\_\_\_

Date commenced studies  Date completed studies

Institution name \_\_\_\_\_

Number and street name \_\_\_\_\_

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Suburb \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

County/Province/State \_\_\_\_\_ PIN/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

(Country code/Area code/Telephone number) (eg +12 3 456 7890)

### Qualifications and bonus points

Note: a qualification in an identified future growth area only qualifies for bonus points if you are also claiming points for current skilled employment or an offer of skilled employment in an identified future growth area. Therefore, only complete **F12** if you are claiming points for current skilled employment or an offer of skilled employment.

**F12** Are you claiming points for a qualification in one of the identified future growth areas?

Yes Provide details below. For growth area names refer to the guide under Identified Future Growth Area in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

No Go to **F13**.

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Name of qualification this applies to \_\_\_\_\_

Growth area name \_\_\_\_\_

**F13** Are you claiming points for a qualification in one of the areas of absolute skills shortage? If yes, provide the absolute skills shortage occupation name. Refer to the Long Term Skill Shortage List on our website at [www.immigration.govt.nz/LTSSL](http://www.immigration.govt.nz/LTSSL) or request a copy of the list from your nearest INZ branch.

Yes  No Go to **G1**.

Name of qualification this applies to \_\_\_\_\_

Absolute skills shortage occupation name \_\_\_\_\_

Note: you cannot claim these bonus points unless:

- you have a qualification relevant to your occupation as specified in column four of the Long Term Skill Shortage List; or
- you have skilled employment in New Zealand in an area of absolute skill shortage; and the specialist, technical or managerial expertise required for that employment was obtained through the completion of this qualification.

## Section G Recognised work experience

In this section we recognise the importance of skills and experience gained through your previous employment that:

- are readily transferable; and
- will enable you to get skilled employment in New Zealand; and
- will help you to contribute to New Zealand socially and economically.

Section G refers to Sections SM11, SM12 and SM13 of the Skilled Migrant Category.

*Note: If you do not have current skilled employment in New Zealand or an offer of skilled employment in New Zealand, or if your work experience is not in an area of absolute skills shortage, you can only qualify for points for your work experience if it is in a labour market that is comparable to New Zealand. Refer to the guide under Comparable Labour Market in the section 'Summary of Terms'.*

**G1** How many separate periods of work experience are you claiming for?

**Complete this section for each separate period of work experience you are claiming points for. You should attach additional sheets if necessary; you may wish to photocopy this section to use.**

*Note: The periods of work detailed in this section should match the total number of years of work experience claimed in **G3**.*

Work experience

From  To

Type of business/industry

Your job title/position held

Type of employment

- Volunteer  Self-employed  Independent contractor  
 Full-time employee  Part-time employee

Full-time employment for the purposes of the Skilled Migrant Category is employment that amounts to, on average, at least 30 hours per week. If you worked, on average, less than 30 hours per week, confirm your average (or minimum) hours per week

Business/organisation name

Number and street name

Suburb  City

County/Province/State  PIN/ZIP

Country

Country employer is domiciled in

Telephone  Contact name

*(Country code/Area code/Telephone number) (eg + 12 3 456 7890)*

Indicate why you believe this work experience should be recognised. Refer to the Guide under Recognised Work Experience in the section 'Summary of Terms'. (For example, it is relevant to your recognised qualification, or your skilled employment.)

Attach additional sheets if necessary.

**G2** Indicate the total number of years of recognised work experience in **New Zealand only**. Refer to the guide under Recognised Work Experience in the section 'Summary of Terms'. Ensure you have captured the details of this work experience in **G1**.

- One but less than two years    Two but less than three years    Three years or more  
 None of these.

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**G3** Indicate the **total** number of years of recognised work experience. Refer to the Guide under Recognised Work Experience in the section 'Summary of Terms'. Include any New Zealand work experience indicated in **G2**. Ensure you have captured the details of this work experience in **G1**.

- Two but less than four years    Four but less than six years    Six but less than eight years  
 Eight but less than 10 years    Ten years or more    None of these

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**G4** Indicate the **total** number of years of work experience in an identified future growth area. Refer to the guide under Identified Future Growth Area in the section 'Summary of Terms'. You need to note that work experience in an identified future growth area only qualifies for bonus points if you are also claiming points for current skilled employment or an offer of skilled employment in an identified future growth area.

- Two but less than six years    Six years and over    None of these

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Growth area name

**G5** Indicate the **total** number of years of work experience in an area of absolute skills shortage. Refer to the Guide under Area of Absolute Skills Shortage in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

- Two but less than six years    Six years and over    None of these

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Absolute skills shortage occupation name

*Note: You cannot claim these bonus points for your work experience unless you meet the specific requirements laid out in columns three and four of the Long Term Skill Shortage List.*

## Section H Partner's identity

**In this section we need to gather and confirm your partner's personal details. You must provide this information even if your partner is not intending to apply for residence with you.**

**H1** Name as shown in passport

Family/last name

Given/first name(s)

**H2** Provide all other names you are known by or have ever been known by

**H3** Preferred title   Mr    Mrs    Ms    Miss    Dr    other (specify)

**H4** Gender    Male    Female

**H5** Date of birth

**H6** Country of birth

Place of birth (ie town, city, or province)

**H7** Provide your partner's birth certificate number and the name of the issuing authority.

Birth certificate number

Name of the issuing authority

**H8** State your partner's main country of citizenship | \_\_\_\_\_

**H9** Details of all passports held by your partner.

**Passport 1**

Number | \_\_\_\_\_ | Country | \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date |  | Issue date |  | Place of issue | \_\_\_\_\_

Family/last name as shown in passport | \_\_\_\_\_ | Given/first name(s) as shown in passport | \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport 2**

Number | \_\_\_\_\_ | Country | \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date |  | Issue date |  | Place of issue | \_\_\_\_\_

Family/last name as shown in passport | \_\_\_\_\_ | Given/first name(s) as shown in passport | \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport 3**

Number | \_\_\_\_\_ | Country | \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date |  | Issue date |  | Place of issue | \_\_\_\_\_

Family/last name as shown in passport | \_\_\_\_\_ | Given/first name(s) as shown in passport | \_\_\_\_\_

**H10** List any other citizenships currently held. | \_\_\_\_\_  
| \_\_\_\_\_

**H11** Where applicable, provide the following details.

**Driver licence 1**

Name(s) as shown on driver licence | \_\_\_\_\_

Driver licence number | \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date |  | Valid for which country/state/area | \_\_\_\_\_

**Driver licence 2**

Name(s) as shown on driver licence | \_\_\_\_\_

Driver licence number | \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date |  | Valid for which country/state/area | \_\_\_\_\_

**Driver licence 3**

Name(s) as shown on driver licence | \_\_\_\_\_

Driver licence number | \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry date |  | Valid for which country/state/area | \_\_\_\_\_

**Taxation number**

Taxation number | \_\_\_\_\_ | Country | \_\_\_\_\_



**Social Security number**

Social Security number  Country

**National ID number** or other unique identifier that was issued to you by any government.

National ID number  Country

**Chinese Commercial Code**

**H12** List all countries, including all countries of citizenship, your partner has lived in for a total of 12 months or more in the last 10 years. Include all countries where their stay has been broken by any departures. Start with the country that you live in now.

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Please note: It is a mandatory requirement (see instructions R2.40) for first time applicants for a residence class visa aged 17 and over to obtain a police or similar certificate from:

- the applicant’s country (or countries) of citizenship; and
- each country in which the applicant has lived for 12 months or more (whether on one visit or intermittently) in the last 10 years (but see A5.10.1).

**H13** Has your partner previously submitted an EOI?  Yes  No

If your partner has previously submitted an EOI, please provide the EOI number here, if known

**Section I Partner’s character**

In this section we need to confirm that your partner is of good character which is a prerequisite of the Skilled Migrant Category. Provide the following details about your partner’s character. Section A5 of Residence Instructions refers.

Questions **h1** to **h16** relate to sections 15 and 16 of the Immigration Act. People described in sections 15 and 16 of the Immigration Act cannot ordinarily be granted residence in New Zealand.

Question **h17** to **h15** relate to other character requirements. People described in questions h10 to h15 may require a character waiver to be granted residence.

**h1** Has your partner ever been sentenced to imprisonment for a term of five years or more (including any suspended sentences or any expunged criminal records)?

Yes  No

**l2** Has your partner been sentenced to imprisonment for a term of 12 months or more within the last 10 years (including any suspended sentences or any expunged criminal records)?

Yes  No

**l3** Is your partner subject to a period of prohibition under the Immigration Act 2009?  Yes  No

**l4** Has your partner ever been:

- excluded  Yes  No
- removed or deported  Yes  No

from any country, including New Zealand?

**l5** Has your partner ever been involved in any terrorist activities or supported similar violent activities?

Yes  No

**l6** Has your partner ever been a member of, or adhered to, any terrorist organisation?  Yes  No

**l7** Has your partner been involved in any drug trading or trafficking?  Yes  No

**l8** Has your partner been a member of, or belonged to, any group with criminal objectives?  Yes  No

**l9** Has your partner been a member of, or belonged to, any group that has engaged in or supported criminal activities?

Yes  No

If you answered Yes to any of questions **l1** to **l9**, you must provide a full explanation about the surrounding circumstances. If, having considered your explanation, INZ assesses that you are a person to whom sections 15 and 16 of the Immigration Act applies, your Expression of Interest cannot be accepted into the Pool.

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**l10** Is your partner currently:

- under investigation  Yes  No
- wanted for questioning  Yes  No
- facing charges  Yes  No

for any offence in any country?

**l11** Has your partner been convicted at any time of any offence, including any driving offence? Please note that this includes any conviction(s) in any country subsequently cleared or wiped by 'clean slate' legislation.

Yes  No

**l12** Has your partner ever been refused entry to any country, including New Zealand?  Yes  No

**l13** Has your partner been (or are they currently) a member of an organisation or group which had/has objectives or principles based on hostility against people or groups on the basis of colour, race or ethnic/national origins; or an assumption that persons of a particular race or colour are inherently inferior or superior to other races or colours?  Yes  No

**l14** Has your partner at any time in a public speech or public comments, or public broadcast, or in publicly distributing or publishing a document, argued that one race or colour is inherently inferior or superior to another race or colour; or used language intended to encourage hostility or ill will against any person or group of persons on the basis of colour, race, or ethnic or national origins of that person or group?  Yes  No

**h5** Has your partner had (or does your partner currently have) an association with, membership of, or involvement with, any government, regime, group or agency that has advocated or committed war crimes, crimes against humanity and/or other gross human rights abuses?  Yes  No

**If you answered 'yes' to any of the questions h0 to h5, you must provide a full explanation about the surrounding circumstances. This includes full details of any charges, convictions and the sentence or penalty imposed. If your Expression of Interest is selected from the Pool, you may be asked to provide a police certificate or other relevant information to enable INZ to fully consider those circumstances.**

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Attach additional sheets if necessary.

## Section J Partner's health

**In this section we need to confirm that your partner meets a minimum standard of health, which is a prerequisite of the Skilled Migrant Category. Providing accurate information about your partner's health status is very important.**

**Questions h1 to h4 list medical conditions for which a medical waiver cannot be granted. People with these conditions cannot ordinarily be granted residence in New Zealand.**

**h1** Does your partner require or are they likely to require dialysis treatment in the immediate future?  Yes  No

**h2** Does your partner have tuberculosis (TB)?  Yes  No

**h3** Does your partner have severe haemophilia?  Yes  No

**h4** Does your partner have a physical incapacity that requires full-time care?  Yes  No

**If you answered Yes to any of questions h1 to h4, you must provide an explanation of your partner's medical condition. If, having considered your explanation, we assess that your partner's medical condition is one for which a medical waiver cannot be granted, your Expression of Interest cannot be accepted into the Pool.**

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**h5** Has your partner been exposed to, or diagnosed with, any infectious or communicable diseases?  Yes  No

**h6** Is your partner receiving, or have they received, any treatment for any psychiatric condition or developmental disorder?  Yes  No

**h7** Does your partner have any condition that is likely to require ongoing treatment or medication?  Yes  No

**If you answered Yes to any of questions h5 to h7, you must provide an explanation of your partner's medical condition. If your Expression of Interest is selected from the Pool, you may be asked to provide a medical certificate to confirm this information to enable Immigration New Zealand to fully consider those circumstances.**

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## Section K Partner's English language ability

The information you provide in this section will give us an indication of your partner's English language ability. Meeting the minimum standard of English language will assist your partner to settle successfully in New Zealand. Provide the following details about your partner's English language ability. Section SM5 of the Skilled Migrant Category refers.

- K1** Does your partner meet the minimum standard of English, listed below? Refer to the guide under English Language Requirements in the section 'Summary of Terms'. Select only one.
- An English language test with the required score (IELTS overall band score of 5 or more, Cambridge First (FCE)/FCE for Schools overall score of 154 or more, TOEFL iBT overall score of 35 or more, PTE Academic overall score of 36 or more, OET grade C or higher in all four skills (Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking)) Go to **K3**
  - An English language test with the required score if claiming points for your partner's skilled employment or offer of skilled employment or recognised qualification (IELTS overall band score of 6.5 or more, Cambridge First (FCE)/FCE for Schools overall score of 176 or more, TOEFL iBT overall score of 79 or more, PTE Academic overall score of 58 or more, OET grade B or higher in all four skills (Listening, Reading, Writing and Speaking)) Go to **K3**
  - Otherwise meets the minimum standard, as defined in the guide Go to **K2**
  - None of the above.

*Note: Partners must pre-purchase English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) tuition if they do not meet the minimum standard of English. They will need to attend English language classes once they arrive in New Zealand.*

- K2** Provide details explaining why your partner meets the minimum standard. Refer to the Guide under English Language Requirements in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

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- K3** If your partner has completed an English language test, please confirm which test they have taken, and provide the relevant test details that will allow us to verify their test results (e.g. test report form number, candidate/test taker ID, any other unique number assigned to them (e.g. secret number, registration number)).

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- K4** What was the date that your partner sat their test and the score/s? 

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English language test score/s 

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## Section L Partner's skilled employment

In this section you can qualify for bonus points if your partner has current ongoing skilled employment in New Zealand or an offer of ongoing skilled employment in New Zealand. Your partner will only be able to claim points for an offer of skilled employment in New Zealand if they meet the English language requirements for principal applicants. Refer to the guide under English Language Requirements in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

Furthermore, if your partner has an offer of employment in an occupation which requires registration, your partner will only be able to claim points for this offer of employment if they have the required registration. Occupations requiring registration can be found in the guide under Occupational Registration in the section 'Summary of Terms'. Provide the following details about your partner's skilled employment. Section SM10 of the Skilled Migrant Category refers.

- L1** Are you claiming points for your partner's skilled employment? Refer to the guide under Skilled Employment in the section 'Summary of Terms'. Select only one.
- Offer of skilled employment in New Zealand
  - Current skilled employment in New Zealand for more than 12 months
  - Current skilled employment in New Zealand for less than 12 months
  - None of the above Go to **M1**.

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**L2** What is your partner's job title? \_\_\_\_\_

**L3** Indicate why this job is skilled employment. Give a **detailed reason** in support of your claim for points. We recommend that you first check our definition of skilled employment in the *Skilled Migrant Category Expression of Interest Guide (INZ 1101)*.

You should explain what is in your partner's job description and how this is consistent with the occupational tasks for your partner's occupation in the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO). Also explain how your partner's recognised qualification and/or work experience are relevant to their job.

If you are claiming that your partner's employment is skilled because it will enhance the quality of New Zealand's accomplishments and participation in that occupational area, explain:

- how your employment will achieve this; and
- what evidence you can provide to show that you have an international reputation and record of excellence in your occupational field.

For more information, refer to the Guide under Skilled Employment in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

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**L4** Provide the following details for the skilled employment detailed above.

Employer contact name (manager) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's job title/position \_\_\_\_\_

Business/organisation name \_\_\_\_\_

Number and street name \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb/City \_\_\_\_\_

County/Province/State PIN/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Country \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

(Country code/Area code/Telephone number) (eg + 12 3 456 7890)

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Website \_\_\_\_\_

When did you start working for this employer? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your current annual base salary? Your annual base salary excludes any employment related allowances (for example overtime, tool or uniform allowances, medical insurance, accommodation) or bonuses

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## Section M Partner's recognised qualification(s)

In this section we need to confirm whether your partner's qualification(s) will be recognised in New Zealand.

It is recommended that you first read about which qualifications are recognised for the award of points under the Skilled Migrant Category and the partner English language requirements in the *Skilled Migrant Category Expression of Interest Guide (INZ 1101)*.

Note: Your partner will only be able to claim points for their qualification(s) if they meet the English language requirements for principal applicants. Provide the following details about your partner's recognised qualification(s). Section SM17 of the Skilled Migrant Category refers.

**M1** Are you claiming points for your partner's recognised qualification(s)?

Refer to the guide under Recognised Qualification in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

Yes  No

How many qualifications are you submitting?

Note: To qualify for points as a recognised qualification your partner's qualification must have been assessed by the NZQA\*, by

- being on the List of Qualifications Exempt from Assessment (LQEA) (see **M3**); or
- individual assessment (see **M4** to **M6**); or
- being on the List of Qualifications Recognised as an Exception (see **M3**).

Answer questions **M2** to **M6** for each of your partner's qualifications. You should attach additional sheets if necessary; you may wish to photocopy this section to use.

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**M2** Provide the details of the recognised qualification for which your partner is claiming points. If claiming points for your partner's postgraduate qualification, also add details of your partner's undergraduate qualifications.

Name of qualification (please enter the name of the qualification, exactly as it appears on the certificate)

Date obtained  Major area of study

Date commenced studies  Date completed studies

Institution name

Number and street name

Suburb  City

County/Province/State  PIN/ZIP

Country

Telephone  Student ID#

(Country code/Area code/Telephone number) (eg + 12 3 456 7890)

**M3** Is this qualification on the List of Qualifications Exempt from Assessment (see Appendix 3 of our Instructions) or the list of Qualifications recognised as an exception (see Appendix 8)? All of the specifications of the list must be met, including the name of the qualification, the awarding institution, and the date it was awarded. Or has an Occupational Registration Body assessed your qualification(s) as comparable to a New Zealand qualification? Please read instructions SM14.5 and SM14.10 for more information.

Yes Provide the level of your qualification on the New Zealand Register of Quality Assured Qualifications

No Go to **M5**.

\* Your partner's qualification may also be assessed by an Occupational Registration Body (see **M3**).

**M4** Has this qualification been assessed by the NZQA?

Yes  No Go to **N1**.

**M5** What is the level assessed by the NZQA, as defined in the guide?

Level

**M6** What is the reference number and type assessed by the NZQA? Refer to the guide under Qualifications Assessment Report in the section 'Summary of Terms'.

Reference number

Type  Preliminary (Pre-Assessment)  Interim  Full

What New Zealand qualification(s) was/were your qualification(s) assessed as being comparable with?

*Note: if your partner has only submitted a Pre-Assessment Result (PAR) for your EOI, and you are invited to apply for residence, the level of your partner's qualification will have to be confirmed through a full International Qualifications Assessment (IQA) by the NZQA before points can be awarded.*

## Section N Other family

### Children

**N1** How many children do you have? *This includes biological, adopted and stepchildren from previous marriages/relationships.*

Provide the following details for your children (including biological, adopted and stepchildren from previous marriages/relationships).

#### Child one

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

#### Child two

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

**Child three**Full name Gender  Male  Female Date of birth 

Partnership status

 Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated Engaged  Widowed  DivorcedCountry of residence Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No**Child four**Full name Gender  Male  Female Date of birth 

Partnership status

 Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated Engaged  Widowed  DivorcedCountry of residence Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No**Child five**Full name Gender  Male  Female Date of birth 

Partnership status

 Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated Engaged  Widowed  DivorcedCountry of residence Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No**Child six**Full name Gender  Male  Female Date of birth 

Partnership status

 Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated Engaged  Widowed  DivorcedCountry of residence Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No**Child seven**Full name Gender  Male  Female Date of birth 

Partnership status

 Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated Engaged  Widowed  DivorcedCountry of residence Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

Attach additional sheets if necessary.



**You may only include dependent children in your application. Refer to the requirements for 'dependent children' in the guide. If you are separated or divorced and bringing a child under 16 years of age with you to New Zealand, we will need to see proof of their right to leave their home country and your right to remove them. For more information, read Section F5.20 of our Residence Instructions.**

**N2** The Skilled Migrant Category recognises that the presence of close family in New Zealand enhances long-term prospects for employability and settlement. Do you have a close family member living in New Zealand (adult brother or sister, adult child, or parent) who is a resident or citizen of New Zealand? *For more details refer to the guide under Close Family in New Zealand.*

- Yes *Indicate for which family member points are being claimed, from the family members detailed in **N3**.*
- No

**N3** Give details of all your family, members (not just those living in New Zealand), including those adopted legally or by custom. Include: **parents** (whether biological or adoptive), **brothers and sisters** (whether full, half, step and adopted), and **children** (whether biological, adopted, or stepchildren, including those from previous marriages/relationships.) It is **not** necessary to list deceased family members or family included elsewhere in this form.

**Family member one**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

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Country of residence

Relationship to you

**Family member two**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence

Relationship to you

**Family member three**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
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Country of residence

Relationship to you

**Family member four**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member five**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member six**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member seven**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member eight**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member nine**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member ten**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Section O****Partner's family****Children**

**01** How many children does your partner have? This includes biological, adopted and step-children from previous marriages/relationships. Do not include children already listed under **01**.

Provide the details below for each of your partner's children (including biological, adopted and step-children from previous marriages/relationships).

None Go to **02**.

**Child one**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated  
 Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

**Child two**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated  
 Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

**Child three**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated  
 Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

**Child four**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated  
 Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

**Child five**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated  
 Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

**Child six**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated  
 Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Will this child be included in your application for residence?  Yes  No

Attach additional sheets if necessary.

**You may only include dependent children in your application. Refer to the requirements for ‘dependent children’ in the guide. If your partner is separated or divorced and bringing a child under 16 years of age with them to New Zealand, we will need to see proof of their right to leave their home country and your partner’s right to remove them. For more information, read Section F5.20 of our Residence Instructions.**

**02** The Skilled Migrant Category recognises that the presence of close family in New Zealand enhances long-term prospects for employability and settlement. Does your partner have a close family member living in New Zealand (adult brother or sister, adult child, or parent), who is a resident or citizen of New Zealand? For more details refer to the guide under Close Family in New Zealand.

Yes *Indicate for which family member points are being claimed, from the family members detailed in* .  
 No

**03** Give details of all your partner’s family members (not just those living in New Zealand), including those adopted legally or by custom. Include: **parents** (whether biological or adoptive), **brothers and sisters** (whether full, half, step and adopted), and **children** (whether biological, adopted, or step children, including those from previous marriages/relationships). It is **not** necessary to list deceased family members or family included elsewhere in this form.

**Family member one**

Full name

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth

Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated  
 Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

Country of residence

Relationship to you

POINTS  
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**Family member two**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

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Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member three**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member four**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member five**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member six**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member seven**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member eight**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

**Family member nine**

Full name | \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female Date of birth | 

D	D	M	M	Y	Y	Y	Y
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Partnership status

Married/in civil union  Single  Partnership  Separated

Engaged  Widowed  Divorced

POINTS  
CLAIMED

Country of residence | \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you | \_\_\_\_\_

Attach additional sheets if necessary.

## Assessment of your residence application

When assessing whether you can be granted residence under the Skilled Migrant Category, we will not only be looking at your points total. We also assess your ability to successfully settle in and contribute to New Zealand.

Principal applicants are considered to have demonstrated the ability to successfully settle in and contribute to New Zealand if they:

- qualify for 50 points for an offer of skilled employment or current skilled employment in New Zealand for less than 12 months; or
- qualify for 60 points for current skilled employment in New Zealand for twelve months or more; or
- have undertaken full time study for at least two years in New Zealand that has resulted in the award of a Doctorate or Masters degree

Principal applicants who do not have points for any of these factors will be further assessed to determine whether they can otherwise demonstrate an ability to successfully settle and contribute or can realise their potential to successfully settle in and contribute to New Zealand. Please refer to instructions SM21.5 and SM21.10 for further information.

## Section P Declaration of principal applicant

**This section must be signed by the principal applicant on behalf of all the people included in this Expression of Interest. Make sure you understand the declarations below before you sign and agree to them.**

### Important

I understand that if I make any false statements, or provide any false or misleading information, or have changed or altered this form (including the Child Supplement form) in any material way, my Expression of Interest may not be accepted, any resident visa application may be declined and I may lose any right of appeal. I may become liable for deportation. I may also be committing an offence and liable to prosecution.  Yes

I understand the notes and questions in this form (including the Child Supplement form), and I declare the information given about myself, my partner and any children is true and complete.  Yes

I declare that I have listed all my family members, including any adopted by law or by custom and my grandparents or legal guardians (if any) if both my parents are deceased, and understand that the non-declaration of any family members may result in that family member not being recognised as part of my family in future applications.  Yes

I will inform Immigration New Zealand of any relevant fact or change of circumstances that may (i) affect the decision on my application for a visa, or (ii) affect the decision to grant entry permission based on the visa for which I am applying.  Yes

I declare that there are no matters or warrants outstanding, or investigations of any kind, which could have any current or future effect on the assessment of my good character, or the good character of any other persons included in this Expression of Interest.  Yes

I understand that if I have received immigration advice from an immigration adviser and if that immigration adviser is not licensed under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007 when they should be, INZ will return my application.

Yes

I authorise INZ to make any enquiries it deems necessary regarding the information provided on this form (including the Child Supplement form), and to share this information with other Government agencies (including overseas agencies) to the extent necessary to make decisions about my immigration status. I also consent to any organisation providing relevant information to INZ about me.  Yes

I authorise INZ 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 INZ.  Yes

I accept that any advice given to me by INZ before expressing interest and submitting this form (including the Child Supplement form) was intended to assist me, and acting on that does not mean that any later application for residence will be granted.  Yes

I understand that in order to work in certain occupations in New Zealand, registration is required by law. I accept that the grant of residence does not guarantee that registration will be granted.  Yes.

I have not included any documents with this Expression of Interest.  Yes.

Signature of principal applicant  Date



## Section Q Immigration adviser's details

This section must be completed by the applicant's immigration adviser. If the applicant does not have an immigration adviser, this section does not have to be completed.

**Q1** Tick the one option that applies to you.

- I am a licensed immigration adviser under the New Zealand Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007. Go to **Q2**.
- I am exempt from licensing under the New Zealand Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007. Go to **Q3**.

If you are unlicensed when you should be licensed under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007, INZ will return your client's application. It is an offence to provide immigration advice without holding a licence, unless you are exempt.

**Q2** Licensed advisers. Provide your licence details.

Licence type:  full  provisional  limited. List conditions specified in the register.

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Licence number 

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 Go to Section R: Declaration by person assisting the applicant.

**Q3** Exempt from licensing. Tick the boxes below to show why you are exempt from licensing.

- I provided immigration advice in an informal or family context only, and I did not provide the advice systematically or for a fee.
- I am a New Zealand member of Parliament or member of their staff and I provided immigration advice as part of my employment agreement.
- I am a foreign diplomat or consular staff.
- I am an employee of the New Zealand public service and I provided immigration advice within the scope of my employment agreement.
- I am a lawyer and I hold a current practising certificate as a barrister or as a barrister and solicitor of the High Court of New Zealand.
- I am employed by, or I am working as a volunteer for, a New Zealand community law centre where at least one lawyer is on the employing body of the community law centre or is employed by or working as a volunteer for the community law centre in a supervisory capacity.
- I am employed by, or I am working as a volunteer for, a New Zealand citizens advice bureau.

Go to Section R: Declaration by person assisting the applicant.

## Section R Declaration by person assisting the applicant

**This section must be completed and signed by the applicant's immigration adviser, or by any person who has assisted the applicant by providing immigration advice, explaining, translating, or filling in the form for the applicant. If the applicant does not have an immigration adviser, and no one helped the applicant to fill in this form, this section does not have to be completed.**

*If you are unlicensed when you should be licensed under the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007, INZ will return your client's application. It is an offence to provide immigration advice without holding a licence.*

*For more information, go to the Immigration Advisers Authority website [www.iaa.govt.nz](http://www.iaa.govt.nz), or email [info@iaa.govt.nz](mailto:info@iaa.govt.nz) or write to them at PO Box 6222, Wellesley Street, Auckland 1141, New Zealand.*

Name and address of person assisting applicant.

Family/last name

Given/first name(s)

Company name (if applicable) and address

Telephone (day)  Telephone (night)

Fax  Email

I understand that after the applicant has signed this form it is an offence for me to change or add further information, change any documents attached to the form, or attach any further documents to the form. However, if changes are needed, the person making the changes must state on the form what information or documents have been changed and give reasons for the changes.

I note 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 seven years.

I certify that the applicant asked me to help them complete this form and any additional forms. I certify that the applicant agreed that the information provided was correct before signing the declaration.

- I have assisted the applicant as an interpreter/translator.
- I have assisted the applicant with recording information on the form.
- I have assisted the applicant in another way. *Specify*
- I have provided immigration advice (as defined in the Immigration Advisers Licensing Act 2007) and my details in Section Q: Immigration adviser's details are correct.

Signature of person assisting principal applicant  Date

## Section S Submitting your Expression of Interest

If you are not completing an Expression of Interest online, send your Expression of Interest to:

**Northern Area Documentation Office**  
**PO Box 76895**  
**Manukau City**  
**Auckland 2241**

## About the information you provide

The information about you and your family in this form is being collected to determine whether we will invite you to apply for residence in New Zealand and may also be used to contact you for research or marketing purposes or to advise you on immigration matters. This information may also be used to determine your entitlement to board a flight to come to or return to New Zealand. Your personal information will not be shared with airline check in agents, however a boarding message will be returned to the airline check in agent based on information you have supplied on this form.

The main recipient of the information is Immigration New Zealand (INZ), a service of the Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment, but it may also be shared with other Government agencies that are entitled to this information under applicable legislation. In particular, the Ministry of Social Development (Work and Income) may be given information about your personal resources.

The collection of the information is authorised by the Immigration Act 2009 and the Immigration Regulations made under that Act. The supply of the information is voluntary, but if you do not supply the mandatory information required by the Expression of Interest form, then your Expression of Interest cannot be accepted.

You will, if you are in New Zealand, have the right to see the information about you held by INZ, and to ask for any of it to be corrected if you think that is necessary. INZ addresses can be found on our website at [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz).

### For more information

If you have questions about completing the form:

- see our website [www.immigration.govt.nz/contactus](http://www.immigration.govt.nz/contactus)
- telephone our call centre on 0508 558 855 (within New Zealand).

## Section T Paying your EOI fee

To find out how much the fee is and where to send your EOI, use our office and fees finder at [www.immigration.govt.nz/fees](http://www.immigration.govt.nz/fees).

**Note:** some offshore branches do not accept credit cards. The office and fees finder contains information about alternative methods of payment.

### Your EOI fee

Amount you are paying:

Amount

Currency   
*(e.g. NZD, USD, RMB)*

Application number   
*(office use only)*

### Preferred methods of payment

We recommend that you use one of the following methods of payment for better security and faster processing:

Bank cheque/bank draft

Credit card (choose one)

Mastercard

Visa

SWITCH card (UK only)  SWITCH card issue number

Name of cardholder

Card number

CVC/CVV number

*Note: Your CVC/CVV number is the three-digit number found on the signature strip on the back of your credit card.*

Expiry date

Signature of cardholder

Date

### Other methods of payment

Personal cheque. *Note that we will hold your EOI for 10 working days to allow the cheque to be cleared.*

Cash. *Our New Zealand branches do not accept cash. Most of our branches outside New Zealand do not accept cash.*

EFTPOS. *Note this option is only available for applications lodged in person in one of our New Zealand offices.*

**We do not accept money orders.**

