



Australian Government  
Department of Immigration and Citizenship

## Medical Practitioner (Temporary) Visa (Subclass 422)

### Application Document Checklist

This checklist is designed to assist you in submitting a complete application which will help to minimise processing times. Please ensure the documents you submit cover your particular circumstances.

#### Complete applications

You should ensure that you lodge a completed visa application. While the department may ask you to provide more information in order to determine whether you meet the criteria for grant of the visa, a decision on the visa application may be made solely on the information provided at the time of application.

**Note:** The Visa Application Charge will not be refunded if a decision is made to refuse to grant the visa because the applicant did not satisfy the criteria for grant of the visa.

**Important:** Do not provide original documents unless requested. You should provide 'certified copies' of original documentation.

Documents in languages other than English must be accompanied by an English translation completed by a professional translator. In Australia this is a translator who is accredited by the National Accreditation Authority for Translators and Interpreters. Information on how to obtain translations is available from any office of the Department.

Applications can be lodged by submitting a completed paper application to one of the three centres of excellence.

**See:** [Centres of Excellence](#)

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

**After completing this checklist, please attach it to the front of your visa application.**

<b>Forms, fees and charges</b>	✓
<a href="#">Form 147</a> <i>Application for a temporary residence visa (non-business)</i>	
You must complete all relevant sections of the application form.	
You must pay the correct visa application charge. <b>See:</b> <a href="#">Employer Sponsored Temporary Visa Charges</a>	
<b>Documents required from the applicant</b>	✓
Certified copy of your passport.	
Certified copies of family members' passports.	

Certified copy of marriage certificate or other evidence of de facto relationship.	
Certified copies of birth certificates (for dependent children only).	
Certified copy of evidence of the name change for any applicant who has changed their name, for example by marriage or deed poll.	
For any children under 18, unless both parents are included in the application – certified copies of documents that verify custody and access arrangements.	
<b>Confirmation of sponsorship</b>	✓
If application is lodged separately to the sponsorship application, a copy of the employer's sponsorship approval letter.	
<b>Evidence of sponsor's support for dependants</b>	✓
If your dependants were not included on the original sponsorship application, separate sponsorship and application forms.	
<b>Evidence of eligibility to be registered to practise in Australia</b>	✓
Letter from state or territory medical board stating that you are eligible for registration to practise in that state or territory.	
<b>Health documents</b>	✓
All applicants must meet health requirements. <b>See:</b> <a href="#">Health Requirements</a>	
<b>Character documents</b>	✓
If your stay in Australia, including any time already spent here, is more than 12 months, you must obtain police clearances for each applicant who is 16 years of age or older.  You and all accompanying family members aged 16 years or over must complete a personal particulars form.  You must obtain an Australian Federal Police clearance if you are currently in Australia and your visa was obtained over 12 months ago, or if you have not previously obtained a clearance. <b>See:</b> <a href="#">Character and Penal Clearance Requirements</a>	