



Application for a Pension Bonus Bereavement Payment

You should complete this form if your deceased partner had registered for the Pension Bonus Scheme but had not claimed a Pension Bonus and you wish to apply for a Pension Bonus Bereavement Payment from the Department of Veterans' Affairs.

Important information

To qualify for Pension Bonus Bereavement Payment, your partner must have died on or after 1 January 2008 and have been a registered member of the Pension Bonus Scheme, who had not claimed the pension and bonus before they died. The amount of Pension Bonus Bereavement Payment you get will depend on your circumstances and your and your partner's combined income and assets, immediately before they died.

Filling in this form

Complete the application as at the date of your partner's death. All references to "your partner" means "your deceased partner".

Please write in BLOCK letters using a **blue** or **black** pen (not pencil).

Please **tick** the appropriate boxes.

Where you see a box like this ► **Go to question 4** skip to the question number shown. You do not need to answer the questions in between.

If you do not have all the forms you need or require additional forms, contact your nearest DVA or VAN office.

What else you will need to provide

You will need to provide documents to **prove your identity** to DVA. There is a list of acceptable documents on page 3.

This form will also tell you which other documents you need to provide to support your claim. If you are providing copies of documents, they must be **certified copies** (see 'Who can certify copies of documents' on page 4).

Lodging your claim

You can lodge your application by mail. If you send in original documents, they will be photocopied and the originals returned to you by registered post.

You can lodge your application by visiting your nearest DVA or VAN office. These are listed on page 2 of this form.

Please note: This application should be lodged within 26 weeks of the death of your partner.

Privacy notice

Your personal information is protected by law, including the *Privacy Act 1988*. Your personal information may be collected by the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA) for the delivery of government programs for war veterans, members of the Australian Defence Force, members of the Australian Federal Police and their dependants.

[Read more: How DVA manages personal information](#)

Giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.

If any of the details you give in this form change, you are required under section 54 of the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986*, to notify the Department within 14 days. There are penalties for failure to notify the Department.

How to contact DVA

For information, please call the Department of Veterans' Affairs (from anywhere in Australia) on: **133 254**

Callers from regional Australia can call: **1800 555 254**

| State | Address | Postal address |
|-------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| New South Wales | Centennial Plaza Tower B 280 Elizabeth Street Sydney NSW | GPO Box 9998 Sydney NSW 2001 |
| Victoria | 300 La Trobe Street Melbourne VIC | GPO Box 9998 Melbourne VIC 3001 |
| Queensland | Bank of Queensland Centre 259 Queen Street Brisbane QLD | GPO Box 9998 Brisbane QLD 4001 |
| South Australia | Blackburn House 199 Grenfell Street Adelaide SA | GPO Box 9998 Adelaide SA 5001 |
| Western Australia | AMP Building 140 St Georges Terrace Perth WA | GPO Box 9998 Perth WA 6848 |
| Tasmania | Barack Place 254 - 286 Liverpool Street Hobart TAS | GPO Box 9998 Hobart TAS 7001 |
| Northern Territory | Winnellie Central 14 Winnellie Road Winnellie NT | GPO Box 9998 Darwin NT 0801 |
| Australian Capital Territory | 28 - 30 Corinna Street Woden ACT | GPO Box 9998 Canberra ACT 2601 |

Proving your identity to DVA

When you lodge a claim with DVA, you must show documents from the Category A and B lists below which prove your identity. If you are already receiving a pension or allowance from DVA you will need to provide a Category B document from the list below to prove your identity.

If you must produce documents, you must show original documents or true and certified copies of these documents. (See 'Who can certify copies of documents' on page 4.)

If you mail your claim and originals of your proof of identity documents, your documents will be returned by registered post.

From the lists of Category A and B documents on this page, you must provide **3 different documents** with 1 document from Category A and two documents from category B. If none of the documents you produce to satisfy Category A or B provides evidence of your current residential address, then you must also produce a document from Category C:



If any of the documents are in a previous name, you must provide an additional document which shows how your name was changed (e.g. a marriage certificate).

Category A documents

Documents from Category A provide proof of birth or arrival in Australia.

- Australian passport (current) - not to be used concurrently as a Category B document
- Full Australian birth certificate
- Record of Immigration Status
- Foreign passport and current Australian Visa
- Travel document and current Australian Visa
- Certificate of Evidence of residential status
- Citizenship Certificate

Category B documents

Documents from Category B provide evidence of your identity existing in the community.

- Australian driver's licence (current and original)
- Australian passport (current) - not to be used concurrently as a Category A document
- Australian Defence Force (ADF) identification card
- Firearms licence (current and original)
- Current overseas passport with valid entry stamp or visa
- Medicare card
- Change of name certificate (for marriage or legal name change - showing link with previous name(s))
- Credit or bank account card
- DVA card
- Security Guard/Crowd Control licence
- Australian marriage certificate issued by a government department
- Tertiary identification card

Category C documents

Documents from Category C provide evidence of residential address or residence in a Nursing Home or Residential Care Facility.

- Utilities notice
- Rent details
- Document from Nursing Home or Residential Facility that provides evidence of residence

If you don't have the right documents

Other documents may be acceptable. Contact your nearest DVA or VAN office.

Who can certify copies of documents?

When you lodge a claim with DVA, you must provide documents as proof of identity. In response to some questions on the forms, you will also have to provide documents (such as financial documents).

If you provide **original** documents, your documents will be sighted and verified by a DVA officer and returned to you by registered post.

If you provide copies of your documents, they must be **certified copies** (certified as true by a Justice of the Peace or other person as listed below). The person certifying the copies must see the original documents.

Note: DVA employees with 5 years continuous service can certify your documents as true copies and will do so without charge.

Persons who can certify copies include:

- Justice of the Peace
- Commissioner for Declarations
- permanent employee of:
 - the Commonwealth or of a Commonwealth authority, or
 - a State or Territory or of a State or Territory authority, or
 - a local government authoritywith 5 or more continuous years of service
- member of the Australian Defence Force who is:
 - an officer; or
 - a non-commissioned officer within the meaning of the *Defence Force Discipline Act 1982* with 5 or more years of continuous service; or
 - a warrant officer within the meaning of that Act.
- permanent employee of the Australian Postal Corporation with 5 or more years of continuous service who is employed in an office supplying postal services to the public
- agent of the Australian Postal Corporation who is in charge of an office supplying postal services to the public
- bank officer with 5 or more continuous years of service
- building society officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
- credit union officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
- finance company officer with 5 or more years of continuous service
- Member of the Association of Taxation and Management Accountant
- Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia, the Australian Society of Certified Practising Accountants or the National Institute of Accountants
- Minister of religion registered under Division 1 Part IV of the Marriage Act 1961
- police officer
- chiropractor
- dentist
- legal practitioner
- medical practitioner
- nurse
- pharmacist
- physiotherapist
- veterinary surgeon
- teacher employed on a full time basis at a school or tertiary education institution.

A full list of who can certify documents can be found at:

<http://www.comlaw.gov.au/comlaw/management.nsf/lookupindexpagesbyid/IP200400084?OpenDocument>

If you ask someone to certify copies of your documents, you must make sure that:

- the person certifying is on the above list
- they use the wording “CERTIFIED TRUE COPY”
- they sign and date the copy
- they print their name and profession or qualification
- they print their business hours address
- they print their business hours contact telephone

SECTION A**Your and your deceased partner's details****Your details**

1 Sex Male Female

2 Title Mr Mrs Miss Ms Other

3 Surname

4 Given name(s)

5 Date of birth

6 Residential address

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| <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="text" value="POSTCODE"/> |

7 Postal address
(if same as residential, write "AS ABOVE")

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| <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="text"/> |
| <input type="text" value="POSTCODE"/> |

8 Telephone numbers

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Home | Work |
| <input type="text" value="[]"/> | <input type="text" value="[]"/> |

Your deceased partner's details

9 Surname

10 Given name(s)

11 Date of birth

12 Date of death



Please attach a copy of the death certificate or a letter from the Funeral Director to confirm the date of death.

13 Did your partner register for the Pension Bonus Scheme?

No ► **You are not eligible for the bereavement payment - there is no need for you to complete this form.**

Yes ► Please indicate where your partner registered for the Scheme.

DVA

Centrelink ►

DVA and Centrelink



If registered with Centrelink, please provide a copy of the letter confirming registration.

What was their Pension Bonus file number?

14 Was your partner paid a pension bonus or Defence Force Income Support Allowance (DFISA) Bonus from either DVA or Centrelink?

No ► Please complete all details on this form.

Yes ► **You are not eligible for the bereavement payment - there is no need for you to complete this form.**

15 Did your partner receive an income support payment from either DVA or Centrelink since registering for the Pension Bonus Scheme?

No ► Please complete all details on this form.

Yes ► **You are not eligible for the bereavement payment -if your partner has received a disqualifying payment. Contact DVA before completing this form.**

Your residency details

16 Are you:

An Australian citizen

A refugee or a former refugee

The holder of a permanent visa

The holder of a special purpose visa

The holder of a special category visa



Please attach a copy of documents that show you are legally allowed to remain in Australia (e.g. passport showing your visa).

17 Are you living permanently in Australia?

No

Yes

“Permanently” means you normally live in Australia on a long-term basis. Holidays or short trips outside Australia would not affect this.

18 Did you move to, or return to live in Australia in the last 12 months?

No

Yes

Your deceased partner's residency details

- 19 Was your partner:**
- An Australian citizen
 - A refugee or a former refugee
 - The holder of a permanent visa
 - The holder of a special purpose visa
 - The holder of a special category visa

 Please attach a copy of documents that show your partner was legally allowed to remain in Australia (e.g. passport showing their visa).

- 20 Was your partner living permanently in Australia?**
- No
- Yes
- "Permanently" means you normally live in Australia on a long-term basis. Holidays or short trips outside Australia would not affect this.

- 21 Did your partner move to, or return to live in Australia in the last 12 months?**
- No
- Yes

Relationship status

- 22 Did your partner's relationship status change during his/her period of membership of the pension bonus scheme?**
- No ► Please go to next question
- Yes ► Please give details below

| Relationship status | Date from | Date to | Partner's name (when applicable) |
|----------------------|--|--|----------------------------------|
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- 23 Were you living in the same home as your partner at the time of their death?**
- No ► Please go to next question
- Yes ► Please go to question **26**

- 24 Why were you not living with your partner?**
- Partner's illness
 - Your illness
 - Partner in gaol
 - Partner's employment
 - Other ► Please give details below

- 25 Period not living with your partner**
- From / / To / /

Dependent children

26 Did you and/or your partner have any dependent children under 16 years of age?

This means that you were legally responsible for the day-to-day care, welfare and development of a child who was in your care or wholly or substantially in your care.

- No ▶ Please go to next question
Yes ▶ Please give details below

1 Child's full name
Date of birth / / Male Female
Is the child at school? Yes No ▶ Gross fortnightly income \$

2 Child's full name
Date of birth / / Male Female
Is the child at school? Yes No ▶ Gross fortnightly income \$

 Please attach a certified copy of the birth certificate/extract for each child.

27 Did you and/or your partner have any dependent children aged 16-22 years of age who were in full-time education?

- No ▶ Please go to next question
Yes ▶ Please give details below

1 Child's full name
Date of birth / / Male Female
Does the child receive any government payments? No Yes ▶ Type of payment
Amount of payment \$
Other gross fortnightly income \$

2 Child's full name
Date of birth / / Male Female
Does the child receive any government payments? No Yes ▶ Type of payment
Amount of payment \$
Other gross fortnightly income \$

 Please attach a certified copy of the birth certificate/extract for each child.

SECTION B**Accommodation details**

28 Which of the following best describes where you and your partner lived?

In a home you and/or your partner owned, or owned jointly with another person or organisation

This includes paying it off (mortgage)

▶ Go to question **32** on page 10

In rental accommodation or free accommodation

▶ Go to SECTION **C** on page 10

In a relocatable home you and/or your partner owned

Such as a home situated in a village or caravan park where you are paying site fees

▶ Go to SECTION **C** on page 10

In a retirement village

▶ Go to question **29** below

In a residential aged care home (nursing home or hostel) which provided nursing care

▶ Go to SECTION **C** on page 10

In accommodation which you and/or your partner have the right to use free for life

Such as a granny flat

▶ Go to question **31** below

In a home owned by a private trust or a private company

▶ Go to question **35** on page 10

Other (e.g. this could be where you and/or your partner did not have a fixed address)

Please give details

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29 On what date did you and/or your partner move into the retirement village?

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30 Did you and/or your partner pay an entry contribution?

No ▶ Please go to SECTION **C**

Yes ▶ How much was paid?

\$

 Please attach documents such as your contract to verify the amount.

31 Did you and/or your partner pay a sum of money and/or transfer assets to another person in return for this accommodation for life?

No ▶ Please go to SECTION **C**

Yes ▶ Please give details below

Date paid/transferred

Amount paid \$

OR

What assets were transferred

Market value of assets transferred \$

▶ Please go to SECTION **C**

- 32 Did the home stand on a property larger than 2 hectares (5 acres)?** No ▶ Please go to next question
Yes ▶ Please give details on **D526 Farm/Hobby Farm** form

- 33 Was the home on more than one title document?** No ▶ Please go to next question
Yes ▶ Please give details for each title on **D524 Real Estate** form

- 34 Was any part of the home used for income producing purposes (do not include rent from boarders or lodgers)?** No ▶ Please go to next question
Yes ▶ Please give details on **D525 Details of Business** and **D524 Real Estate** forms

SECTION C

Income and assets details

Details about your income and assets should be provided as at the date of death of your partner.

- 35 Was your partner regarded as permanently blind in both eyes?** No ▶ Please go to next question
Yes ▶  Please attach a report from an ophthalmologist giving details of the degree of visual impairment.
▶ The income and asset tests do not apply to you - please go to SECTION **D** on page 13

- 36 What was the total value of your and your partner's combined financial investments?**

\$

Include:

- bank, building society, credit union accounts, term deposits
- cash, gold bullion
- bonds, debentures, unsecured notes
- money you have loaned to another person (including relatives) or organisations or trusts
- investments in superannuation/rollover funds
- managed investments (including property, equity, cash or mortgage trusts, insurance bonds, or friendly society bonds)
- shares in listed or unlisted public companies

37 Did you and/or your partner receive income from:

- a superannuation pension
- an income stream such as an allocated pension, market linked pension, immediate annuity.

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶



Please attach a schedule from your fund manager for each income stream.

38 Did you and/or your partner receive income from an authority or agency outside Australia?

This includes overseas pensions (e.g. British Retirement Income), benefits, allowances, superannuation, compensation and war related payments.

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶



Please attach a document from the issuing authority or agency which gives details including the amount in the foreign currency (e.g. latest pension certificate) for each payment.

39 Did you and/or your partner receive any other income that you have not told us about?

This may include gratuities, money from boarders or lodgers and income from an estate.

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details

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40 Do you wish to declare a net market value for your and your partner's household contents and personal effects?

No ▶ \$10,000 will be held as the value

Yes ▶ What is your estimated value?

\$

41 Did you and/or your partner have any motor vehicles, boats, caravans or trailers?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ What is the total value?

\$

42 Did you and/or your partner own or have an interest in any real estate (other than your home) in Australia or overseas?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details for each property on **D524 Real Estate** form

43 Were you and/or your partner involved in a business (including a farm) as a sole trader or partnership?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶



Please complete and attach the **D525 Details of Business** form or the **D526 Farm/Hobby Farm** form. A separate form must be used for each business. In these forms you are asked to provide a number of other documents such as a certified copy of your last income tax return. If you do not have this form or you require additional forms, contact DVA.

44 Were you or your partner involved in a private trust?

You and/or your partner may have been a trustee, an appointor, or a beneficiary. You may have: made a loan to a private trust, made a gift of cash, assets, or property to a private trust in the last 5 years, relinquished control of a private trust in the last 5 years, a private annuity, a life interest, an interest in a deceased estate.

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶

 Please complete and attach the **D601 Private Trust** form. A separate form must be used for each trust. If you do not have this form or you require additional forms, contact DVA.

Have you or your partner ever contributed to a Special Disability Trust?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶

 Please complete and attach the **D9059 Special Disability Trust** form. A separate form must be used for each trust. If you do not have this form or you require additional forms, contact DVA.

45 Were you or your partner involved in a private company?

You and/or your partner may have been a director or a shareholder. You may have made a loan to a private company, transferred shares in a private company in the last 5 years, made a gift of cash, assets or property to a private company in the last 5 years.

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶

 Please complete and attach the **D600 Private Company** form. A separate form must be used for each private company. If you do not have this form or you require additional forms, contact DVA.

46 Did you and/or your partner have any other assets (in or outside Australia) that you have not already advised us of in this form?

Include things like antiques, other collectibles such as coins, stamps etc.

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details below

| Description of asset | Current market value | Amount owing |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| | \$ | \$ |
| | \$ | \$ |
| | \$ | \$ |
| | \$ | \$ |

Disposal of assets

47 Have you or your partner given away, transferred or disposed of any money, property or other assets (including those held in a private company), during the last five years or during the period your partner was a registered member of the Pension Bonus Scheme?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details below

| Description of item you or your partner gave away or sold | Date | Value of item | Amount received |
|---|------|---------------|-----------------|
| | / / | \$ | \$ |
| | / / | \$ | \$ |
| | / / | \$ | \$ |
| | / / | \$ | \$ |

SECTION D**Work test details**

The work test for the Pension Bonus Scheme requires a registered member to complete at least 960 hours of gainful work each year (i.e. an average of 20 hours per week for 48 weeks each year). At least 640 of these hours must be worked in Australia. Only one member of a couple needs to pass the work test, provided that person has registered as a member of the scheme. However, if you both work, you cannot combine your hours to meet the work test (e.g. if you work 12 hours each week and your partner works 10 hours each week, you cannot add the hours together to claim 1144 hours of work in a 12 month period).

48 Please provide information about the work done to meet the work test

| Who worked (self/partner) | Date from | Date to | Documentation attached | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text" value="/ /"/> | <input type="text" value="/ /"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> Evidentiary certificate* | <input type="checkbox"/> Work record |
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*An Evidentiary Certificate is a letter issued by either DVA or Centrelink which certifies that you and your partner have met the work test for a period (usually 12 months).



Please attach copies of any Evidentiary Certificates issued by Centrelink. If you are providing work records, you will need to attach evidence of work such as group certificates, income tax returns and timesheets.

Circumstances which affects your bonus

Certain events or circumstances can affect the pension bonus membership of you or your partner.

49 Since registering for the Pension Bonus Scheme, have you or your partner been in receipt of a carer payment from Centrelink?

No ► Please go to next question

Yes ► Please give details below

| Who (self/partner) | Details | Date from | Date to |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
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50 Since registering for the Pension Bonus Scheme, have you or your partner been a participant in the Community Development Employment Program?

No ► Please go to next question

Yes ► Please give details below

| Who (self/partner) | Details | Date from | Date to |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input type="text"/> | <input type="text"/> | <input type="text" value="/ /"/> | <input type="text" value="/ /"/> |
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51 Since registering for the Pension Bonus Scheme, have you or your partner been in gaol?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details below

| Who (self/partner) | Details | Date from | Date to |
|--------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
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52 Since registering for the Pension Bonus Scheme, have you or your partner undergone psychiatric confinement due to being charged with committing an offence?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details below

| Who (self/partner) | Details | Date from | Date to |
|--------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
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53 Since registering for the Pension Bonus Scheme, have you or your partner been unable to work due to the death of a partner?

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details below

| Who (self/partner) | Details | Date from | Date to |
|--------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
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54 Since registering for the Pension Bonus Scheme, have you or your partner been absent from work on leave? (This includes paid or unpaid leave such as recreation, sick, bereavement, carer, long service leave etc.)

No ▶ Please go to next question

Yes ▶ Please give details below

| Who (self/partner) | Details | Date from | Date to |
|--------------------|---------|-----------|---------|
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SECTION E**Payment details****55 Give details of the account you want your payment made to**

(If you are already receiving DVA disability pension, do not complete this question.)

Payments must be made to a bank, building society or credit union account held in your name. A joint account is acceptable.

Name of bank, building society or credit union

Type of account (e.g. savings, cheque)

Branch where your account is held

Branch number (BSB)

Account number (this is not always the number printed on your card)

Account held in the name(s) of

SECTION F**Proof of identity****56 Do you currently receive a regular payment, or hold an entitlement card issued by DVA?**

No ▶



Please attach at least 3 certified copies of documents that prove your identity.

Yes ▶



Please attach 1 certified copy of a document from Category B that proves your identity.

Please refer to the Section "Proving your identity to DVA" on page 3 for a list of acceptable documents.

SECTION G**Declaration**

I declare that all information on this form is correct and all documents I have provided are genuine.

I understand that:

- there are penalties for giving false or misleading information;
- DVA can make any enquiries necessary to help work out how much I should be paid or whether I am eligible for pension bonus;
- personal information is protected by law and can be disclosed only where permitted by the *Privacy Act 1988* or where I give permission.

YOUR SIGNATURE



Date