

SENIORS CARDS

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Seniors cards are available to Victorians over 60 and entitle you to a range of benefits and discounts. There are two cards: the Seniors Card and the Seniors Business Discount Card.

Who is eligible?

To be eligible for either card, you must be:

- aged 60 years or over
- a permanent resident of Australia
- living in Victoria.

In addition, to be eligible for a **Seniors Card** you must be working less than 35 hours per week.

If you are working more than 35 hours per week you are eligible for the **Seniors Business Discount Card**.

What are the benefits?

Seniors Card holders and **Seniors Business Discount Card** holders both receive discounts at more than 4,000 participating businesses.

In addition, **Seniors Card** holders receive:

- a free seniors Myki and concessional travel on public transport
- free entry into some museums
- free recreational fishing licence.

For a full list of discounts, visit:
www.seniorsonline.vic.gov.au/seniors-card/discount-directory

How do I apply?

To apply:

- get **application form** from an Australia Post shop or by calling Seniors Information Victoria on **1300 135 090**
- **apply online** at www.seniorsonline.vic.gov.au/seniors-card/manage-your-card/apply-for-a-card

When circumstances change

Replacing your card

To replace a lost, stolen or damaged card:

- call **1300 797 210**
- or **order a replacement online** at www.seniorsonline.vic.gov.au/seniors-card/manage-your-card/replace-a-card

Going back to work

If you have a Seniors Card and you go back into full-time work, cancel your Seniors Card by calling **1300 797 210**.

You can then apply for a Seniors Business Discount Card.

Changing address

If you are moving house within Victoria, update your address details by:

- calling **1300 797 210**
- or online at www.seniorsonline.vic.gov.au/seniors-card/manage-your-card/change-your-address

If you are moving to another state, join the Seniors Card program in that state. Call **1300 797 210** for contact details.

If you are moving overseas permanently, call **1300 797 210** to cancel your card.

Death of a card holder

To cancel a deceased family member's card:

- calling **1300 797 210**
- or email seniorcard@health.vic.gov.au

Tell them the person's:

- full name
- date of birth
- Seniors Card number (if possible).

Get more information

Online at

<https://www.seniorsonline.vic.gov.au/>

Seniors Information Victoria

Phone **1300 135 090** or visit:

**Level 4, Little Lonsdale Street
Melbourne**

(Close to William Street and Flagstaff station)

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