



Are you on a temporary visa and in need of support?

New Zealand Red Cross is working with the New Zealand Government to help you if you are experiencing serious hardship due to COVID-19



To be eligible you must

- ✓ be a foreign national on a temporary visa (sponsorship is not eligible)
- ✓ be in New Zealand
- ✓ be unable to meet your basic needs including food, rent, clothing or medical care
- ✓ have exhausted all other options

Assistance available

- ✓ accommodation - rent, boarding costs
- ✓ utilities - electricity and gas, excludes internet
- ✓ over-the-counter medication and urgent medical needs
- ✓ food and household goods
- ✓ blankets, hot water bottles and basic clothing

How to apply

- online at foreignnationals.services.govt.nz
- for interpreting services and assistance with your application call 0800 RED CROSS (0800 733 276)
- for Recognised Seasonal Employers (RSE) visa holders, the preference is for employers to make the application to enable faster processing. If this is not possible, employees should call 0800 RED CROSS (0800 733 276).

For more information redcross.org.nz/visitorcare (includes translated material)