



Application for family members of the holder of the EU Blue Card (recognised sponsor/non-recognised sponsor)

1 Who can submit this application?

- You can only use this form if you have been recognised as sponsor by the IND or are the authorised representative of the recognised sponsor.
- You use this form for the family members of your employee who you bring/brought to the Netherlands.
- You use this form for the family members of the holder of the EU Blue Card (your employee) you are bringing over. It is possible that the employee becomes a holder of the EU Blue Card for the first time, but it is also possible that your employee comes to the Netherlands from another EU Member State as a holder of the EU Blue Card in the context of long-term mobility. If the family members enter simultaneously with your employee, submit all applications to the IND at the same time.
- The employee is the sponsor for his or her family members. The rights and obligations of the sponsor lie with the employee with whom the family members will reside. The employee must therefore record the evidence and inform the IND in case of any changes. For more information, you can refer the employee to the brochure 'Enabling a family-member or relative to come to the Netherlands'.
- Only for recognised sponsors: if the family members and the employee enter the Netherlands simultaneously, you must also pay the fees for these family members via a direct debit collection.
- Here, you have to state the applicable procedure.

> *Please tick the applicable situation*

It concerns an application for the following procedure:

- ☐ Procedure for Entry and Residence: the family member of your employee still lives abroad and is obliged to apply for a regular provisional residence permit.
- ☐ Procedure for a regular residence permit: the family member of your employee is not obliged to apply for a regular provisional residence permit and resides in the Netherlands or still abroad.
- ☐ Extension of the validity of the residence permit.
- ☐ Changing the residence permit (together with extending the validity of the residence permit): the family member of your employee already has a residence permit and wants to change his residence permit into another purpose of residence.

Make sure that this application is received by the IND in time. Therefore, submit the application before the validity of the family member's current residence permit expires. *Please note!* Do not submit the application later than 4 weeks after the expiry date of the residence permit. This is important to prevent the family member encountering a residence gap. A residence gap is an interruption in your residence. This has consequences for any subsequent procedures, such as an application for a permanent residence permit or an application for naturalisation. Do not submit an application for extension of the validity if the residence permit is still valid for more than 3 months. The IND will disregard an application for extension which is submitted earlier than 3 months before the expiration date of the residence permit.



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Appendix Employer's Declaration European Blue Card

1 Details of company/institution

Write in block letters

1.1 Name of company/institution

1.2 Chamber of Commerce
registration number

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1.3 Visiting address

Street

Number

Postcode

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Town

According to Chapter II Article 7(2)(d) of Directive 2021/1883/EU of 20 October 2021, an application for an EU Blue Card may be rejected if the employer has been sanctioned in conformity with national law for undeclared work and/or illegal employment.

> *Please tick the applicable situation(s)*

I hereby declare that in the previous five years, the employer has not, for any of his companies:

- ☐ received any penalty for acting contrary to Article 2 of the Foreign Nationals Employment Act (in Dutch: Wet Arbeid Vreemdelingen or (Wav);
- ☐ received any penalty for acting contrary to Article 67 under d, e and f of the State Taxes Act (in Dutch: Algemene wet inzake rijksbelastingen or Awr);
- ☐ I am not able to declare the above for the following reasons:

2 Details of the recognised sponsor

Write in block letters

2.1	Company name		
2.2	IND client number	1-	
2.3	Name of contact person		
2.4	Postal address	Street	Number
		P.O. box (if applicable)	
		Postcode	
		Town	
2.5	Telephone number of contact person		
2.6	E-mail of contact person		
2.7	Chamber of Commerce number		

3 Details of the authorised representative (if applicable)

Write in block letters

3.1	Company name		
3.2	Name authorised representative		
3.3	Name of contact person		
3.4	Postal address	Street	Number
		P.O. box (if applicable)	
		Postcode	
		Town	

3.5 Telephone number

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3.6 E-mail

4 Details of the holder of the EU Blue Card (employee) *Write in block letters*

4.1 V-number (if known)

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4.2 Citizen Service Number
(if known)

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4.3 Name *Surname*
(as stated in the passport)

First names

4.4 Sex ☐ Male
☐ Female

5 Details of the spouse/(registered) partner *Write in block letters*

5.1 V-number (if known)

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5.2 Citizen Service Number
(if known)

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5.3 Name *Surname*
(as stated in the passport)

First names

5.4 Sex ☐ Male
☐ Female

5.5 Date of birth

<i>Day</i>	<i>Month</i>	<i>Year</i>								
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5.6 Place of birth

5.7 Country of birth
(as stated in the passport)

5.8 Nationality

5.9 Civil status ☐ unmarried (single or cohabiting)
☐ married
☐ registered partnership
☐ divorced
☐ widow/widower

6.1 Details of minor child 1

Write in block letters

6.1 V-number (if known)

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6.2 Citizen Service Number (if known)

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6.3 Name (as stated in the passport) Surname

First names

6.4 Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female

6.5 Date of birth

Day			Month			Year			
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6.6 Place of birth

6.7 Country of birth (as stated in the passport)

6.8 Nationality

6.9 Civil status ☐ unmarried (single or cohabiting) ☐ married ☐ registered partnership ☐ divorced ☐ widow/widower

6.2 Details of minor child 2

Write in block letters

6.10 V-number (if known)

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6.11 Citizen Service Number (if known)

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6.12 Name (as stated in the passport) Surname

First names

6.13 Sex ☐ Male ☐ Female

6.14 Date of birth

Day			Month			Year			
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6.15 Place of birth

6.16 Country of birth (as stated in the passport)

6.17 Nationality

6.18 Civil status

- ☐ unmarried (single or cohabiting)
☐ married
☐ registered partnership
☐ divorced
☐ widow/widower

6.3 Details of minor child 3

Write in block letters

6.19 V-number (if known)

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6.20 Citizen Service Number
(if known)

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6.21 Name
(as stated in the passport)

Surname

First names

6.22 Sex

- ☐ Male
☐ Female

6.23 Date of birth

Day		Month		Year		

6.24 Place of birth

6.25 Country of birth
(as stated in the passport)

6.26 Nationality

6.27 Civil status

- ☐ unmarried (single or cohabiting)
☐ married
☐ registered partnership
☐ divorced
☐ widow/widower

> If you wish to apply for more family members, please write down the personal data requested in this section for each family member on a separate sheet and submit it with your application.

7 Statement on conditions

I state the following:

- The principal person has lasting and sufficient means of support. ☐ Yes ☐ No
- The family member(s) over 12 years of age has/have signed the antecedents certificate. ☐ Yes ☐ No
> Please enclose the antecedents certificate with the application.
- The family member(s) intend(s) to undergo a TB test (if mandatory) within 3 months after having arrived in the Netherlands (only applicable in case of first admission). ☐ Yes ☐ No
- The family member(s) has/have his/their principal residence in the Netherlands or will establish the principal residence in the Netherlands. ☐ Yes ☐ No

In the case of residence as a family member of a holder of the EU Blue Card within the meaning of Directive 2021/1883/EU during inbound long-term mobility

- The family member(s) is/are adequately insured for medical expenses ☐ Yes ☐ No

8 Entry date (if a regular provisional residence permit is required)

The entry date will be the start date of the residence permit. If the entry date is unknown the residence permit starts the day after issuing the regular provisional residence permit. Please note! Issuing of the residence document may take longer if no entry date has been provided.

> Please tick the applicable situation and fill in

- 8.1 Entry date ☐ Entry date unknown
☐ Entry date:

Day	Month	Year
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

9 Incoming long-term mobility of the family member of the EU Blue Card holder (if applicable)

9.1

Indicate the period during which your family member will stay in the Netherlands

from

Day	Month	Year
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

to

Day	Month	Year
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

9.2

Expected date of departure from the Netherlands

Day	Month	Year
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

10 Place of collection of regular provisional residence permit

(only if a regular provisional residence permit is required)

The entry date will be the start date of the residence permit. If the entry date is unknown the residence permit starts the day after issuing the regular provisional residence permit. Please note! Issuing of the residence document may take longer if no entry date has been provided.

10.1 Town

10.2 Country

11 Evidence to be enclosed

> Please tick the applicable situation

☐ Marriage/registered partnership (320)

☐ Marriage/registered partnership in case of long-term mobility (522)

Please enclose the following means of evidence with your application:

- A copy of the legalised marriage certificate or certificate of registered partnership. Please note: Is the marriage or registered partnership registered with the municipality in the Netherlands (BRP)? If so, you do not have to enclose a copy of a legalised certificate.

In case of marriage/registered partnership with an EU Blue Card holder during incoming long-term mobility, please also add:

- A copy of the front and back of a valid residence permit as a family member of the researcher, issued by the first Member State.

☐ Unmarried partner (322)

☐ Unmarried partner in case of long-term mobility (522)

Please enclose the following means of evidence with your application:

- A copy of the legalised unmarried status declaration of the principal person. The unmarried status declaration must come from the country of origin. If the principal person did not reside in the country of origin before coming to the Netherlands, but in a country of continuous residence, please add a declaration of unmarried status from the country of origin **and** an unmarried declaration from the sponsor's country of continuous residence. If the principal person (in the meantime) has Dutch nationality, a permanent residence permit or an asylum residence permit, then he does not need to add an unmarried status declaration;
- A copy of the legalised unmarried status declaration of the partner. The unmarried status declaration must come from the country of origin. If the partner does not reside in the country of origin before coming to the Netherlands, but in a country of continuous residence, please add an unmarried status certificate from the country of origin **and** an unmarried certificate from the country of continuous residence.
- Appendix 'Declaration of relationship' completed and signed by your employee and his partner.
- A 'Questionnaire for residence with partner' that you have fully completed and signed.

In case of unmarried partnership with a holder of the EU Blue Card during the inbound long-term mobility, please also add:

- A copy of the front and back of the valid residence permit for residence as a family member of the employee issued by the first Member State.

☐ Minor child (326)

☐ Minor child in case of long-term mobility (522)

Please enclose the following means of evidence with your application:

- A copy of a legalised birth certificate or, if the birth certificate does not show the family relationship between the principal person and the children, other copies of legalised documents about this family relationship, for example any adoption documents.

If the child's other parent who also has custody remains in the country of origin, then also include:

- A signed declaration of consent from the parent staying behind. This declaration of consent states that this parent gives his/her consent for the child to stay in the Netherlands; and
- A copy of legalised documents showing the legal authority of the principal person, spouse or partner over the minor child; and
- A copy of the identity document (for example passport) of the parent staying behind.

If the child is 15 years of age or older, please also enclose:

- A 'Certificate of non-impediment' appendix, completed and signed by the child.

In the case of a minor child of a holder of the EU Blue Card during inbound long-term mobility, please add to your application:

- a copy of the front and back of the valid residence permit for residence as a family member of the employee issued by the first Member State.

If the child's other parent who also has custody remains in the other Member State, then also include:

- A signed declaration of consent from the parent staying behind. This declaration of consent states that this parent gives his/her consent for the child to stay in the Netherlands; and
- A copy of the identity document (for example passport) of the parent staying behind.

If the child is 15 years of age or older, please also enclose:

- A 'Certificate of non-impediment' appendix, completed and signed by the child.

12 Location where the residence permit is collected

Please indicate below the IND Desk where the foreign national will collect the residence permit:

- ☐ Amsterdam ☐ 's-Hertogenbosch (Den Bosch) ☐ Den Haag ☐ Zwolle

The foreign national can also collect his residence permit at an Expatcenter:

(NB. Some Expatcenters charge a fee for this service. To collect the residence permit you must make an appointment)

- ☐ Amsterdam ☐ Den Haag ☐ Eindhoven ☐ Enschede
☐ Groningen ☐ Maastricht ☐ Nijmegen ☐ Rotterdam
☐ Utrecht ☐ Wageningen

13 Signing by the sponsor

13.1 Name

13.2 Place and date

Place

Day		Month		Year		
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13.3 Signature (by a person authorised for this purpose)

14 Means of evidence and documents

Please enclose the following documents with this form:

- The supporting documents as indicated in section 11 of this form.
- A copy of the passport of the family member(s) (only the identity details and stamped pages).
- The completed appendix antecedents certificate.
- The completed appendix Authorisation and sponsorship declaration.
- The completed appendix direct debit collection. (Please note! Only in case of recognised sponsorship.)
- Proof of health insurance for each family member.

15 Biometric information (fingerprints, passport photo) and signature

The family member(s) of the employee must have his/her/their fingerprints and facial image (passport photo) taken to determine their identity. The biometric information is also required to create a residence permit. For the residence permit the IND also needs a signature. See the appendix Fingerprints, passport photo and signature. NB. Fingerprints are not taken from children younger than the age of 6.

16 Submitting the application and payment

You have collected, copied and enclosed all the means of evidence necessary for the application. Proceed to the appendix: "Submitting and paying for the application (by the sponsor)".

Processing of personal data

The Immigration and Naturalisation Service (IND) processes personal data when it processes your application, notification, or request. This means that if needed the IND will request data from you yourself and other organisations or persons. The IND also uses and stores data and shares them with other organisations. When doing so, the IND strictly adheres to the stipulations of privacy legislation. For instance, the IND must treat data safely and with due care. The law also gives rights. At your request, you are allowed to see which data on you the IND processes. You can also get information on why the IND does so and to whom your data have been passed on. On www.ind.nl you can read how the IND processes your data and which rights you have. You can also read how to use your rights.

