This form is used to record information from someone nominated by you, about your relationship status when applying for Sole Parent Support.

**Applicant to complete**

**Tell us your details**

1. **What is your full name?**
   - First and middle names
   - Surname or family name

2. **What date were you born?**
   - Day
   - Month
   - Year

**Your signature**

- I understand that the person providing the statement about my relationship status may be contacted.
- I have read and understood the Privacy Statement in my application form.

**Please read this important information**

People giving information about a person’s relationship status must:
- be 18 years or over
- have known the applicant for at least two years
- be currently living in New Zealand
- not be the applicant’s ex-partner
- not be an immediate family member of the applicant, that is, not be their:
  - parent, step-parent, in-laws
  - child, step-child, whāngai child
  - sibling (brother or sister)
  - grandparent
  - grandchild/mokopuna.

If you have any questions about eligibility for benefits or Work and Income’s definition of a relationship:
- visit [www.workandincome.govt.nz](http://www.workandincome.govt.nz)
- call 0800 559 009.
Tell us your details

1. What is your full name?
   First and middle names
   Surname or family name

2. What date were you born?
   Day  Month  Year

Tell us how we can contact you

3. Where do you live?
   Flat/House number
   Street name
   Suburb
   Town/City

4. Is your mailing address different from where you live?
   [ ] No  [ ] Yes  [ ] Tell us your mailing address

5. Can we contact you about the information you are providing?
   [ ] No  [ ] Yes
   Go to question 7

6. How can we contact you?
   [ ] Home phone ( )
   [ ] Mobile phone ( )
   [ ] Other mobile phone ( )

7. What is your relationship to the person named on page one?

Tell us your details

Nominated person to complete

1. What is your full name?
   First and middle names
   Surname or family name

2. What date were you born?
   Day  Month  Year

Tell us how we can contact you

3. Where do you live?
   Flat/House number
   Street name
   Suburb
   Town/City

4. Is your mailing address different from where you live?
   [ ] No  [ ] Yes  [ ] Tell us your mailing address

5. Can we contact you about the information you are providing?
   [ ] No  [ ] Yes
   Go to question 7

6. How can we contact you?
   [ ] Home phone ( )
   [ ] Mobile phone ( )
   [ ] Other mobile phone ( )

7. What is your relationship to the person named on page one?
Tell us about the person's current relationship status

Using your own words, describe the relationship status of the person named on page one?

If you are worried about the information you are being asked to provide you can contact our Fraud Allegation line:

• Call us 0800 556 006
• Email fraud_allegations@msd.govt.nz

You can remain anonymous and we will do everything we can to protect your privacy.

Confirmation

☐ I confirm that the information I have provided is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
☐ I am aware that if I provide false information I could be prosecuted and fined or imprisoned.
☐ I have read and understood the Privacy Statement contained in this form.

Your name (print)  
Your signature  
Date

Day Month Year
Privacy Statement

The legislation administered by the Ministry of Social Development allows us to check the information that you give us in this form. This may happen when a person submits this form as part of their application and at any time after that. The Privacy Act 1993 requires us to tell you why we collect the information and what we will do with it.

Why we collect information

The information you give us is collected under the authority of the legislation administered by the Ministry of Social Development. The information will be held by the Ministry of Social Development.

The information is collected for the purposes of the legislation administered by the Ministry of Social Development (including Work and Income, Child, Youth and Family and other service lines of the Ministry), and in particular for:

- granting benefits and other assistance under the Social Security Act 1964
- providing employment related services
- statistical and research purposes
- providing advice to Government
- care and protection needs of children
- providing support and services to families
- providing education related services.

You are not required to give Work and Income information, but if you do not give us all the information we ask for, a person’s application for benefits and other assistance may be declined.

We may compare the information you give us with other government-held information

The information you give us may be compared with information held by other government agencies such as Inland Revenue, the Ministry of Justice, the Department of Corrections, the New Zealand Customs Service, the Department of Internal Affairs, the Accident Compensation Corporation, Housing New Zealand Corporation, Ministry of Health and Immigration New Zealand. It may also be compared with social security information (for example, pension or benefit information) held by other governments (including Australia and the Netherlands).

We may share information with Inland Revenue

Under the Tax Administration Act 1994, if the person has dependent children, the information you give us may be shared with Inland Revenue for the purpose of administering Working for Families Tax Credits. Inland Revenue may also:

- use the information for the purposes of child support, student loans and taxation
- disclose it to the Ministry of Business, Innovation, and Employment, Statistics New Zealand, the Ministry of Justice, the Accident Compensation Corporation, and the Ministry of Education
- disclose information you have provided on this form to the person’s partner.

We may share information with the applicant

The information you give us may be disclosed to the applicant.

You have the right to see and correct your information

Under the Privacy Act 1993 you have the right to ask to see all information we hold about you and to ask them, or us, to correct that information.