



## ACT Seniors Card Application

The ACT Seniors Card is part of an Australia-wide initiative jointly supported by the ACT Government and Council on the Ageing (ACT). Each state and territory has a Seniors Card Scheme and some reciprocal arrangements are in place for using your card in other states and the Northern Territory. The scheme recognises the valuable contribution of older people in their local community.

An ACT Seniors Card provides access to a range of business discounts and ACT Government concessions, including travel. The ACT Seniors Card provides free off peak travel on Transport Canberra services. Seniors aged 70 or over who hold an ACT Seniors Card are entitled to free travel on Transport Canberra services.

An ACT Seniors Card is available to permanent residents who live in the ACT, meet the age eligibility and are not in paid employment for more than 20 hours per week.

Please complete the application below:

### Application form and declaration of eligibility

Please use black or blue pen and block letters

Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss/Other (specify):..... Surname: .....

First Name:.....

Address: .....

Suburb:..... ACT Postcode: .....

Telephone:..... Mobile .....

Email:.....

Date of Birth:.....

New Card                       Replacement Card

**IMPORTANT:** If you have a NSW Opal Gold travel card, it will be linked to your old ACT Seniors Card number. Upon receipt of your new ACT Seniors Card, you will need to apply for a new NSW Opal Gold Card and call Opal to get a balance transfer of any travel credit. NSW Opal can be contacted on 13 67 25.

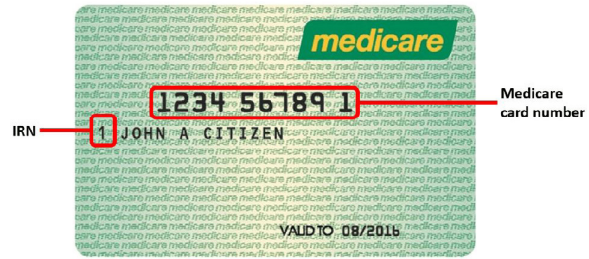
I acknowledge that I meet the requirements for ACT Senior card eligibility and confirm that I am not in paid employment for more than 20 hours a week.

For further information regarding the eligibility for an ACT Seniors Card visit [www.actseiniorscard.org.au](http://www.actseiniorscard.org.au)

# Proof of ID type

Please provide ID type – provide card details of one of the following

Medicare card  
             
 Reference No.



Centrelink Healthcare Card  
 Centrelink Pension Concession Card  
 DVA Healthcare Card            
 The name to appear on the card is the same as the name on your proof of ID.

## Privacy notice

The Directorate is providing you with this notice to meet its obligations under the **Information Privacy Act 2014**. COTA ACT is providing you with this notice to meet privacy requirements and comply with its contractual obligations under an agreement with the Community Services Directorate, which funds the Seniors Card Program. When you complete and submit a Seniors Card application form to the Directorate or COTA ACT, your personal information is collected for the following purposes:

1. to provide you with an ACT Seniors Card;
2. to help you use your ACT Seniors Card, including to access senior's entitlements, events and to replace lost or stolen cards;
3. to provide you with information and updates about your ACT Seniors Card and
4. to ask you to participate in surveys about the Seniors Card Program, including the Seniors Card Information Service and entitlements.

- The Directorate passes on information collected on the application form to COTA ACT.

I have read the privacy notice and consent to the Transport Canberra and City Services Directorate disclosing my personal information on this form to COTA ACT for the purposes of card registration, card management and related services.

I consent to disclosing my Identifying Information to the issuer and/or official record holder of that information for the purposes of verifying, and checking the accuracy of, the information.

Signature of applicant:..... Date: .....

**Please email or post the completed application form to:**

seniorscard@cotaact.org.au  
 Council on the Ageing (COTA) ACT  
 Hughes Community Centre  
 2 Wisdom Street  
 Hughes ACT 2605

Your ACT Seniors Card will be posted to you within 15 business days. Your ACT Seniors Card gives you access to savings on a range of goods and services provided by participating businesses. Find out more about your ACT Seniors Card and the discounts available by visiting the ACT Seniors Card or COTA ACT websites.

**COTA ACT**

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