

Immigration Requirements to work

To work in New Zealand you must have:

- A work permit
- Permanent New Zealand residency or citizenship

If you have a visitors or student visa and obtain a job offer, contact the New Zealand Immigration Service to obtain a work permit or New Zealand residency.

Variation of Conditions to an existing Work Permit

If you have a current work permit through Essential Skills, you may be able to vary your current work permit conditions in the following circumstances:

If you are changing employer but staying in the same region.

If you are staying with the same employer but changing region.

However, if the following scenarios occur, a new work permit application is required:

- If you are changing both employer and region.
- If you are changing occupation, job title or industry.

New Zealand Immigration Service

T. 0508 558 855

7am – 7pm

www.immigration.govt.nz

Career Services

1141 Pukaki Street, Rotorua

T. 07 349-0680

www.careers.govt.nz

Career Services offer FREE help with

- your job search,
- writing your CV (resume),



- improving your interview skills, information on local industries
- entry requirements and training required for jobs.

Their website has a section "People new to New Zealand" and includes information on:

- What you should know about the New Zealand workplace?
- Tips for creating a New Zealand style CV
- Going for an interview in New Zealand.

Destination Rotorua Economic Development

3rd Floor, 1136 Arawa Street, Rotorua
T. 07 348 4199
www.rotorua-business.com

Rotorua Community Link

1207 Pukuatua Street, Rotorua

Rotorua Community Link has a computer suite. It contains:

- Computers with template CVs and covering letters
- A printer
- A telephone

These facilities are available to everyone, regardless of their immigration status.



New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA)

www.nzqa.govt.nz/for-international
Approves international qualifications

Seasonal and Temporary Work

Doing seasonal or temporary work can lead to permanent employment. It is also a way of obtaining a New Zealand employment reference. Employers sometimes prefer to use a New Zealand employment, rather than one from overseas.

www.seasonalwork.co.nz
www.seasonaljobs.co.nz
www.picknz.co.nz

Local Employment Agencies

Personnel Resources

Level 5, 1135 Arawa Street, Rotorua
T. 07 348 2424
www.personnelresources.co.nz

Talent ID

Suite 5, 1081 Hinemoa Street, Rotorua
T. 07 349 1081
www.talentid.co.nz

Tradestaff

1294 Pukuatua Street, Rotorua
T. 07 343 6316

See  'Yellow' 'Employment Agencies'

Newspapers

The Daily Post advertises local job vacancies on Saturdays and Wednesdays.

Newspapers are available at Rotorua Public Library.

Additional Employment Websites

General employment

www.careerjet.co.nz

www.search4jobs.co.nz

www.seek.co.nz

www.trademe.co.nz

www.workandincome.govt.nz

Lists job vacancies registered with Work and Income, the Government's social security agency.

Health sector

www.lakesdhb.govt.nz

Local district health board

www.zest4life.co.nz

Recruitment website for 5 district health boards in the central north island.

www.asms.org.nz

Association of Salaried Medical Specialists

Teaching

www.edgazette.govt.nz

www.teachnz.govt.nz

Government

www.jobs.govt.nz

Engineering vacancies

www.jobhunt.co.nz

Motor Industry

www.automotiveemployment.co.nz

A recruitment website for automotive, heavy equipment, forklift, farm, marine, and national distributors.

Hospitality

www.restaurantnz.co.nz

Fitness, Sport & Recreation

www.sportbop.co.nz

www.fitnz.co.nz

Linking Skilled migrants to NZ employers

www.newkiwis.co.nz

www.newlifenezealand.com

Student Employment

www.sjs.co.nz

