# **Immigration Services Pricing Guide**

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We are required by the Solicitors Regulation Authority to publish the below pricing information. Please note, the below is applicable only to the stated circumstances, and unless a fixed fee is stated it is purely an indicative guide. Please contact us for an accurate fee proposal based on your particular facts and circumstances. This type of work is supervised by the Head of Department, Sherry Fitzgerald.

## **Hourly rates:**

	£ excl VAT@20%	£ incl VAT @20%
Legal Assistant	£130	£156
Trainee	£165 - £175	£198 - £210
Solicitor	£225	£270
Senior Solicitor	£330	£396
Partner	£375	£450

For details of qualifications and experience of persons carrying out the work, please click here and here.

Immigration work will generally be undertaken on a time basis. Although, a fixed fee may be agreed upon request. We do not provide advice or assistance on the basis of legal aid.

Our immigration work is charged at an hourly rate of £300 incl VAT @20% (£250 excl VAT @20%)

Our fee estimates for work undertaken are as follows:

Visa type	Entry Clearar	nce	Extension		Indefinite Lea	ave to Remain
	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT
Family routes						
Spouse visa	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000
Unmarried partner/civil partner visa	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000
Fiancé visa	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000
Same sex relationship visa	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000
Settlement applications for dependent children under 18	50% reduction of main applicant fee					
Settlement applications for adult dependent relatives	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000
Private life	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000
Family life as parent	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000
Family life as partner	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000
EEA Family Permit (Settlement)	From £1,500					







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	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	
Working routes - non-Poin	Working routes - non-Points Based System						
Sole representative of an overseas business/ Representative of a newspaper or news agency	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000	
Direct family member	50% reduction of main applicant fee						
Domestic worker in a private household	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000	
Turkish Worker Visa	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000	
Turkish Businesspersons Visa	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000	
Ancestry	From £3,600	From £3,000	From £2,400	From £2,000	From £3,600	From £3,000	
Ancestry direct family member	50% reduction of main applicant fee						

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Working routes - Points	s Based Syster	n				
Tier 1 – Investor Extension	From £6,000 - £9,600	From £5,000 - £8,000	From £6,000	From £5,000	From £9,600	From £8,000 (this does not apply to accelerated routes)
Innovator Visa Start-up Visa	From £6,000	From £5,000	From £6,000	From £5,000	From £9,600	From £8,000 (this does not apply to accelerated routes)
Tier 1 - Family member	50% reduction of main applicant fee	50% reduction of main applicant fee				
Skilled Worker Visa	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,600	From £3,000
Skilled senior or specialist worker visa	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,600	From £3,000
Tier 2 – religious worker/ sporting workers	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,600	From £3,000
Employer sponsor licence skilled worker application	From £4,800	From £4,000	£4,800	£4,000	N/A	N/A
Family member skilled worker	50% reduction of main applicant fee	50% reduction	50% reduction			







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	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT
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Tier 4 - Child Tier 4 - Adult	From £3,000	From £2,500 From £2,500	From £3,000 From £3,000	From £2,500 From £2,500	From £3,600	From £3,000
Dependants – family members	50% reduction of main applicant fee	50% reduction	50% reduction			

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	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT
Temporary working ro Tier 5 (All categories)	rom £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,600	From £3,000
Tier 5 – family members	50% reduction of main applicant fee	50% reduction of main applicant fee	50% reduction of main applicant fee			
Youth mobility scheme	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,000	From £2,500	From £3,600	From £3,000

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	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT	Incl VAT	Excl VAT
Short term routes						
Visit - general (short term)	From £1,500	From £1,250	From £1,200	From £1,000	N/A	N/A
Visa – general (Long term)	From £1,500	From £1,250	From £1,200	From £1,000	N/A	N/A
Tourist, business, student	From £1,500	From £1,250	From £1,200	From £1,000	N/A	N/A
Medical visit	From £1,500	From £1,250	From £1,200	From £1,000	N/A	N/A
Parents of a child at school in the UK	From £1,500	From £1,250	From £1,200	From £1,000	N/A	N/A

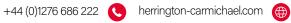
Other applications	Incl VAT	Excl VAT
Appeal (stage 1) – submission & grounds of appeal	From £1,800	From £1,500
Appeal (stage 2) - case hearing (not to include advocacy)	From £6,000	From £5,000
Indefinite stay after 10 years in the UK	From £3,600 to £6,000	From £3,000 to £5,000
Indefinite stay after 20 years unlawful and/or lawful stay in the UK	From £6,000	From £5,000
Naturalisation - Adult	From £1,800 to £3,600	From £1,500 to £3,000
Naturalisation - Child	From £1,800 to £3,600	From £1,500 to £3,000
Child registration (MN1)	From £1,800 to £3,600	From £1,500 to £3,000
Child registration (T) / Adult registration	From £1,800 to £3,600	From £1,500 to £3,000

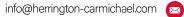
These fee estimates do not include disbursements or Home Office fees - please see disbursements section below.

A fee estimate for your work will be provided upon initial instruction.

The exact number of hours it will take to undertake your matter depends on the circumstances in your case. Such as:









- The amount of supporting evidence that we need to consider
- Which language(s) you speak
- Whether you are applying with other dependants

If you are able to provide sufficient evidence at our first meeting and clearly meet the applicable Immigration Rules, are costs are likely to be

#### What services are included?

The work will involve:

- Discussing your circumstances in detail and confirming whether this is the most appropriate application for you to make and what other options may be available to you
- Giving you advice about the requirements of the Immigration Rules and whether you meet the criteria.
- If you do not fulfil certain criteria, whether this can be overcome and how, which on average takes three to four hours.
- Considering the supporting evidence you have provided, which we anticipate will take three to four hours. However, the amount of hours depends on the number of documents, whether they need to be translated, whether anything is missing and how long it will take to obtain the missing documents
- Where necessary, helping you obtain further evidence (such as medical records and bank statements), including taking statements of any witnesses
- Preparing your application and submitting it on your behalf, which we anticipate will take up to fifteen hours (but certain cases may take more time, if this applies, you will be notified)
- Attendance at a Home Office interview: if the Home Office ask you to attend an interview, we will give you clear advice (and discuss the possibility of us attending with you) at the appropriate time. This could be between eight and ten hours of work.
- Giving you advice about the outcome of the application and any further steps you need to take.

### Disbursements (not included in costs set out above)

Disbursements are costs related to your matter that are payable to third parties, such as visa fees, healthcare surcharges, biometric charges. We handle the payment of the disbursements on your behalf to ensure a smoother process.

- Interpreters fees to be quoted separately and if necessary.
- Independent expert reports e.g. medical experts. These are not required in many cases: we will let you know as soon as possible if we consider an expert report is necessary.
- If there is an interview and we do attend with you, there will be additional disbursements in respect of our mileage/travel expenses.

The costs quoted above do not include:

- Any Home Office fees for making the application. You may pay this to the Home Office directly as part of the application process or provide us with card payment details to facilitate payments. For information in relation to home office fees, please read here.
- Where the Home Office refuse your application, advice and assistance in relation to any appeal

### **Timings**

We cannot guarantee how long the Home Office will take to process your application. Please read the current processing times.

Provided we have all evidence and information available, we will normally be able to submit most applications within four weeks of you instructing us, but we will let you know at the earliest opportunity if it is likely to take longer than this.

Particularly complex applications, under the Tier 1 routes, can take much longer to prepare.

Please note the anticipated number of hours and fees are an estimate based on the facts above. All applications are likely to vary and of course, we can give you a more accurate estimate once we have more information about your specific case.





