







## Help and information

### Who can apply for a GP Visit Card Over 70s?

Any person aged over 70, who lives or intends to live in the Republic of Ireland for at least one year can apply for a GP Visit Card – Over 70s.

### What details are needed to complete this form?

Complete **all three parts** of this form.

1. Your details and your spouse's or partner's details, if applicable.
2. Your GP of choice details.
3. Signed and dated Declaration and consent. (Part 3).

### What is a Nominated Contact Person?

If you wish a friend or relative to act on your behalf, you can complete Part 1D. All correspondence and contact will be sent to the nominated contact person.

### Please sign and return this form to:

National Medical Card Unit, GP Visit Card Over 70s, PO Box 12629, Dublin 11.

### What happens if I attend a separate GP to my spouse or partner?

If your spouse or partner attends a different GP to you, and they are also over 70 years of age, they can be included in this application. However, they will need to complete section 2B with details of their GP of choice. Their GP will also need to stamp the section.

### I already have a Medical Card or GP Visit Card. Do I need to fill in this form?

If you (or your spouse or partner) already have a Medical Card or GP Visit Card, you do not need to complete this form as the GP services are already provided under the general Medical Card scheme.

### I have applied for a Medical Card or GP Visit Card – should I also fill in this form?

No. If you are aged over 70 and have already applied for a Medical Card or GP Visit Card, we will assess your application for one of those cards. If you are eligible for a Medical Card or GP Visit Card, you will receive your card. If your application is unsuccessful, you (and your spouse or partner) will automatically receive a GP Visit Card Over 70s.

### My spouse is under 70 years of age, are they eligible to register?

No, your spouse or partner must also be 70 years or older to be eligible for this scheme. If they are under 70 years, they can apply to be assessed for a Medical Card eligibility, by completing and returning a Medical Card Application form (MC1 form).

## Checklist

- Have you completed your details, including your contact details?
- Have you completed your spouse's or partner's details if applicable?
- Have you ticked Part 1C (end of Page 1)?
- Have you selected a GP of choice and has Part 2 been stamped by the GP?
- Have you read the declaration in Part 3 and signed it?

If you have any questions before you send off this form, LoCall **1890 252 919**.

### Please send your completed form to:

**GP Visit Card - Over 70s**  
**PO Box 12629**  
**Dublin 11.**