

# Application for Approval to Transfer Into or Out of Queensland

*Mental Health Act 2016  
Sections 515, 523, 525*

The Tribunal may approve the transfer into Queensland only if satisfied:

- (a) The transfer is in the best interests of the person, including, for example, closer proximity to the person's family, carers and other support persons; and
- (b) Appropriate treatment and/or care is available for the person at the Queensland service; and
- (c) That a Forensic Order is necessary, because of the person's mental condition, to protect the safety of the community, including from the risk of serious harm to other persons or property

The Tribunal may approve the transfer out of Queensland only if satisfied:

- (a) The transfer is in the best interests of the person, including, for example, closer proximity to the person's family, carers and other support persons; and
- (b) Appropriate treatment and care is available for the person at the interstate mental health service; and
- (c) The arrangements are adequate to protect the safety of the community.

The Tribunal may give the approval subject to the conditions the Tribunal considers appropriate.

**All applications must attach a written statement from Queensland's Chief Psychiatrist or Director of Forensic Disability confirming that the interstate transfer requirements for the person may be satisfied.**

## Applicant details

- Person subject to an interstate forensic order
- Person subject to a forensic order (mental health)
- Person subject to a forensic order (disability)
- Person subject to a treatment support order
- An Interested Person for the person  Specify relationship \_\_\_\_\_

## Person details (person subject to the order)

Given name/s	Family name	
Address		
Town/suburb	State	Postcode
Phone No.		
Date of birth	/ /	or Age

## Transfer details

**A written statement from Queensland's Chief Psychiatrist or Director of Forensic Disability confirming that the interstate transfer requirements for the person may be satisfied MUST be attached.**

Current Treating Service:
Proposed Treating Service:

Reasons why the transfer would be in the best interests of the person, including, for example, closer proximity to the person's family, carers and other support persons:

Treatment and care arrangements at the proposed service:

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