



Adult Members: Membership and Garda Vetting Forms (Age 18+)

To join Irish Red Cross, please complete the membership form, on pages 2 & 3

You will be asked to select the activities you are interested in - please note that if you select Unit Member (First Aid) or Youth Leader, that you will be required to complete Garda Vetting.

Applicants for roles which require Garda Vetting should complete Pages 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.

Applicants for roles which do not need Garda Vetting should only complete Pages 2 & 3.

Tips for completing your membership form

Pages 2 & 3 – Adult Membership Application Form:

In order to provide your membership card, we will need a current, passport-sized photograph. This can be manually attached to the form or emailed to membership@redcross.ie stating your name and “card photo” in the subject line of your email.

Pages 4 & 5 – Irish Red Cross ID Verification Form (only for roles requiring Garda Vetting)

Before we can process your Garda Vetting Form, it is a Garda Vetting requirement that you complete an Identification Check. The ID Verification form must be signed off by the local Irish Red Cross Branch you are joining. The form must be signed by either the Secretary, Treasurer, Chair, or Vice-Chair within the Branch.

Page 5 shows a list of acceptable ID documents. Please be sure to enclose a photocopy of the ID you used to verify your identity with your chosen branch.

Page 6 – Adult E-Vetting Invitation Form - NVB1 (only for roles requiring Garda Vetting)

The NVB1 form requires your current address and an email address. We submit your E-Vetting Invitation to the National Vetting Bureau. They then send you an email containing a link that allows you to complete your Garda Vetting application online.

Please complete the NVB1 form in BLOCK CAPITALS using ball point pen so that your information is clear and legible. Please send the original, signed form to us.

Page 7 – Garda Vetting Application Checklist (only for roles requiring Garda Vetting)

Please complete this checklist to ensure you have provided everything for us to process your Garda Vetting application. If you do not include all required documents, we will return the forms to you for completion, which may delay your membership and garda Vetting being processed.

Please post to: FREE POST, Garda Vetting Section, Irish Red Cross, 16 Merrion Square, D02 XF 85



ADULT MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Please complete this form in order to apply for your membership of the Irish Red Cross.

Photos can be attached to this form or emailed to membership@redcross.ie.

Full membership of the Irish Red Cross will be issued when the relevant steps have been completed. We will be in touch with more information regarding these steps on receipt of this application.

While awaiting membership confirmation there are activities which you will be able to get involved in –your local branch will be able to provide you with more details.

Please contact membership@redcross.ie if you require any further information.

Please affix photo
or email to:
membership@redcross.ie

Please complete using **BLOCK CAPITALS**

Date:

Branch*

*If you do not know your local branch please contact us and we can assist you.

Surname

First Name

Title: Mr. Mrs. Ms. Other

Address

Eircode

CONTACT DETAILS

Home Tel:

Mobile Tel:

Email:

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth:

Gender: Male Female Non-binary Other (please specify)

I confirm that nothing within my personal or professional background deems me unsuitable for a position which involves working with young people or vulnerable adults;

I understand that I will be required to adhere to the Principles of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement;

I understand that I will be bound by the Constitution and Operating Rules of the Irish Red Cross;

I declare that the above information is true and I agree to accept the terms and conditions of membership of the Irish Red Cross

Signed

Date

WHAT KIND OF ACTIVITIES ARE YOU INTERESTED IN?*

Unit Member (Requires Garda Vetting)

Activities include but are not limited to: Event First Aid, Emergency Response, Rescue Teams (not available in all branches), Cardiac First Responder Groups .

Youth Leader (Requires Garda Vetting)

Activities include but are not limited to: Supervising youth volunteers, delivering training to youth volunteers (only available in branches with youth groups).

Community Support

Activities include but are not limited to: Skin Camouflage Service, Therapeutic Care Service. Psychological First Aid, transport to hospital appointments, support for migrants and refugees

Branch Administration

Fundraising

***Please check with your branch to find out if these activities are available in your area**

IRISH RED CROSS PRIVACY POLICY

We hold information about our members and this information is shared within the Irish Red Cross network. It is not our policy to pass names, addresses or contact details of our members to third parties for their use.

As a member of the Irish Red Cross we may write to you occasionally to keep you updated on current projects and appeals.

If you do not wish us to send this information to you, please tick this box:

MANDATORY INFORMATION - PLEASE COMPLETE

For child protection compliance we are required to keep a register of Mandated Persons. This only applies to the professions below, Please indicate if you are:

- **A member of An Garda Síochána.**
- **A member of the clergy (howsoever described) or pastoral care worker (howsoever described) of a church or other religious community.**
- **A foster carer registered with Tusla.**
- **An emergency medical technician, paramedic and advanced paramedic registered with the Pre-Hospital Emergency Care.**
- **None of the above**

The work of the Irish Red Cross is guided by the Seven Fundamental Principles of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement:

HUMANITY The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, born of a desire to bring assistance without discrimination to the wounded on the battlefield, endeavours in its international and national capacity to prevent and alleviate human suffering wherever it may be found. Its purpose is to protect life and health and to ensure respect for the human being. It promotes mutual understanding, friendship, cooperation, and lasting peace amongst all people.

IMPARTIALITY It makes no discrimination as to nationality, race, religious beliefs, class or political opinions. It endeavours to relieve the suffering of individuals, being guided solely by their needs, and to give priority to the most urgent cases of distress.

NEUTRALITY In order to continue to enjoy the confidence of all, the Movement may not take sides in hostilities or engage in controversies of a political, racial, religious, or ideological nature.

INDEPENDENCE The Movement is independent. The National Societies, while auxiliaries in the humanitarian services of their governments and subject to the laws of their respective countries, must always maintain their autonomy so that they may be able at all times to act in accordance with the principles of the Movement.

VOLUNTARY SERVICE It is a voluntary relief organisation not prompted in any manner by desire for gain.

UNITY There can only be one Red Cross or one Red Crescent Society in any one country. It must be open to all. It must carry on its humanitarian work throughout its territory.

UNIVERSALITY The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, in which all Societies have equal status and share equal responsibilities and duties in helping each other, is worldwide.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Membership Number:

Card issued:

Photo enclosed: Yes No

Garda Vetting Form enclosed: Yes No

Youth Member:



IRISH RED CROSS ID VERIFICATION FORM

Before we can process your Garda Vetting Form, it is a Garda Vetting requirement that you complete an Identification Check.

Please bring this form with section 1 completed and your original ID documentation to your chosen branch.

Section 1 - to be completed by Applicant

Full Name: _____

Membership Number (if applicable): _____

Branch: _____

Area: _____

Section 2 - to be completed by Branch Honorary Officer - Secretary/Chair/Vice-Chair/Treasurer

Branch Honorary Officer Name: _____

Position Held: _____

Membership Number: _____

Please State Documentation verified - (see overleaf for options):

1. _____

2. _____

The applicant has provided documentation to validate their identity in accordance with the National Vetting Bureau (Children and Vulnerable Persons) Acts 2012 to 2016.

Under Sec 26(b) of the National Vetting Bureau (Children and Vulnerable Persons) Acts 2012 to 2016, it is an offence to knowingly make a false statement for the purpose of obtaining, or enabling another person to obtain a Disclosure.

I, the Branch Honorary Officer confirm I have seen the original of the verified documentation.

Please tick box

Branch Honorary Officer Signature:

Date: _____



List of Acceptable Documents (100 points required)

Identification Document	Points	Please Tick
Irish Driving Licence	80	
Passport (from country of citizenship)	70	
Irish Certificate of Naturalisation	50	
Birth Certificate	50	
Garda National Immigration Bureau (GNIB) Card	50	
National Identity Card for EU EEA Swiss Citizens	50	
Irish Driving Licence or Learner Permit (old paper format)	40	
Employment ID		
<input type="checkbox"/> ID card issued by Employer (with name and address)		
<input type="checkbox"/> ID card issued by Employer (name only)	35	
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Letter from Employer (within last two years)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Confirming Name and Address	35	
P60 P45 or Payslip (with home address)	35	
Utility bill e.g. gas, electricity, television, broadband (must not be less than 6 months old. Printed online bills are acceptable. Mobile phone bills are not acceptable)	35	
Medical Card	25	
Bank/Building Society/Credit Union Statement	35	
Credit Debit Cards Passbooks (only one per institution)	25	
National Age Card (issued by An Garda Síochána)	25	
Membership Card		
<input type="checkbox"/> Club, Union or Trade, Professional Bodies	25	
<input type="checkbox"/> Educational Institution	25	
Correspondence		
<input type="checkbox"/> From an Educational Institution SUSI CAO	20	
From an Insurance Company regarding an active policy	20	
From a Bank/Credit Union or Government Body or State Agency	20	
CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS (any one of the following)		
Passport (from country of citizenship)	100	
Birth Certificate	100	
Written statement by the Principal confirming attendance at educational institution on a letter head of that institution	100	
RECENT ARRIVAL IN IRELAND (less than 6 weeks)		
Passport (from country of citizenship)	100	
Vetting Subject is unable to achieve 100 points**		
Affidavit witnessed by a Commissioner for Oaths	100	
TOTAL POINTS		

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Form NVB 1

Vetting Invitation

Section 1 – Personal Information

Under Sec 26(b) of the National Vetting Bureau (Children and Vulnerable Persons) Acts 2012 to 2016, it is an offence to make a false statement for the purpose of obtaining a vetting disclosure.

Forename(s):									
Middle Name:									
Surname:									
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Section 2 – Additional Information

Name Of Organisation:

Irish Red Cross

I have provided documentation to validate my identity as required *and* I consent to the making of this application and to the disclosure of information by the National Vetting Bureau to the Liaison Person pursuant to Section 13(4)(e) National Vetting Bureau (Children and Vulnerable Persons) Acts 2012 to 2016.

Please tick box

Applicant's Signature:

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Date:

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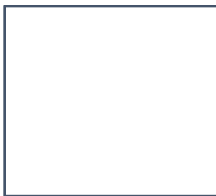
Garda Vetting Application Checklist

Before submitting your application, please ensure that you have completed and attached all of the below in order to ensure we can process your application:



Page 4 – ID Verification Form:

I have met with my local Irish Red Cross Branch and my ID Verification form has been signed off by the Branch Secretary, Treasurer, Chair or Vice-Chair.



Photocopy of ID documents shown to Branch Honorary Officer.

Please do not send original ID documents



Page 6 – Adult E-Vetting Invitation Form:

I have completed this form including an e-mail address which will allow me to complete my Garda Vetting online.



Consent box has been ticked on Page 6



Valid role has been stated on Page 6

Please send all of the above together to:

Free Post, Garda Vetting Section, Irish Red Cross, 16 Merrion Square,
Dublin 2, D02 XF85