



Someone to act on your behalf

You will need to appoint a **redress nominee** if you would like someone to help interact with the Scheme and/or act on your behalf. A redress nominee is a person you trust and who respects your privacy.

Appointing a nominee

If you have a Centrelink Nominee, National Redress Nominee, or legal nominee acting on your behalf, you still need to appoint a redress nominee for this Scheme.

Before your redress nominee can interact with the Scheme or act on your behalf **you and your redress nominee** will need to complete and submit a *Redress nominee* form by:

- Downloading [Redress Nominee form PDF 454 KB](#) | [DOCX 98 KB](#) from territoriesredress.gov.au
- Calling us on **1800 566 111** and we will send you a form.
- Asking your local Link Up service for a form.

Who can be a redress nominee?

There are two types of redress nominees. You can have an assistance nominee or a legal nominee.

Assistance nominees

Anyone over 18 years old can be your assistance nominee, as long as they agree to take on the role. They can be a family member, community member, friend, support worker or lawyer.

You cannot appoint an assistance nominee if you have an existing guardianship, other legal order or legal arrangement in place that would require someone to act for you in matters relating to the Scheme.

Assistant nominees can:

- Help you complete your application for redress.
- Receive copies of letters and emails.
- Ask us questions about your application.
- Receive phone calls from us about your application.
- Provide us with information.

An assistance nominee cannot:

- Apply, or lodge an application, for redress on your behalf.
- Accept or decline an offer of redress, or sign the deed of release on your behalf.
- Ask for a decision on redress to be reviewed by the National Indigenous Australians Agency.
- Receive redress on your behalf.

