

WPQ 43349 (2025): What was the average time it took to process visa applications, if any, during the week of 25 August 2025; broken down by visa type?

Table 1: The median processing timeframe for visas during the week of 25 August 2025 to 31 August 2025, broken down by visa type.

Visa Type	Median Number of Weekdays*
Consular	0
Diplomatic	0
Interim visa	0
Limited	1
Military	0
Official	0
Permanent Resident	3
Resident	92
Student	13
Transit	2
Visitor	5
Work (all work visas including AEWV)	10
Work (excluding AEWV)	10
Breakdown of AEWV	
Work - AEWV (all AEWV)	10
Work – AEWV (excluding MCS)	11
Work – AEWV (only MCS**)	8

**Time is in weekdays (weekends not included) taken to process an application from when it was submitted until completion.*

***Maximum Continuous Stay Applications or re-used token applications can sometimes record longer processing times as applications may be submitted far in advance of the expiry of the existing visa.*