



Consulate of Italy
Perth

Working Holiday VISA

Checklist and guidance;

1. ALL applicants, **regardless of age**, must attend in person to lodge a visa application;
2. Applicant must be at least 18 years of age and less than 35 (included);
3. Applicant was never granted a WHV for Italy before;
4. A Working Holiday Visa can only be issued for 365 days and multiple entries, regardless of the actual planned period of stay; medical insurance must therefore cover the whole 365 days period from the day when first entry into Italy occurs; see below item 13;
5. Applicant must be an Australian Citizen and residing in Western Australia;
6. **ALL documents must be provided in hard copy colour print** (we cannot print it for you);
7. Completed and printed **National Visa application form**; [this form](#) must be used; form must be completed onscreen and then printed; handwritten forms will not be accepted;
8. ONE recent [ICAO](#)-compliant passport sized photograph;
9. Your **valid passport** must have a minimum of three months' residual validity after the intended date of final departure from Italy;
10. **Proof of address** (Western Australia) **with your name on it** – your current driver's license OR Photo ID OR any recent utility bill OR any recent statement from the Bank;
11. **Confirmed** return flights bookings (colour printed hard copy) into and from Italy or proof of sufficient funds to purchase one;
12. **Medicare card** to cover the first six months of stay under the Australia–Italy Reciprocal Health Care Agreement, **and travel health insurance** certificate/card covering the whole duration of all exceeding periods. Private insurance may also be purchased for the entire duration of the visa requested. Any private health cover must show explicitly **and in English or Italian** the amount of cover (minimum 30 thousand EUROS) and that it covers for incidents, accidents and related events occurred while in Italy; this information is usually also shown in a table in the first few pages of the insurance's PDS (Product Disclosure Statement);
13. **Hard-copy of bank statement** in the applicant's name. Bank statement must show, at a minimum, a list of bank transactions for the previous 30 days prior to visa application lodgement. Balance required is at least the equivalent in AUD of €10,000 (ten thousand euros). This requirement is compulsory even when all travel expenses have already been paid for. Bank statements in any name other than that of the applicant are not acceptable;

NOTE: This Consulate reserves the right to request further information as it sees fit under the circumstances;