

Living in Spain - Useful Contacts

Social Security:

Department for Work and Pensions - www.dwp.gov.uk

International Pension Centre – 0044 191 218 7777 - UK pension & benefit enquiries

HM Revenue and Customs - www.hmrc.gov.uk

0044 191 203 7010 - Pension Forecast, Voluntary Contributions

0044 151 210 2222 - Tax & Residency enquiries

Instituto Nacional de la Seguridad Social (INSS - Spanish social security) -

www.seg-social.es

900 166 565 - Spanish pension & benefit enquiries, Spanish issued EHIC, registering UK-issued S1 form

Servicio Público de Empleo Estatal - www.sepe.es

901 119 999 - Spanish unemployment benefits

(Formerly known as "INEM")

Healthcare:

Department of Health - www.dh.gov.uk

Overseas Healthcare Team – 0044 191 218 1999 – S1 form, UK-issued EHIC

Spanish Social Services:

Instituto de Mayores y Servicios Sociales - www.imserso.es

901 109 899 - General information on social care, means-tested benefits

For detailed information on means-tested benefits, home help & more, contact the social worker at your local town hall.

For information on 'sin recursos' healthcare, contact the social worker at your local health centre.

General Information / Services:

UK Public Services all in one place - www.direct.gov.uk

Spanish Ombudsman/El Defensor del Pueblo - www.defensordelpueblo.es or 914 327 900

For further information on other aspects of living in Spain, such as property issues; driving in Spain, education, voting, looking for employment and much more see our website <http://ukinspain.fco.gov.uk>

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