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Good day,
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Please see our response to your question.
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Please note that special measures are in place for Ukrainians and their family members who arrived in Canada under the Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel (CUAET) measures on or before March 31, 2024, to provide continued access to apply from within Canada for a study permit or open work permit, or to renew an existing work permit. These measures originally took effect on August 13, 2024, and have been extended until March 31, 2026.

Ukrainian nationals and their family members who were granted temporary resident status following facilitation under the CUAET measures, arrived in Canada on or before March 31, 2024, and hold valid temporary resident status are eligible for facilitated access to a new study permit, a new open work permit or a work permit renewal.

To answer your question, if the non-Ukrainian spouse or common-law partner was issued temporary resident status under the CUAET measures and arrived in Canada on or before March 31, 2024, they are eligible to apply under these extended measures.

Eligible clients may apply to renew their open work permit even if their status does not expire within the next year, as long as they apply by March 31, 2026. The validity period of the renewed open work permit is subject to the client's passport and biometrics validity, as well as the discretion of the processing officer, but could be for up to three years from the date of decision. These applications are subject to standard fees.

For details on how to apply, please see: Immigration measures and support for Ukrainians and their families.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I hope this email finds you well.

I have a client who currently holds an Open Work Permit under the CUAET measures and is eligible to apply for an extension later this year. He currently has a spouse, who is not Ukrainian and is in Canada under a Study Permit.

My question is whether (non-Ukrainian) spouses/common-law partners of Ukrainians who are in Canada under the CUAET measures, would be eligible to apply for an open work permit as a spouse under these measures.

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Best regards,