

Customer Compensation Code



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At Metro, we closely monitor the performance of our train services.

We are committed to ensuring our train service is reliable and we work closely with the Government and Public Transport Victoria to not only meet our customer service and performance targets, but exceed them.

Our partnership with the Victorian Government emphasises the importance of delivering services in line with the agreed timetable. While we endeavour at all times to meet and exceed all our performance targets, on occasion circumstances may mean we fall short.

The performance targets relate to:

- Punctuality, measured as 92 per cent of services arriving on time at a destination. Train services are deemed as being on time if they are delivered between 59 seconds early, and 4 minutes and 59 seconds late.
- Reliability, measured as 98.5 per cent of the timetabled train services run.

Compensation is assessed for each calendar month. Around the 10th day of each month we publish our monthly network-wide performance data on our website and at stations. We also advise customers of their eligibility for compensation at this time.

PTV publishes daily, monthly and quarterly reports on its website. These reports provide information about each public transport operator's performance. You can access this report at ptv.vic.gov.au.

What are Metro's compensation thresholds?

Metro seeks to not only meet but exceed its performance targets. If this does not occur, eligible passengers can request compensation if performance falls below either or both of the following thresholds.

Metro's compensation thresholds are:

- 90 per cent of trains run within 4 minutes 59 seconds of their published time schedule; or
- 98 per cent of the timetable is delivered.



Who is eligible for compensation?

The following table provides guidance for claiming compensation.

Description	myki
Customer eligibility	Holders of Myki passes or Myki Money can claim
Validity of claim	myki must have been touched on at least 10 days of the month on the metropolitan train network
Nature of compensation	The value of a daily ticket (or other value as defined) to be uploaded onto the customer's Myki. The value loaded will reflect the same fare/zone mix as the Myki Pass/Myki Money being compensated
Applying for compensation	Submit an online compensation form at metrotrains.com.au ; or see a staff member at any Metro Premium station to request a printed Customer Compensation Code brochure. Complete the form on the back and return by mail
Application deadline	The calendar month in which the results are notified

When is compensation paid?

Compensation trigger	myki compensation value
Customer eligibility	
If Metro delivers less than 98 per cent of its scheduled services in a calendar month	1 daily myki Money fare
If Metro delivers less than 95 per cent of its scheduled services in a calendar month	2 daily myki Money fares
Punctuality	
If less than 90 per cent of Metro services are on time in a calendar month	1 daily myki Money fare
If less than 86 per cent of Metro services are on time in a calendar month	2 daily myki Money fares

Other Metro service commitments

We will also provide complimentary tickets to eligible customers who have experienced major inconvenience during their journey with us.

Metro makes the following commitments to our customers:

- 1** The following customers will receive a myki credit for the applicable zones, if a particular advertised train service is cancelled more than three times in a week and not replaced by a bus: weekly and periodical myki holders who touched on their myki within a half hour of these services on each of the relevant days.
- 2** If train services on a line are suspended for a period of over two hours and a bus replacement service is not provided, all eligible myki holders who used the line on that day will receive a myki credit for the applicable zones.
- 3** Concession fare claimants will be compensated with myki credit to the value of the applicable fare.

To lodge a claim for any of the above circumstances, eligible customers can either submit their request online or by calling PTV Customer Service team on 1800 800 007 (6am to midnight daily, and all night Friday and Saturday). For online claims complete the Customer Feedback form accessed on the Contact Us page of metrotrains.com.au.

Our service commitments are outlined in more detail in our Customer Service Charter available at metrotrains.com.au.

Contact information

Metro

For metropolitan train information.

Call	1800 800 007 (6am – midnight daily)
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TTY	(03) 9619 2727
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Mail	Passenger Feedback, Metro Trains Melbourne GPO Box 1880, Melbourne 3001
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Website	metrotrains.com.au
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Public Transport Victoria

For train, tram, bus and ticketing information.

Call	1800 800 007 (6am – midnight daily)
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TTY	(03) 9619 2727
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Mail	Public Transport Victoria PO Box 4724, Melbourne VIC 3001
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Website	ptv.vic.gov.au
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myki

myki is a reusable travel card for trains, trams, and buses in Melbourne and regional Victorian centres.

Call	1800 800 007 (6am – midnight daily)
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TTY	(03) 9619 2727
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Mail	myki GPO Box 4318, Melbourne VIC 3001
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Website	myki.com.au
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Contact information

Lost property (trains)

Call	(03) 9619 2727 (8am – 5pm daily excluding public holidays)
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Interpreter Service

Call	131 450 (24 hours daily)
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Public Transport Ombudsman

You can escalate your feedback to the Public Transport Ombudsman.

Call	1800 466 865 or 8623 2111 (9am – 5pm, Monday to Friday)
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TTY	1800 809 623
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Fax	(03) 8623 2100
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Mail	P.O. Box 538 Collins Street West, Melbourne VIC 8007
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Website	ptovic.com.au
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Yarra Trams

For tram information.

Call	1800 800 007 (6am – midnight daily)
Mail	Customer Service, Yarra Trams GPO Box 5231, Melbourne VIC 8007
Website	yarratrams.com.au

V/Line

For regional train information.

Call	1800 800 007 (6am – midnight daily)
TTY	(03) 9619 2727
Mail	Customer Relations, V/Line Reply Paid 5343, Melbourne VIC 3001
Website	vline.com.au

Customer Compensation claim form (part 1)

Claim details

Title	First name
Surname	
Address	
Postcode	
Phone (BH)	Mobile
Email	

myki card details

For regional train information.

This 15 digit card number can be found on your myki

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Credit another myki number

(*Only available to student half-yearly and yearly passes and annual pass holders)

Alternative myki card number

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Metro customer feedback

Call	1800 800 007 (6am – midnight daily)
TTY	(03) 9619 2727
Mail	Passenger Feedback, Metro Trains Melbourne Reply Paid 1880, Melbourne 8060
Website	metrotrains.com.au

Customer Compensation claim form (part 2)

This claim is being made in response to an official Compensation Notice being issued by Metro.

Claim details

Month

Year

Journey from

Journey to

Train line

Email

Comments you wish to make

Signature

Today's date

Case Number

Office use only

For more information visit ptv.vic.gov.au or call 1800 800 007.

If you're deaf, or have a hearing or speech impairment, contact us through the National Relay Service. TTY users can call 9619 2727.



For other languages visit ptv.gov.au/languages or call 9321 5450.

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