



# Republika Slovenija

# Republic of Slovenia



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## Special Days 2011

- ❖ **1-2 Jan**      **New Year**  
(Novo leto)
- ❖                    **Easter**  
(Velika noč )
- ❖                    **Easter Monday**  
(Velikonočni ponedeljek)
- ❖ **1-2 May**      **Labour Day**  
(Dan dela)
- ❖ **25 Jun**        **National Slovenian Day**  
(Dan državnosti)
- ❖ **1 Nov**         **Day of the Dead**  
(Dan spomina na mrtve)
- ❖ **25 Dec**        **Christmas**  
(Božič )
- ❖ **26 Dec**        **Independence Day**  
(Dan samostojnosti)
- ❖ **31 Dec**        **New Year's Eve**  
(Silvestrovo)

## Words and phrases in my language

Thanks	Hvala
Please	Prosim
Welcome	Dobrodošli
Doctor / Priest	Zdravnik / Duhovnik
Help!	Na pomoč !
Fire!	Gori!
Stop!	Ustavite se!
What's your name?	Kako ti je ime?
Pleased to meet you	Me veseli
Hello, how are you?	Zdravo kako ste?
Well thanks and you?	Hvala v redu in vi?
Would you like a drink?	Bi pili?
Would you like to eat?	Bi jedli?
Do you need a toilet?	Rabite stranišče?
Let us get dressed	Oblečimo se
Let us rest	Počivajmo
Let us go to sleep	Gremo spat
I am not feeling well	Slabo se počutim
I have a headache	Glava me boli
Would you like to take a shower?	Bi se tuširali?
Please help/give me a hand	Prosim pomagajte
Please call my family	Prosim pokličite mojo družino
Call an interpreter	Pokličite interpreta
I am sorry / please forgive me	Oprostite
I don't understand	Ne razumem
Please speak more slowly	Govorite počasi

## Greetings

Srečno Božič	Happy Christmas
Srečno novo leto	Happy New Year
Vesele velikonočne praznike	Happy Easter
Vse najboljše za rojstni dan	Happy Birthday
Dobro jutro	Good morning
Dober dan	Good Day
Dober večer	Good evening
Lahko noč	Good night
Sladke Sanje	Sweet dreams
Imej lep dan	Have a nice day

## Need more information?

Please contact the CPP Project Officer or the PICAC Project Officer

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## Numbers

- 1 - ena
- 2 - dva
- 3 - tri
- 4 - štiri
- 5 - pet
- 6 - šest
- 7 - sedem
- 8 - osem
- 9 - devet
- 10- deset

## Days of the week

Nedelja	Sunday
Ponedeljek	Monday
Torek	Tuesday
Sreda	Wednesday
Četrtek	Thursday
Petek	Friday
Sobota	Saturday

## Community Partners Program (CPP) & Partners In Culturally Appropriate Care (PICAC)

### Communications Posters

The Community Partners Program has developed these posters in response to consultation with Diversional Therapists in Southern Tasmania. The consultation suggested that while cultural resources are produced for use in residential facilities, they are often too lengthy or produced in a format that is inaccessible for use in the busy residential facility environment.

These posters have been developed as an 'instant' cultural resource that aims to aid communication between staff and residents. In addition, the posters aim to raise awareness among staff about the cultural and linguistic background of residents, including country of origin, location of country of origin, language, special events and festivals, flags and symbols.

The 'instant' nature of the poster means that it can be displayed in resident's rooms (with permission of the resident), in staff rooms, in hallways or other recreational spaces, in which communication between staff and residents takes place. The pictures, maps and flags mean that this resource is colourful and aesthetically pleasing enough to warrant such display.



The posters are designed to aid staff in their interactions with residents from culturally diverse backgrounds; however they are by no means exhaustive in their breadth of information. Please be culturally sensitive in both your placement and your use of these posters: while they are designed to be used in residents' rooms, some people may not be comfortable with the association with their country of origin or their first language. The posters may become a talking point with some residents, but please be aware that other residents may have trauma issues or bad memories associated with a country or culture.

If you are interested in learning more about cultural difference or to find out about Cross-Cultural Awareness Training for your facility, please contact:

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