

The employer may not take the FDW with them when relocating to another country for temporary residence, except with the FDW's consent and after informing her country's embassy.



The employer is obligated to provide the FDW with a travel ticket at their expense from her country to the Kingdom, as well as a return travel ticket if two years have passed since she began working for them.



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Maintaining confidentiality by not disclosing any secrets learned during her work.

Respecting the prevailing customs and traditions of society.

Informing the homeowner when she leaves the house.

The employer is responsible for annually paying the costs of issuing a residence permit and work permit for the FDW.

The FDW's monthly wage must be paid within seven days of its due date, in Jordanian dinars or the equivalent in foreign currency.

The employer is not entitled to employ the FDW in any location other than their usual or temporary residence with their family.

The homeowner must retain a document proving payment of the FDW's monthly wage.



Performing housework with honesty and sincerity.

Respecting the privacy of the home in which she works and preserving the property and contents of the homeowner's residence.



The FDW is entitled to work no more than hours per day. The time spent resting or eating is not counted as working hours.

The FDW is entitled to weekly day off, to be agreed upon between her and the homeowner. If the homeowner requires the FDW to work on her weekly day off, they must provide a compensatory day off, mutually agreed upon.

Only the homeowner

and their family members
have the right to issue work orders
to the female domestic worker (FDW).

The employer must treat the FDW with respect and ensure all her needs are met, including providing clothing, food, drink, a well-lit and ventilated room, sleeping and resting facilities, and her right to privacy.

The employer is obligated to enable the FDW to contact her family abroad by phone once a month at the homeowner's expense.

