

Cayman Islands' Global Citizen Concierge Programme — A Rise-and-Lapse Remote-Worker Residency Route

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Quality score: 29/100

Evidence strength: Cautionary / limited

Summary

Launched in 2020 to offset a COVID-era tourism collapse, Cayman's Global Citizen Concierge certificate let high-income remote workers live on-island for up to two years; uptake reached about 430 people by 2021 and 202 total beneficiaries by 2023, when the enabling regulations lap

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	2/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	1/3
Sustainability / continuity	0/3
Innovation	1/3
Inclusiveness / equity	0/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	0/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-09-07

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