## **VFS JAPAN VISA APPLICATION CENTRE**

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## DOCUMENTS REQUIRED MEDICAL STAY VISA

## Important-Please note all photocopies should be on A4 size only

- A valid Passport (with more then two blank pages). Please submit your old passports also, if any.
- Photocopy of the Bio Data Page of the Current Passport (First and Last Page)
- A completely filled and signed Visa Application Form. The form is available under the link http://www.vfsglobal.com/japan/india/pdf/visa\_application\_form.pdf
- One photograph taken within the last 6 months. (The photograph should be of size 2 x 2 inches, color with white background and printed on good quality paper)
- Certificate from a medical institution about the planned medical services and references from a guarantor
- Documents showing the foreign patient's financial situation
  - a. Original bank statement of last six months. Incase of bank passbooks, kindly submit the original passbook.
  - b. Latest Income Tax Return
- Certificate of Eligibility (when the foreign patient needs to stay longer than 90 days to be hospitalized and receive medical services)
- Medical Treatment Plan (when the foreign patient needs to make multiple visits to Japan to receive treatment)

**Note:** There has been a development to improve the medical environment in Japan with the aim of providing appropriate medical services without undue worries to foreign patients visiting Japan for medical purposes.

The Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry is now operating a pilot program which offers foreign patients consultation and support services in Japan, including finding appropriate medical institutions, making arrangements for interpreters, and so on. For inquiries on medical treatment in Japan, please visit the following website.

www.medical-excellence-japan.org

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**Note:** The above is a guide to the documents you should provide with your visa application. Japan Embassy may request you for an interview / additional documentation depending on your personal circumstances.