

## RESIDENCE VISA FOR RETIREMENT PURPOSES, RELIGIOUS PURPOSES OR FOR LIVING FROM INDIVIDUAL REVENUES (D7)

<https://vistos.mne.gov.pt/pt/vistos-nacionais/documentacao-instrutoria/residencia#fixa%C3%A7%C3%A3o-de-resid%C3%Aancia-de-reformados-religiosos-e-pessoas-que-vivam-de-rendimentos>

<b>Applicant's name and surname:</b>		
<b>Reason for traveling to Portugal:</b>		
<b>Email address:</b>	<b>Mobile:</b>	
<b>GENERAL REQUIREMENTS</b>		
	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
<b>National Visa application form</b> fully completed and duly signed by the applicant. For minors or legally incapacitated applicants, the form must be signed by both parents or by the legal guardian.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>2 Photos</b> , passport type, recent, and in good condition, to identify the applicant.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Passport</b> must be valid for at least 90 days beyond the 120-day residence visa period, counted from the applicant's intended date of entry into Portugal. A photocopy of the biographical data page must also be included.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Proof of regular status</b> (if applicable) residence permit for the United Kingdom endorsed in the passport, issued as a biometric card (BRP) or as a digital share-code. The document must be valid for at least 120 days beyond the applicant's intended date of entry into Portugal.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Valid travel insurance</b> must cover necessary medical expenses, including urgent medical assistance and potential repatriation, for the full duration of the residence visa (120 days), counted from the applicant's intended date of entry into Portugal. British nationals who meet the criteria may apply for an <b>S1 form</b> which must be duly certified by the relevant authorities.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Criminal record certificate (for applicants aged 16 and over)</b> issued within the last 90 days by the competent authority of the applicant's country of residence in the past year, duly legalised by Hague Apostille or, where applicable, by the competent Portuguese diplomatic authority. Applicants who have resided in the U.K. during the past year must provide a <b>police certificate issued by the ACRO Criminal Records Office</b> . This document must be legalised with the Hague Apostille, obtained through the <b>UK Legalisation Office</b> .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Personal statement</b> must be signed by the applicant and include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A clear explanation of the reason(s) for the application.</li> <li>• The full address of the applicant's accommodation in Portugal, including the postcode.</li> <li>• Details of the conditions for the intended stay.</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Proof of financial resources may be demonstrated through one of the following:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bank statements for the last three months, clearly showing the receipt of the applicant's declared individual income; and</li> <li>• A recent Portuguese bank statement demonstrating available funds of at least €11,040 for a single applicant, together with proof of the applicant's Portuguese tax number (NIF).</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Family members:</b> When applying together with additional family members, the required level of financial resources is calculated based on the Portuguese minimum monthly salary in force for 2026 (€920), net of tax and social security contributions, in accordance with PCM Regulatory Decree No. 85-A/2022 of 22 December. The financial requirement is increased per household member as follows:		

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>First adult:</b> 100% of the minimum monthly salary.</li> <li>• <b>Second adult and each additional adult:</b> an additional 50%.</li> <li>• <b>Children and young people under 18 years of age, as well as dependent adult children:</b> an additional 30%.</li> </ul>		
<p><b>Proof of accommodation in Portugal may be demonstrated through one of the following:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deeds of property in Portugal in the applicant's name; or</li> <li>• A rental agreement for a property in Portugal, with a minimum duration of 12 months from the intended date of arrival in Portugal, along with proof of its registration with the relevant <a href="#">Portuguese tax authorities</a>; or</li> <li>• A <a href="#">term of responsibility</a>, completed and signed by the host in Portugal. The host's signature must be duly certified by a Notary, Lawyer or Solicitor accompanied by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ A copy of the host's passport or ID, and Portuguese residence permit (if applicable).</li> <li>○ The host's property deeds or rental agreement in their name, confirming ownership or lawful use of the property.</li> <li>○ Notarised authorisation issued by the landlord, together with a copy of the landlord's identification document (where authorisation for accommodation of third parties is required).</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS</b>		
<p><b>Religious:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Term of responsibility</a> issued by the host religious institution, with the signature duly certified by a Notary, Lawyer, or Solicitor.</li> <li>• Document confirming the applicant's status as a minister of religion or as a member of an institute of consecrated life, issued by the church or religious community to which the applicant belongs, duly recognised under Portuguese law, where the religious activity is carried out on a voluntary basis or within the framework of a subordinate professional activity.</li> <li>• Proof of available financial resources held in a Portuguese bank account, in the name of the applicant or the host institution.</li> </ul> <p><b>Note:</b> The required means of subsistence may be reduced by up to 50% where accommodation is demonstrably secured, and by up to 90% where both accommodation and food are demonstrably provided.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b>Retired:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documentary evidence of the pension amount received, indicating whether the payment is made on a weekly, monthly, or annual basis.</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b>For living from individual revenues:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documentary evidence of income above the Portuguese minimum wage, specifying whether it is paid weekly, monthly, or annually, and indicating its source (investments, intellectual or financial assets, or income from movable or immovable property). All income must be readily accessible and verifiable through the most recent tax return, a statement from a certified accountant or fiscal authority (where applicable), and bank statements demonstrating receipt of the declared income.</li> </ul> <p><b>Notes:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) The documentation must demonstrate that the income is stable and regular, and that it has been received for a minimum period of three months at the time of submission of the visa application.</li> <li>2) For income derived from movable or immovable property, rental agreements and the corresponding property deeds must be provided.</li> <li>3) For income derived from company dividends, the corresponding dividend vouchers must be provided.</li> </ol>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>RESIDENCE VISA FOR RETIREMENT PURPOSES, RELIGIOUS PURPOSES OR FOR LIVING FROM INDIVIDUAL REVENUES – CPLP MOBILITY AGREEMENT</b>		
<p><b>CPLP citizens (from Brazil, Angola, Mozambique, Cape Verde, Guinea-Bissau, São Tomé and Príncipe, East Timor and Equatorial Guinea), are exempted from presenting:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• travel insurance.</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- specific documents.

**CPLP citizens are also exempt from presenting evidence of means of subsistence upon presentation of a term of responsibility recognised by a Notary, Lawyer or Solicitor in the following terms:**

- a) Presentation of a term with a recognized signature issued by the host entity for interns or workers, as well as by the organization responsible for student exchange or volunteer programs; or,
- b) Presentation of a term of responsibility, with a recognized signature, signed by a Portuguese citizen or a foreign citizen, with a residence permit in Portugal, which guarantees food and accommodation for the visa applicant, as well as the replacement of removal costs, in case of irregular stay.
  - i. Income Tax Return (IRS) of the subscriber (last year available); and
  - ii. Bank statements of the subscriber (last 3 months).

**Residence Visa – Key Information**

**Purpose and Validity**

- Intended for applicants wishing to stay in Portugal for over 1 year.
- Initial validity: 120 days, allowing up to two entries into Portugal.
- After arrival, the applicant must attend an AIMA appointment in Portugal to obtain a residence permit.
- The Consulate-General does not schedule or reschedule AIMA appointments; applicants must contact AIMA directly.
- More information: [AIMA - Residence Permits](#).

**Processing Time**

- Standard processing time: 60 days.
- Extended processing may be requested where justified.
- More information: [MNE - National Visas Deadlines](#).

**Public Documents and Legalisation**

All public documents must be legalised according to applicable conventions (e.g., Hague Apostille) or through the relevant Portuguese diplomatic representation in the issuing country. This includes, but not limited to:

- Civil Registry documents (birth, marriage certificates, and others).
- Criminal record certificates.
- Professional certificates and diplomas.

UK public documents must be legalised via the [UK Legalisation Office](#). Certified translations are required for documents not issued in English or Portuguese.

**Financial Resources**

- Must comply with the requirements set out in Ordinance nº 1563/2007 of 6 December.

**General Rules**

- Incomplete applications may result in refusal; fees are non-refundable.
- The Consulate reserves the right to request additional documentation.
- Submission of all documents does not guarantee approval.
- Applicants should consult: [National Legislation](#).

**ADDITIONAL REMARKS (to be filled by the relevant officer responsible for receiving the application):**

---



---



---



---



---



---



---

