

## RESIDENCY VISA FOR ACCOMPANYING FAMILY MEMBER APPLYING FOR A RESIDENCE VISA

Name and surname of applicant:		
E-mail address: Telephone no.:		
Purpose of the journey to Portugal:		
<b>GENERAL REQUIREMENTS</b>		
	YES	NO
<b><u>National Visa Application:</u></b> Filled and duly signed by applicant ( <b>For minors and incapacitated, forms should be signed the legal guardian</b> ) <b>2 Photos</b> , even, passport type, recent and in good condition to identify the applicant (1 for this form).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Passport or other travel document</u></b> , valid for 3 months after the estimated date of return.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Proof of regular situation</u></b> in case of residence in a country other than the country of current nationality, which must be valid 3 months after the estimated date of return.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Proof of Means of Subsistence:</u></b> U.S. bank statements or U.S. credit card statements in your name from the previous 3 months.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Valid travel insurance</u></b> , covering necessary medical expenses, including urgent medical assistance and possible repatriation.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Criminal record certificate</u></b> , issued by the competent authority of the country of the applicant's nationality or of the country where the applicant has resided for over a year (except for applicants under sixteen) <b>issued by the FBI; This document must be requested with an apostille or remain unopened in original sealed envelope.</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Request for criminal record enquiry</u></b> by the Immigration and Border Services (SEF) (Not applicable to minors under the age of sixteen)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Personal Statement:</u></b> Statement signed by applicant specifying reason for settling in Portugal, intended area of residency and type of accommodations (rental, purchase of private property, or family home).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b><u>Proof of accommodation:</u></b> Lease agreement signed, or letter from inviting institution, or declaration from family member residing in Portugal. Hotel/Airbnb reservations may be admitted, but they will have to be long stay (minimum of 6 months).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS</b>		

<p><b><u>Proof of parenthood connection that justify the accompanying. For this purpose, family members are:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The spouse;</li> <li>• Under aged children or incapable persons under care of the couple or of one spouse;</li> <li>• Minors adopted by the applicant when unmarried, by the applicant or spouse, as per decision of the competent authority of the country of origin, on condition that the country's laws attribute to the adopted children identical rights and duties akin to natural parenthood and that the decision be recognized in Portugal;</li> <li>• Adult sons, dependent on the couple or on one spouse, single and that study in a teaching establishment in Portugal; Under aged sons, under the care of the couple, or of one spouse, that are single and study, as long as the holder of the right to family reunion is the bearer of a residence permit issued under the article 90.º-A;</li> <li>• The ascendants in direct line and in first degree of the resident or of his spouse, as long as they are under their care;</li> <li>• Under aged brothers, as long as they are dependent of the resident, as declared by a decision of the competent authority of the country of origin and that the decision be recognized in Portugal;</li> <li>• The partner, in Portugal or in other country, with whom the foreign resident citizen has a civil union, duly proved under the law;</li> <li>• Unmarried sons, under aged or incapable, including adopted sons of the partner in the civil union, as long as they are legally under the protection of the partner.</li> </ul>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b><u>Proof of availability of stable and regular means</u></b>, enough to cover the needs of the residency visa applicant and the accompanying relatives during the required period of stay or for the period of 12 months, whatever is lesser, under the provisions laid out on the nº 2 of article 2 of Ordinance nº 1563/2007, of 11 December.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b>RESIDENCY VISA FOR ACCOMPANYING FAMILY MEMBER APPLYING FOR A RESIDENCE VISA – CPLP MOBILITY AGREEMENT</b></p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b>CPLP citizens are exempted from presenting:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• travel insurance,</li> <li>• means of subsistence, and</li> <li>• return transport ticket</li> </ul> <p><b>upon presentation of responsibility term in the following terms:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation of a term signed by the host entity for interns or workers, as well as by the organization responsible for student exchange or volunteer programs, or,</li> </ul> <p>Presentation of a term of responsibility, 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.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b><u>Proof of Address in USA: Copy of Lease agreement and/or copy of driver's license.</u></b></p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p><b><u>IMPORTANT:</u></b> Applicants applying in San Francisco and Washington DC are required to pay the Visa Fee for National Visa D/E (all categories) by way of a money order or Banker / Cashier check in favor of the "Consulate General of Portugal".</p> <p>VFS Service Fee can be paid via Debit/Credit card at the center while submitting the application.</p>		
<p><b>Note: Failure to present all necessary documents may result in the visa application being refused. The Consular Post has the prerogative to request additional documents when it considers fit to do so. - The presentation of all necessary documents in the visa application may not be construed as an automatic approval of the visa. The refusal of the visa request does not entail the reimbursement of the visa fees.</b></p>		