

RESIDENCY VISA FOR FAMILY REUNIFICATION

Applicant's name(s) and surname(s):		
Email address:		
Direct phone number:		
Purpose for traveling to Portugal:		
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS		
	YES	NO
National Visa application filled in and duly signed by the applicant.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 identical passport-sized photographs , recent and in good condition to identify the applicant (1 attached to the form).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Passport or other travel document, valid for at least 3 months beyond the intended period of stay. Notarized Photocopy of passport (biographical data).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proof of regular status , if of other nationality than that of the country where applying for a visa, valid beyond the date of expiry of the visa you are applying for.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proof of Address in USA: Copy of Lease agreement and/or copy of driver's license.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Valid travel insurance , covering necessary medical expenses, including urgent medical assistance and possible repatriation.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Criminal record certificate , 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) issued by the FBI; This document must be requested with an apostille.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Personal Statement: 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"/>
Proof of accommodation; Lease agreement signed, or letter from inviting institution, or declaration from family member residing in Portugal (minimum of 6 months).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proof of financial resources- Bank Statements from the last 3 months, under the provisions laid out on the no. 2 of article 2 of Ordinance no. 1563/2007, of 11 th of December.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SPECIFIC DOCUMENTS		
Verification of the identification of family members seeking reunification;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

<p>Notification from AIMA (Agency for Integration, Migrations and Asylum) granting family reunification.</p> <p>The visa application for family reunification must be submitted within 90 days. The failure to submit the application for the issuance of a residence visa within this period implies the forfeiture of the decision to recognize the right to family reunification.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS FOR MINORS		
<p>Minors who are not traveling with both parents or are traveling with a third person:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a travel authorization issued by the parent with whom the minor is not traveling or by both parents, with a legalized signature; or 	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a court decision (when applicable) authorizing the minor to travel and stay in Portugal for the foreseen period according to the purpose of stay with the Hague Apostille (if applicable) or legalized; and 		
Photocopy of the parent's national identity card.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants 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". VFS Service Fee can be paid via Debit/Credit card at the center while submitting the application. Failure to submit all the necessary documents may lead to the rejection of the visa application. The Consular Post reserves the right to request supplementary documents if necessary. Even if all the requested documents are submitted, it does not imply that a visa will automatically be granted. The visa fee is not refunded if the visa is refused. Consult the legislation in force at https://vistos.mne.gov.pt/en/national-visas/national-legislation Means of support: Ordinance nº 1563/2007, of 6th of December. 		