

## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for non-Thai nationals

### 1. Who are allowed to enter Thailand?

- Spouse, parents, or children of a Thai national;
- Residence certificate holder (or permission to take up residence);
- Work permit holder, including spouse and children;
- Students of formal educational institutions approved by the Ministry of Education of Thailand, including parents or guardians;
- etc.

NOTE: Currently, entering into Thailand for students accepted to “informal” educational institutions such as cooking, language schools/courses is prohibited. Please, clarify the status of an educational institution in advance.

For more information, please visit: <https://moscow.thaiembassy.org/>

### 2. I am eligible to enter Thailand. What is next?

#### **STEP 1**

You have to register for a repatriation flight organized by the Royal Thai Embassy. Please, fill in the following form:

<https://form.jotform.com/rteMoscow/COE>

#### **At least 15 working days prior to intended departure**

NOTE: to have your form considered, you have to submit all required documents by attaching it to the form (*See No. 3*):

Declaration form can be downloaded at [https://drive.google.com/file/d/1LUeja-dtd4zLdnvnv5o4wPCbIcZpk\\_N4/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1LUeja-dtd4zLdnvnv5o4wPCbIcZpk_N4/view?usp=sharing)

NOTE: the Royal Thai Embassy does not guarantee the operation of repatriation flights on regularly basis. The registration on a repatriation flight allows us to compile the waiting list of passengers.

NOTE: your request will be considered by the Embassy on a case-by-case basis, depending on your purpose of entry. The Embassy will notify you of the result via email.

#### **STEP 2**

ONLY after the date of the repatriation flight and your status as a passenger is confirmed, you have to submit the ASQ booking confirmation (*see No. 9-10*) to: [visa.rtemoscow@gmail.com](mailto:visa.rtemoscow@gmail.com)

IMPORTANT: You are allowed to undergo the compulsory 14-day quarantine ONLY in one of the accredited ASQ facilities in Bangkok. However, if your flight arrives in other cities, you will have to quarantine yourself in the Alternative Local Quarantine (ALQ) facility.

#### **STEP 3**

Once the ASQ booking confirmation is received, the Embassy will send you the Certificate on Entry (COE) via email.

**3. Other relevant documents:**

- For work permit holder:
  - valid work permit (or letter of permission to work issued by a Thai government agency- WP3)
  - letter of employmentIf accompanied by spouse/children,
  - marriage certificate
  - birth certificate
- For student:
  - letter from the school, university or institute, confirming the student statusIf you are accompanied by parents/guardian,
  - birth certificate / certificate of guardianship
- For family of a Thai national:
  - marriage certificate / birth certificate
  - ID card of the Thai national

**4. How long does it take to consider submitted documents?**

At least 15 working days from the date of submission of a full package of documents.

**5. How to get a visa?**

Once your documents are accepted and your status as a passenger for repatriation flight is confirmed, you can visit the VFS Global visa center to apply for a visa. For more information, please visit <https://www.vfsglobal.com/thailand/russia/English/index.html>

Types of visas and required documents can be found here:

<https://moscow.thaiembassy.org/ru/page/cate-7700-%D0%A2%D0%B8%D0%BF%D1%8B-%D0%B2%D0%B8%D0%B7?>

**NOTICE:** due to the closure of Thailand's state borders amid the COVID-19 pandemic, the visa-free regime has been TEMPORARILY suspended.

**6. What documents to present upon checking-in?**

- Valid passport and visa
- Completed Declaration Form
- Health insurance policy covering all expenditures of medical treatments, including COVID-19, with the coverage of 100,000 USD
- Fit to Fly Health Certificate, issued no more than 72 hrs before departure (in English or in Russian with notarised English translation)
- COVID-19 negative test result (RT-PCR), issued no more than 72 hrs before departure (in English or in Russian with notarised English translation)
- Certificate of Entry (COE)

**7. What is a Fit to Fly Health Certificate?**

It is a certificate confirming that you are healthy to take a flight according to the international rules and regulations. It must be issued no more than 72 hours before departure. The sample of Fit to Fly:

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1qvYfTIyCdIYj6MYYHZtuwdI4ux-W9QQM/view?usp=sharing>

**8. What language shall medical certificates be in?**

Fit to Fly health certificate and COVID-19 negative test result must be in English or in Russian with notarised English translation.

**9. What is Alternative State Quarantine (ASQ)?**

ASQ is a mandatory self-paid 14-day quarantine for non-Thai nationals. The regularly updated list of government-designated facilities is here:

<https://m.facebook.com/Alternative-State-Quarantine-105755234490444/>

**10. What is the cost of ASQ?**

The cost varies depending on the type of facility (*see No. 9*)

**11. How can I fly to Thailand? How much will it cost?**

- By repatriation flights organised by the Royal Thai Embassy. The cost depends on the airline.

- Upcoming repatriation flights from Moscow to Bangkok are promptly updated on the official VK page of the Embassy <https://vk.com/thaiembmoscow>.

**12. What are the additional requirements?**

- We advise you to download AOT Airports mobile Application and create an account prior to departure at <https://app.airportthai.co.th/howtoinstall>

- Upon your arrival to Thailand, you must submit T.8 form via this Application. Sample of T.8 form is attached:

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/194b9oUw0\\_RJdSe0KMjN7Ew4E5sJXoxRx/view?usp=sharing](https://drive.google.com/file/d/194b9oUw0_RJdSe0KMjN7Ew4E5sJXoxRx/view?usp=sharing)

**13. When will Thailand be open for tourists?**

The Embassy will update the information on any changes in regulations of entry to Thailand on our official website <https://moscow.thaiembassy.org/> and VK page <https://vk.com/thaiembmoscow>.

*Please be aware that the Embassy's telephone line is overwhelmed with calls. Should you have any additional questions, please write to us via email at [visa.rtemoscow@gmail.com](mailto:visa.rtemoscow@gmail.com).*