

Visitor Visa for Visiting Relatives

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REQUIREMENTS

- Application form: Go to website: <https://visawebapp.boca.gov.tw>. Fill out the application form online with your complete name (Surname, First Name Middle Name). Print it out and sign on the second page. Please make sure that the bar-code located on the lower right hand side of the application form is readable.
- Two colored passport-size photos: Place two (2) glossy, passport-size (45 mm in height and 35 mm in width) photos with a white background taken within the last six (6) months on the application form. Composite photos, selfies and altered photos will not be accepted. The applicant must face forward and look directly at the camera, with eyes open and clearly visible. A neutral expression (mouth closed) and natural skin tone are required. Applicants who are unable to close their mouths are excluded from this requirement. The photographs must have appropriate brightness and contrast.
- Passport
The passport must be valid for at least 6 months from the date of the applicant's entry and have blank pages. One photocopy of the passport bio page with the applicant's photo is required.
- Proof of relative's residence in Taiwan
 - (1)As a relative to visit ROC nationals with household registration in Taiwan, please provide copies of the Taiwan National ID and an original hard copy of the Household Registration Transcript issued within three (3) months (personal family registry information should be noted in the notes column).
 - (2)As a relative to visit ROC nationals without household registration or to visit a foreigner who legally lives in Taiwan, please provide copies of passport and copies of valid Residence Certificate/Alien Residence Certificate (ARC)/ Permanent Residence Certificate (APRC) of the relative who lives in Taiwan.
- Proof of kinship documents
 - (1)Please provide all the kinship documents can be used to prove the relationship (including birth certificate, Taiwan's household registration transcript, marriage certificate, the latest Advisory on Marriages, CENOMAR, etc.) among the applicant and all the relevant people related to the application. If the ROC national to be visited previously lived in the Philippines, the ROC national's marriage certificate and the latest Advisory on Marriage (or CENOMAR) issued by the indigenous country shall also be presented.
 - (2)For applicants to visit a relative who is a legal dependent of the ROC national as a foreign spouse, the Taiwan's household transcript issued within three (3) months shall also be presented (personal family registry information shall

be noted in the notes column) to prove relationship between the relative holding ARC/APRC and the relative's ROC spouse.

- PSA Birth Certificate (only for those with Philippine passports)
- PSA Marriage Certificate (required for married female applicants with Philippine passports)
- Other supporting documents

The applicant will be scheduled for an interview if required. Other additional documents may be required during processing.

NOTICES

1. All documents submitted to this office must be original with one (1) set of photocopies on A4-sized paper and arranged in the order of the requirements listed above. Original documents are to be returned after review.
2. Visas are issued as stipulated by Article 12 of the Statute governing the issuance of ROC visas for foreign passports. As a sovereign nation, the ROC has the right to refuse visa applications without providing any explanation for such decisions; the visa application fee is not refundable.
3. Not applicable for current Blue-Collar Workers in Taiwan.
4. Please make sure to read other NOTICE here before submission:
https://www.roc-taiwan.org/ph_en/post/8302.html.