



Ambasciata d'Italia
Il Cairo

Visa for Relatives of European Union Citizens (Uniform Schengen Visa C / National Visa D)

the visa allows entry into the country for European Union citizens and their family members accompanying them or joining them to exercise their right to free movement, entry, and residence.

Family members mean the following categories:

- The spouse (civil union or registered partner) not legally separated and not less than 18 years of age.
- Direct descendants under the age of 21, including children of the spouse or partner, with the prior consent of the other parent, if any.
- Dependent descendants over the age of 21, including children of the spouse or partner, if they are unable to provide for their essential living needs due to a health condition causing total disability.
- Dependent direct ascendants, including ascendants of the spouse or partner, if they do not have other children in their country of origin or provenance, and are unable to provide for their essential living needs due to a health condition causing total disability.

Required documents

- ☐ 1. **Schengen Visa application form fully completed, signed, and dated.**
- ☐ 2. 1 recent passport-size photograph with a clear background and dimensions of 35*40 mm (the size approved by the International Civil Aviation Organization - ICAO).
- ☐ 3. A passport valid for at least 3 months after the expiration date of the requested visa. A copy of the same passport and previous passports if any (pages containing personal data and all pages containing stamps and visas).
- ☐ 4. An invitation letter from the family member holding European citizenship proving the desire to exercise the right to family reunification, accompanied by a copy of a valid identity document.
- ☐ 5. Documents proving the family relationship with the applicant, provided that their issuance date does not exceed 6 months. For spouses, the marriage contract or civil partnership must be registered in Italy.
- ☐ 6. Where applicable, documents proving the possession of sufficient economic means of subsistence throughout the period of stay.

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- When submitting photocopies of documents, the originals must be presented for review at the time of application submission.
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