

## **FAMILY VISIT VISA**

Afghan origin applicants are requested to apply in family category of visa only if their spouse is Pakistani.

### **Application Type**

You can apply for two types of visas online:

**First Time (New):** You can apply for a new visa if you do not possess a valid Pakistan visa.

**Extension:** You can apply for a visa extension if you possess a valid Pakistan visa and you are residing in Pakistan.

### **Eligibility**

- Foreign citizens of Pakistani origin and their spouses.
- You may be eligible for a Pakistan Origin Card (POC), if you or your relative are of Pakistani origin. In that case you may not need a visa. Please click [here](#) to check your eligibility.

### **Required Documents**

1. Photograph
  2. Passport
  3. POC or likewise;
    - Marriage certificate
    - Birth certificate
    - CNIC/NICOP
- You are required to upload **proof of legal residence**, in case you are not present in your home country and are applying for visa from a third country, it's a mandatory requirement! The document can be uploaded in the supporting document type: **Other**
  - **In case of extension** – Please upload **proof of Valid Pakistani Visa** for which you are seeking Extension and **Entry Stamp on your Passport** in the supporting document type: **Other**

### **Duration and Validity**

#### **First Time**

- Visa valid up to 5 years with up to 1 year stay on each entry

**Extension**

- Family visit visa of Pakistan Origin foreigners is extendable up to 2 years.
- For other foreigners, extension will be granted on yearly basis or as per relevant rules/policy.

**In case of seeking extension, please make sure that you have a valid Pakistani visa and are residing in Pakistan.**

**Processing Time**

**Decisions on issuance of visa, its duration, number of entries or extensions are taken by the Government of Pakistan.**

- 7-10 Days (Working Days – First Time Entry)
- 7-10 Days (Working Days – Visa Extension)
- 4 Weeks (Working days – First Time Entry/Visa Extension) (For Afghanistan and Somalia Passport Holders)