## **EMBASSY OF SPAIN IN HANOI**

## DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE APPLICATION OF A VISA FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT

- 1. **Schengen visa application form**, attached with a passport-type photo
- 2. Passport valid for at least 3 months after your departure from the Schengen area or, in case of a multiple entry visa, after the last scheduled departure. It must contain at least 2 blank pages and have not been issued for more than 10 years. An A4 photocopy of all passport pages containing information (visas, stamps, etc.) must be provided.
- 3. **If the applicant is not a Vietnamese citizen**, he/she must provide documentation proving his/her residence in Vietnam (temporary or permanent residence card)
- 4. **Letter of self-introduction about the visa applicant**: a suggested outline for the preparation of such letter of self-introduction can be found by clicking here.

## 5. Proof of travel history:

- a. Previous passport/s (original + photocopy)
- b. In case of having been refused with a visa by any of the member countries of the Schengen area during the last 5 years: resolution (or resolutions) of visa refusal, accompanied by a brief explanation of the reason for the visa application(s) at that time and the supporting documentation (if applicable)
- 6. Proof of the need to go to Spain for medical treatment:
  - a. Medical certificate from the center where the applicant is undergoing treatment in Vietnam, specifying the details of the disease and the Spanish medical center where the applicant will undergo treatment, as well as the doctors who will treat him/her, must be identified.
  - b. Letter from the Spanish medical center signed by the person responsible for the treatment specifying the details of the disease and justifying the need or convenience of continuing treatment in a Spanish center. It must contain an understandable description of the treatment, names of the responsible doctors, estimated duration of the treatment, if the stay in the center includes accommodation or not, if the patient needs the company of a third person to assist him or not, price, mode of payment and, if applicable, the fact that the amount has been disbursed or its disbursement is insured (otherwise it will be understood that the applicant has not yet paid or insured the amount, for which reason they must prove that they have sufficient financial means to pay treatment, under the conditions of the following sections).
- 7. Proof of availability of sufficient financial means for the entire stay in the Schengen territory: 10% of SMI (minimum interprofession salary) multiplied by the number of days that the visa applicant intends to stay and by the number of people traveling at the expense

of the visa applicant. In any case, a minimum amount of a **90%** of SMI per person must be accredited, regardless of the planned length of stay. For exact information on the quantity established for each year's SMI, you are kindly requested to visit the following website: <a href="https://www.exteriores.gob.es/DocumentosAuxiliaresSC/Vietnam/HANOI%20%28E%29/SMI.pdf">https://www.exteriores.gob.es/DocumentosAuxiliaresSC/Vietnam/HANOI%20%28E%29/SMI.pdf</a>.

- 8. **Documents** enabling the evaluation of the intention to leave the territory of the Member States:
  - a. Proof of labor roots:
    - If the applicant is an entrepreneur: commercial registration certificate of the company in which his personal data appears.
    - If the applicant is an employee:
      - Employment contract
      - Payroll with detailed breakdowns for the last 3 months
      - Bank statement of the salary receipt account for the last 3 months. Bank statements printed online are not accepted.
      - Travel decision
  - b. Proof of financial roots:
    - Savings book(s)
    - proof of ownership of real estate (if applicable)
  - c. **Proof of social/family roots**: Marriage and birth certificate of the children (if applicable)
- 9. Air-ticket booking
- 10. Travel medical insurance: The insurance must cover the costs of repatriation for medical reasons or death and emergency medical assistance or emergency hospital care during the entire period of stay and throughout the Schengen area. The minimum coverage will be 30,000 euros or its equivalent in local currency. If a multiple-entry visa is requested, the health insurance will be valid for the first intended trip. The applicant will agree to take out insurance for successive trips.
- 11. Proof of accommodation or of having sufficient means to pay for it: hotel reservation(s) during the entire stay in the Schengen territory

PLEASE CLICK THIS LINK FOR DETAILED INFORMATION ON SCHENGEN VISAS (download of visa application form, fees, procedures, etc).