

Welcome to the Consular Services of the Embassy of Mozambique in Washington, DC.

The aim of this page is to provide useful information on the requirements for one to apply for an entry visa into Mozambique, kinds of visas, fees and shipping modalities.

The general principle is that if you are not a Mozambican citizen, you **MUST** have a visa to enter Mozambique. However, citizens of the following countries **DO NOT** need visa:

1. Botswana
2. Malawi
3. Mauritius
4. South Africa
5. Swaziland
6. Zambia
7. Zimbabwe, unless the purpose to enter Mozambique is to **study**, **work** or **reside** in the country.

Citizens of Angola, Brasil, Cabo Verde, Guiné-Bissau, Portugal e S.Tomé e Príncipe, holders of an official or diplomatic passport **DO NOT** require a visa to enter Mozambique

### General requirements

- Submit an original passport, valid for at least 6 months from the date of entry into Mozambique and with at least 1 blank page for a visa. Amendment pages are excluded
- Citizens other than from the United States of America and Canada, but living in these countries, must submit a copy of their permanent residence status
- Fill the visa application form properly. It is very important that you provide all the information required, including the name and address of your place of stay in Mozambique

**Please be advised that lack of information may result in delay or even denial of your application**

[Print the visa application form](#)

- Submit two passport size photographs (passport photos must be in color and against a white background)
- Include a self-addressed envelop or a pre-paid air bill with a tracking number (preferably FedEx), unless the application is brought to the Embassy in person.
- Payments must be only by money order in US dollars, and payable to the Embassy of Mozambique. After a payment you are entitled to a pick-up slip
- Invitations by organizations operating in Mozambique must include a copy of their legal status issued by the Mozambican authorities.
- Invitations by non-citizens living in Mozambique must include a copy of "DIRE" as proof of residence.
- Groups of visitors invited by organizations are required to attach one invitation per visa application form.
- Persons under the age of 18 must attach a parental travel consent letter to the visa application form.
- The processing time for all kinds of visa is 10 working days.
- If the applicant has been in a Yellow Fever endemic country, the applicant must bring a Yellow Fever Certificate.

**NOTE. A VISA MUST BE OBTAINED PRIOR TO THE TRIP AT THE CONSULAR SERVICES AS A VISA CAN NO LONGER BE ISSUED UPON ARRIVAL AT ANY OF MOZAMBIQUE'S ENTRANCE POINTS. SHOULD YOU REQUIRE A BORDER VISA YOU MUST REQUIRE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FROM Direcção Nacional de Migração.**

#### Types of visa and specific requirements

**Business visa:** When the purpose of entry is business related, A letter from applicant's company or from the inviting company in Mozambique is required

**Visit visa:** A letter of the inviting party in Mozambique is required

**Tourism visa:** A copy of the flight itinerary and a copy from the hotel are required

**Residence visa:** A copy of the work contract (in Mozambique) and a copy of a police clearance (from the place of residence of the applicant) are required

**Student visa:** A letter from the applicant's school is required

**Transit visa:** A visa for the final destination is required, unless this is the applicant's country of origin or residence.

**Diplomatic and Official visas:** For government officials as well as World Bank and International Monetary Fund staff, when on official business.

Visas can be Single, Double or Multiple.

**Notice:**

**The visa must be used within sixty (60) days from the issuance dates.**

**Phone calls addressing visa application matters can be made between 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM**

**Consular Service Number:** 202-293-7146 ext. 224 and 230.

For services provided to **Mozambican citizens**, please [click here](#) .

**Pick-Up Time: 11:30am - 1:00 pm**

### Visa Fees:

- Single entry Visa - (30 Days): **\$160 USD**
- Multiple Entry Visa: (90 days Visa): **\$180 USD**
- Multiple Entry Visa: (180 days Visa): **\$210 USD**
- Legalization Fees: **\$180 USD** per document

**Please note that visa fees are non-refundable.**