

How to apply for a visa for Norway

General information

On the following link you will find information regarding visas to Norway:

<http://www.udi.no/Norwegian-Directorate-of-Immigration/Central-topics/Visa/>

Where to apply for a visa

You can submit your visa application at a Norwegian embassy or consulate. Most embassies will require that you register your visa application online at: <https://selfservice.udi.no>

If two or more are travelling together, it is possible to register a group application. This will make the case handling process easier and faster for the embassy.

Booking of an appointment

After the visa application is registered at the application portal, you will be asked to book an appointment to submit additional documents, and for collection of biometric data. In many embassies it will not be possible to submit an application without a booked appointment.

Handing in documents

The required documents that must be handed in may vary from country to country. In some countries you will hand in the application to the embassy of another country. Please check here where to hand in visa application from your country of residence, and which documents that are required there: <http://www.udi.no/Norwegian-Directorate-of-Immigration/Central-topics/Visa/How-do-I-apply-for-a-visa/Hvilken-ambassade-skal-jeg-levere-soknaden-om-visum-til-1/>

If you are handing in your application at the embassy of another country, you may not use the Application Portal Norway. Instead you must fill in a paper form, which you find here : http://www.udi.no/PageFiles/17602/Visum_engelsk_skrivbart.pdf and personally hand it in at the embassy or consulate.

Insurance

A medical insurance is compulsory when travelling to the Schengen area on a C visa. According to the Schengen Visa Code of 6 April 2010 a valid travel insurance has to be submitted together with the application. Any visa issued now has to be given a 15 days period of grace. The validity of the insurance must therefore be added 15 days on top of the planned period of travel. The validity of the visa can only be issued according to the validity of the travel insurance.