



Application for family reunion (national visa, type D, long-term stay)

Applications may be submitted by post to the above mentioned address.

If you wish to apply in person, you can make an appointment via by following link: www.swiss-visa.ch . No applications will be accepted at the embassy without prior appointment.

Please consult the following link for information about visa fees and payment methods: [National visa fees](#)

The embassy and the competent Swiss authorities may request further documents.

General requirements for all types of family reunion:

- 3 photocopies of the first two passport pages
- 3 photos according to [requirements](#)
- 3 applications forms (visa D) completed (in German, French, Italian or English) and signed → [visa applications forms](#)
- If you are not a Serbian or Montenegrin citizen: 3 photocopies of residence permit in Serbia or Montenegro

Family reunion with Swiss spouse:

- 3 passport photocopies of Swiss spouse
- 3 photocopies of proof of marriage registration into the Swiss civil registers. If the marriage has not been registered yet, please consult the following page: [Marriage and registered partnership](#)

Family reunion with foreign spouse living in Switzerland:

- 3 photocopies of residence permit of spouse in Switzerland
- Marriage certificate on international form (1 original + 2 photocopies)

Family reunion, children reunite with parents in Switzerland:

- 3 photocopies of Swiss passports or residence permits of parents in Switzerland
- Birth certificate of child on international form (1 original + 2 photocopies)

Additional documents in case of children reuniting with ONE parent in Switzerland:

- If parents are divorced: divorce decision, entered into force – 1 original or certified copy with official translation (German, French, Italian or English), with remark on parental authority + photocopies
- If one parent has deceased: death certificate on international form (1 original + 2 photocopies)

Family reunion, parent reunites with children in Switzerland:

- 3 photocopies of Swiss Passports or residence permit of children in Switzerland
- Birth certificate of child on international form (1 original + 2 photocopies)