

## **Important information for visa applicants to Hungary**

The Consulate General of Hungary is entitled to accept and process Schengen visa applications exclusively on the condition that the longest period of time is spent in Hungary during the trip involving other Schengen Member States as well.

A reasonable doubt concerning the statement made by the applicant about the actual itinerary and time spent in various countries of the Schengen area will lead to refusal of the visa by the Consulate General of Hungary.

Furthermore, on the instruction of the airport Schengen Liaison Officer ***airlines may offload passengers in possession of Schengen visas by having provided misleading information and not using the single entry visa for travel to the issuing Schengen member state.*** An offload will lead to revoking the visa with all its subsequent consequences.

The Consulate General of Hungary may demand proof of payment for the booked accommodation in Hungary at the time of processing your visa application as a condition of issuing the visa.

### **Disclaimer for Biometrics Submission**

Applicants holding previous Schengen visas are requested to make sure their biometrics used for earlier visas are still valid (had been taken less than 59 months before visa submission). Should the biometrics be no longer valid, or the quality of the biometrics be not up to standard, the Consulate General of Hungary will not be in a position to process the new visa and the applicants will need to re-apply at VFS centers with fresh biometrics data. Consequently, the processing time will be longer for applicants with biometric discrepancies.

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