



Leaflet SWISS SCHENGEN VISA MEDICAL TREATMENT

General application rules:

- Only visa applications with Switzerland as a main travel destination are accepted.
In case of multiple destinations, the visa must be submitted at the Embassy of the country where the longest stay will be
- All requested documents have to be translated into German, French, Italian or English
A list of recognized translators can be found at the Embassy website:
<https://www.eda.admin.ch/countries/egypt/en/home/dienstleistungen/arzt-anwalt.html>
- If a requested document cannot be provided, there must be a written explanation instead, clarifying why the document is not available
- The visa fee will not be refunded in case of refusal or withdrawal.
- Communication regarding visa matters are only accepted in written form to info.cheg@vfsglobal.com or by calling +20221600058
- The mandatory “Schengen Consultation”, which takes a processing time period of at least 10 working days, can only be started upon receiving a complete application file meeting the requirements
- The Embassy reserves the right to ask for additional documents or a personal interview with the applicant

How to apply:

Prior to the submission of a visa request, an appointment has to be fixed with our external service provider VFS Center online on the VFS website: <https://visa.vfsglobal.com/egy/en/che/>

Requirements

Visa Application Form	https://www.eda.admin.ch/countries/egypt/en/home/visa/entry-ch/up-90-days/documents-schengen.html# Must be duly filled-in and signed by the applicant!
Passport	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ original and 1 copy of biometric data page plus all non-empty pages ➤ issued within the last 10 years ➤ contains at least 2 blank pages ➤ must be valid for at least 3 months beyond the return from the planned trip
Previous passport	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ covering the past 7 years ➤ copies of biometric data page plus all non-empty pages
1 passport-size personal photo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ with white background ➤ not older than 6 months
Round-trip Ticket	➤ only air travel reservation (not confirmed)

Certificate from the local medical doctor / institution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ containing the medical history of the patient and what kind of medical treatment is needed <i>In certain cases, the embassy might request to have the certificate verified by the embassy's medical doctor</i>
Original Certificate of employment (HR-letter)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ containing the following information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • date of recruitment (hiring date) • position • salary level • confirmation of annual leave approval
For company owners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ original and copy of the commercial registry and valid tax card
For students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ proof of enrolment in school / university for the current academic year
International Travel Insurance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ covering the entire period of intended stay ➤ valid for all Schengen countries ➤ minimum coverage must be EUR 30'000.00 (includes expenses of repatriation for medical reasons, urgency medical attention, emergency hospital treatment or death during the stay) ➤ a printout certificate/policy in English of *AMAN sticker* on the passport
Bank statement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ in original ➤ covering the past six months ➤ only current or saving accounts (Deposit Certificates will <u>not</u> be considered!) ➤ closing balance must show sufficient means to cover the expenses of the planned trip
Visa fees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ payable in EGP (only exact amount is accepted!)

Requirements from the medical institution in Switzerland

These requirements should be sent directly to the applicant, to be added to her/his visa application file

Official invitation letter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ on official hospital / medical institution paper, stamped and signed containing the following information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • full address and contacts of the medical institution • confirmation that it can perform the specific medical treatment and the patient will be accepted accordingly • mentioning the financial arrangements made (approx.. costs, deposits, payment terms) • duration of the planned stay for medical treatment • mentioning eventual accompanying persons
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Additional special requirements

For foreigners living in Egypt	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ must have a residence permit in Egypt valid for at least 3 months beyond the return from the planned trip
For minors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>if the minor travels without parents or legal guardian:</u> consent of parental authority or legal guardian provided either through a notarized certificate or by a letter signed at the Embassy or VFS office ➤ <u>if the minor travels with one parent or legal guardian:</u> consent of parental authority or legal guardian, who is not travelling with the child, provided either through a notarized certificate or by a letter signed at the Embassy or VFS office ➤ passport copy of both parents (biometric data page + page with the signature) ➤ Translated Birth Certificate of the minor.