EMERGENCY VISA FOR INDIA – A GUIDE TO UNDERSTANDING THE APPLICATION

There are times when an emergency may occur that stops you from visiting India. What do you do then? Do you give up on your thoughts of visiting this country? Emergency visa is not a new concept for India, but it has only been implemented in a few countries. This visa policy was started to facilitate people or residents of other countries to enter India. As there are numerous categories of Visas available when it comes to travel, the criteria for Emergency Visa application might differ from category to category.



Many travellers wonder about the India visa: what restrictions are in place, how long it takes to apply, and how much it costs. One of the most important elements of travelling is having all the proper paperwork—a valid passport, an appropriate visa in the correct category, and other travel documents including a negative COVID result.

You can apply for an emergency visa to India with <u>IVACS</u> if you need to travel on short notice due to urgent reasons. We specialise in providing visa services for people who are travelling to India.

Our team of experts can help you with the application process, and we will make sure that your application is submitted correctly and on time. We understand that travelling can be stressful and sometimes it's hard to know what information is required or how to fill out an application correctly.



That's why we offer personal assistance from our staff members who are well-versed in all aspects of the visa application process. They can answer any questions you may have about applying for a visa, as well as help you get everything ready before you submit your application.

When travelling to India in an emergency, take note of these visa recommendations:-

What is an Emergency Visa?

• An emergency visa is issued to those who genuinely have emergency-related matters in India such as a death in a family, serious illness of an immediate family member or any other urgent issue. Visas during such time are granted for a short duration, unlike regular times. The Indian consulates have a different application process, different criteria, and different validity periods for the emergency visas being issued.

Can I apply for Emergency Visa through IVACS?

• <u>IVACS</u> is experienced in issuing all types of visas to meet the specific needs of our customers. We can also help you obtain a visa quickly if you have an emergency and need to travel to India without delay.

Who can Apply for Emergency Visa?

• All Australian Nationals of Indian Origin can apply for an Emergency Visa. Please note, that an OCI (Overseas Citizen of India) holder does not need to apply for this visa.

How long is the validity of the emergency visas being issued?

• All emergency visas are processed under emergency validity periods, which vary from visa to visa category. These periods have been reduced instead of the normal time period the visas are issued for.

Are multiple entries allowed on the Emergency Visa?

According to your visa conditions and duration, you can make multiple entries into India.
Please ensure you adhere to all the visa policies and guidelines during your stay period in India.

How to Apply