



Transit Visa

Travelers transiting in Saudi Arabia for less than eighteen (18) hours do not need a transit visa.

Transit visas do not grant the right to residence, visitation or employment.

Ladies cannot apply for a transit visa if not accompanied by a male relative.

Requirements:

1. A passport valid for at least six (6) months, with at least two (2) clear visa pages adjacent to each other. The passport must be acceptable to enter both the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and the applicant's next destination.
2. One (1) recent passport size color photograph with a white background. Photograph(s) must be full-face shots in which the applicant is facing the camera directly. Side or angled-views are NOT accepted. [Guidelines for accepted photograph for Visa.](#)
3. A completed application form filled-out with a black ink pen or printed. [Application forms](#) can be downloaded from the website at <http://www.saudiembassy.net/>. Please include your email address on the application.
4. A ticket with confirmed reservations, with a transit time not exceeding seventy-two (72) hours.
5. Proof that the applicant can enter the destination traveled to after Saudi Arabia. (Visa, National Identity, etc.)
6. Proof of kinship: for spouses, a copy of the marriage certificate; for children, a copy of the birth certificate.
7. For non-U.S. citizens, a copy of the green card or documented proof of legal residence in the U.S.
8. Log on to <https://enjazit.com.sa/>. Click on "Apply for a visa to enter the Kingdom by individuals." Complete the online request for an Employment visa. It is important to record the request number on the application and present it to the Consulate. [Guideline for enjaz online application.](#)
9. Minors (under 18 years of age) travelling alone or with one parent must submit a notarized letter of authorization, in either in Arabic or English, signed by both parents or legal guardians.
10. **Mailing Passport:** Include a prepaid return label and envelope (**from FedEx, UPS or USPS only**) with the return address label filled out completely. A proper prepaid return envelope must include a "PRE-PAID" label. Return envelopes showing only account numbers are no longer accepted as proof of pre-payment. **Credit cards, checks, money orders or cash will not be accepted for return mailing.** Any package without a proper pre-paid return envelope and label will be put on hold until a proper return envelope is received. It is the applicant's responsibility to determine the EXACT return shipping costs. All labels must have a tracking number, and applicants are advised to keep both incoming and outgoing tracking numbers for their records. The Embassy does not send international packages. **Washington DC Location:** 601 New Hampshire Ave, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037 - Tel. (202) 342-3800.

Notes:

- Transit visas are free of charge.
- Visitors should not overstay the time granted on the visa.
- Visitors to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia must abide by the country's Islamic laws and regulations and respect its society's values and traditions.
- The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's laws against drug trafficking are strictly enforced. Violators are subject to severe punishment, which may include the death penalty.