



Australian Government
Department of Home Affairs

Transit Visa (subclass 771) Document Checklist Vietnam

Information about this visa: <https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/getting-a-visa/visa-listing/transit-771>

If you are not a citizen of Vietnam, you may be eligible to transit Australia without a visa. Please check the website before you apply.

Important:

- We recommend that you lodge your visa application at least **four (4) weeks** prior to your intended travel date
- A decision is often made solely on the information that you provide with your application at time of lodgement. If all the items in this checklist are not provided, **the visa application may be refused**.
- You do not need to provide a translation for Vietnamese language documents. All other foreign language documents **must** be accompanied by a certified English translation.
- There is no visa application charge for this visa.

How to Apply:

- You must apply for this visa online
- Create or log in to your [ImmiAccount](#) to start your application
- Upload supporting documents

You can check your application status online. Do not send any documents by email or post.

For more information, see <https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/help-support/applying-online-or-on-paper/online>

Biometrics Collection:

Most applicants in Vietnam, regardless of their nationality, will need to provide their biometrics (fingerprints and a digital facial photograph). Biometrics are provided by appointment at an Australian Visa Application Centre (see below).

For more information, see: immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/help-support/meeting-our-requirements/biometrics.

For applicants under 18 years old, a parent or legal guardian will need to be present when the biometrics are collected

Persons exempt from biometrics collection: Government officials and senior officials of international inter-government organisations when travelling to Australia as a representative of their country or organisation; Sovereigns, Heads of State and members of their families forming part of their household; serving Government Ministers and their immediate family members when travelling officially; Diplomats and consular officers accredited to Australia and their dependants; Diplomatic Couriers; Special Purpose Visa (SPV) holders, APEC Business Travel Card applicants.

Australian Visa Application Centres (AVAC):

Australian Visa Application Centres are managed by VFS Global. You can book an appointment via their website and obtain more information about their locations and opening hours.

Website: www.vfsglobal.com/australia/vietnam

Call Centre: 1900 565 639 (for clients calling within Vietnam) or 84 28 3521 2000 (from overseas)

Email: info.auvi@vfshelpline.com

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Application	Tick where included
Complete the application form online on your ImmiAccount	
Identity	
<p>Certified copy of your passport identity page and each page that has a visa label and entry/exit stamps for any country</p> <p>Important: Your original passport may be requested if additional checks are required</p>	
One passport size photograph (this photograph must not be more than six months old)	
<p>Details of Relatives Form</p> <p><i>Note: If you are visiting as a government representative, you do not need to provide this form or the rest of the identity documents in this section below</i></p>	
Certified copy of your National Identity Card	
If you need to enter Australia on your way to another country	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A copy of your travel itinerary, showing the confirmed date/time of your entry to Australia and onward journey to a destination outside Australia • A copy of tickets or documentation, or both, showing confirmed entry into Australia and your onward booking to a destination outside Australia within 72 hours of your arrival • Correct documentation (such as a visa) for entry/transit into that third country 	
If you are joining a ship as a crew member	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A statement from the vessel's Australian shipping/handling agent stating the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - that you will be joining the vessel as a crew member - the name of the person you are replacing - the name of the vessel - the expected date of arrival in Australia of the visa applicant; and - the port and date they are expected to join the vessel • Your current contract of employment • Evidence that you already hold a Maritime Crew (subclass 988) visa 	