

COUNTRY ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS

Madeira Chaplaincy	
Visa(s)	
1	Is a visa required?
2	Is a separate visa required for a spouse?
3	To what organisation should an application be made?
4	What period of time should be allowed for the application process?
5	Does the process need to be completed before arrival?
Residency Permit(s)	
1	Is a residency permit required?
2	Is a separate residency permit required for a spouse?
3	To what organisation should an application be made?
4	What period of time should be allowed for the application process?
5	Does the process need to be completed before arrival?
Work Permit(s)	
1	Is a work permit required?
2	Is a separate work permit required for a spouse if he/she intends to seek work?
3	To what organisation should an application be made?
4	What period of time should be allowed for the application process?
5	Does the process need to be completed before arrival?

COUNTRY: PORTUGAL
EU Citizen
No
No
N/A
N/A
No
Yes (Residence Certificate)
Yes (Residence Certificate)
Serviço de Estrangeiros e Fronteiras
about 1 month
No
No
No
N/A
N/A
N/A

DATE: 17th Nov 2025
Non-EU Citizen
Yes
Yes
Portuguese consulate
Up to 3 months
Yes
Yes
Yes
Serviço de Estrangeiros e Fronteiras
many months
No
Yes
Yes
Portuguese consulate
Up to 3 months
Yes

Important Note

The responsibility for applications for any or all of these items must be borne by the chaplain designate in conjunction with the Church Council
Legislation in Portugal is complex and scattered in laws and revisions. The above information regarding Non-EU citizens describes a typical case, but English versions of legislation may be viewed at http://www.sef.pt/portal/V10/EN/aspx/legislacao/index.aspx?id_linha=4191&menu_position=4133#0

it there may be variations, according to particular agreements with particular countries. Each case would have to be looked at individually.