APPOINTMENT

- No walk-ins, by appointment only.
- Schedule an appointment by sending an email with your full name as it appears in your passport to: conomaha@sre.gob.mx
- Appointments are personal and non-transferable.
- There are no family appointments. <u>Each adult must make their request</u> individually. Minors under 18 years old may obtain their appointment scheduled by their parents or legal guardians.
- Applicants for visas at the Consulate of Mexico in Omaha should be residents in Nebraska or Iowa.
- It is important to apply for a visa well in advance of the travel departure date.

Download here the Visa application form, printed on two sides:

https://consulmex.sre.gob.mx/omaha/images/VisaEnglishForm.pdf

VISA GENERAL INFORMATION

Foreigners that <u>DO NOT NEED A MEXICAN VISA</u> to travel to Mexico for less than 180 days:

- American citizens.
- Visa Holders: Applicants that have a US valid visa, or Canada Valid Visa, or valid visa from any country of the Schengen Zone, or Japan Valid Visa or UK valid visa.
- "Green Card" Holders: applicants that have a Permanent Resident Card of the United States, Canada, Japan, UK or any country member of the "Alianza del Pacífico".

MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS BY VISA CATEGORY

Information in accordance with the *General Guidelines for the Issuance of Visas delivered by the Ministries of the Interior and of Foreign Affairs*, published in the Official Gazette of the Federation on July 25, 2025.

- 1. Visitor visa without permission to engage in paid activities (Tourist)
- 2. Visitor Visa Without Permission to Engage in Remunerated Activities (Long Term)
- 3. Visitor Visa Without Permission to Engage in Remunerated Activities (Electronic Visa) COMING SOON
- 4. Visitor Visa for Adoption Procedures
- 5. Temporary Resident Visa
- 6. Temporary Resident Student Visa
- 7. Permanent Resident Visa
- 8. Types of Visas Requested from the National Immigration Institute (INM)

IMPORTANT TO CONSIDER

- We ONLY accept CASH. The fee is not refundable, regardless of the outcome of the process.
- Forms I-797 A, Advance Parole, Forms I-20 or DS-2019 are not accepted documents for entry to Mexico. If the visa of the United States in your passport is expired, you must apply for a Mexican visa in order to travel to Mexico. Applicants must be legally in the USA at the moment of applying for a Mexican visa.
- To consult the countries that require a Visa to travel to Mexico, please visit this webpage: https://www.inm.gob.mx/gobmx/word/index.php/paises-requieren-visa-para-mexico/
- No assurances regarding the issuance of visas can be given in advance.
- Therefore, final travel plans or the purchase of non-refundable flight/travel tickets should not be made until a visa has been issued.
- The physical presence of the applicant at the Consulate is an absolute requirement.
- Applications are individual.
- On the day of the appointment, the applicant will <u>pay in cash</u> the visa fee.
 The consular staff will collect applicants' documents and will collect biographic and biometric data; a consular officer will conduct an interview.
- Some visa applications require further administrative processing, which takes additional time after the visa applicant's interview. After the interview, the applicant will be informed what process to follow.
- Payment of the application DOES NOT GUARANTEE the approval or issuance of the requested visa.
- In case the visa is approved, the Consulate DOES NOT GUARANTEE the issuance of the visa the same day of the interview.
- The procedure to obtain a visa can take up to ten business days. Although
 we make the best effort to process your procedure in the shortest possible
 time, the issuance of the document is not guaranteed the same day of your
 request.
- If you are traveling to Omaha exclusively to process your visa, we suggest you consider a minimum stay of three business days in the city for the process.
- If the issuance of the visa is denied, the applicant may apply again if there is new evidence to overcome the basis for the refusal, the applicant will have to schedule another appointment.
- The fee is not refundable, regardless of the outcome of the process.
- Visas can be picked up PERSONALLY, they will not be mailed.
- Marriage certificates or birth certificates from a country different from the U.S. need to have the apostille or legalization stamp.
- Any official documents that are not issued by United States authorities need to be legalized/apostilled. Also, they will be required to have a certified translation if the documents are in a different language than Spanish and or English.
- If a permanent resident visa or temporary resident visa is approved, you must deliver it to the National Immigration Institute (INM) offices to get your residence card. You must deliver it to the INM office in Mexico within the next 30 calendar days after the date of entry in Mexico.