



Consulate General of Italy, Lagos

REQUISITE DOCUMENTS FOR DEPENDANT PARENTS VISA

(Subject to prior authorization by Italian Immigration Office)

1. Application form duly filled in block capitals. Application must be signed and dated in front of the staff at the "Italy Visa Application Centre". The visa application form can be downloaded from this web site.
2. One recent colour passport-size photograph (white background preferably)
3. Passport valid for at least 18 months from the date of visa application plus clear photocopy of passport's ID page
4. Original and photocopy of " NULLA OSTA AL RICONGIUNGIMENTO FAMILIARE " (Authorization to the family reunion) issued by competent "Sportello Unico per l'Immigrazione" (Italian Immigration Office)
5. Photocopy of: a) the identity card; b) the Residence Permit of the person who has applied for the family reunion authorization in Italy
6. Sworn Affidavit of family status specifying date of birth, name, address and occupation of each son/daughter
7. Attestation of age issued by National Population Commission – duly legalized by Legalization Section of the Consulate General of Italy
8. Death certificate of the spouse (if applicable)
9. Proof of money remittance sent by the son/daughter residing in Italy to his/her parent/s during the last 24 months or sworn Affidavit stating that the father/mother is financially dependant from the son/daughter residing in Italy

VERY IMPORTANT TO NOTE

- A parent is considered dependent on the son/daughter residing in Italy when he/she does not have any income, or any other form of financial support in Nigeria. The Consulate General of Italy reserves the right to request for further documentation.
- Discrepancy, if any, in the names and date of birth of the applicant/s mentioned on the "Nulla Osta" should be notified - in view of amendment – to the issuing Immigration Office directly by the person who had applied for it. No application can be accepted if there is a discrepancy between the data indicated in the passport applicant and in his/hers documents and those mentioned in the "Nulla Osta".
- The copy of the authorization to the family reunion will be returned to the applicant while the original will be kept with the visa application.
- Additional documents may be required in certain cases.