

Marriage Visa (F6-1) Required Documents Guide [\(KOREAN VERSION\)](#) [\(ENGLISH VERSION\)](#)

After checking all required documents through the link, kindly save all attached files and complete them carefully.

Basic Guidelines for Marriage Visa Application.

1. During the visa review, the Embassy may request additional documents not listed in this guide. Therefore, both the applicant and the Korean spouse must provide honest and detailed answers, and all statements must be supported by official documents.
[\[Download Visa Application Form\]](#)
2. The F6-1 marriage visa can only be applied for after the marriage has been legally registered in both countries.
3. The visa processing time is approximately **15 working days**, but delays may occur due to document verification, additional document requests, interviews, or field investigations. Therefore, please be cautious when booking flights in advance, as visa delays may result in cancellation penalties.
4. Even after obtaining the marriage visa, Filipino applicants cannot depart immediately. They must complete the **CFO (Commission on Filipinos Overseas) seminar** before departure. Note: Marriage visa holders are allowed to purchase one-way tickets. [\[CFO Reservation Link\]](#)
5. Documents issued in Korea and the Philippines do **not require notarization, translation, or apostille**.
6. All medical examination results are valid for **6 months**, while tuberculosis (TB) test results are valid for **3 months**.

7. The foreign spouse's medical examination can be conducted at any hospital/clinic.
 - a. If a chest X-ray (TB test) is included, a separate test at a designated hospital is not required.
 - b. However, if the TB test is conducted separately, it must be done at an Embassy-designated hospital. [\[Designated Hospital List\]](#) [\[TB Form\]](#)
8. Family Relation Certificate, Basic Certificate, Marriage Certificate, and Resident Registration Certificate must all be:
 - a. Original copies
 - b. "Detailed" versions (not for viewing only)
 - c. Issued within 3 months
 - d. With **full disclosure of resident registration number** [\[Gov24 Website\]](#)
[\[Gov24 Manual\]](#)
9. PSA Birth Certificate and Marriage Certificate must be:
 - a. Original copies (not downloaded online)
 - b. Submission is allowed regardless of issuance date [\[PSA Website\]](#)

Marriage Visa Scenarios (Please click the link and prepare documents according to your situation)

※ Required documents vary depending on your situation. If your case is not listed below, please contact: kvacph@visaforkorea-mn.com

1. [General Marriage Visa \(No Exemption\)](#)
 - a. Korean spouse resides in Korea with a stable base (employment/business)
 - b. b. Korean spouse has not stayed long-term (over 6 months) in the foreign spouse's country
 - c. c. Foreign spouse has not stayed in Korea for over 91 days under long-term status

- d. Foreign spouse is not currently pregnant
2. If there is a child between the couple (before or after marriage) OR the foreign spouse is 20 weeks pregnant or more
 3. If the couple has lived together for 1 continuous year in the Philippines or a third country after marriage
 4. If: Korean spouse stayed long-term (6+ months) in the foreign spouse's country and started a relationship there OR foreign spouse stayed in Korea (91+ days) and started a relationship there OR foreign spouse is pregnant (less than 20 weeks)
 5. If the foreign spouse has previously stayed in Korea under an F-6 visa (regardless of duration)

Cases Where Marriage Visa Application is NOT Allowed

1. Marriage is registered only in either Korea or the Philippines (not both)
2. Either spouse is currently married to another person (bigamy)

3. Medical examination results do not meet requirements (e.g., tuberculosis, syphilis, HIV/AIDS, mental illness)
4. Korean spouse does not meet income requirements
5. Required documents are incomplete
6. Marriage registered first in Korea and then reported to the Philippine Embassy in Korea must submit a PSA Marriage Certificate. However, the marriage is not yet registered/issued in PSA

*****Important Warning***

If false information is provided or fraudulent documents are submitted:

- *The visa application will be denied*
- *The foreign spouse may be banned from entering Korea for **5 years or more***
- *If discovered after entry, deportation may occur*

Additionally, under the Immigration Act (Article 7-2 and Article 94):

- *Up to **3 years imprisonment***
- *Or a fine of up to **20 million KRW***