

# How to Apply for UK Spouse Visa from Philippines



The requirements and process to get a UK spouse visa may look complicated if you are applying for a [UK Spouse Visa from the Philippines](#). As UK-based spouse visa solicitors, we understand your need for assistance. If you have already applied for a UK spouse visa from the Philippines, then you are in the right place. In this article, we will discuss the UK spouse visa application procedure with you, and we are in a unique position to provide you with the assistance you need.

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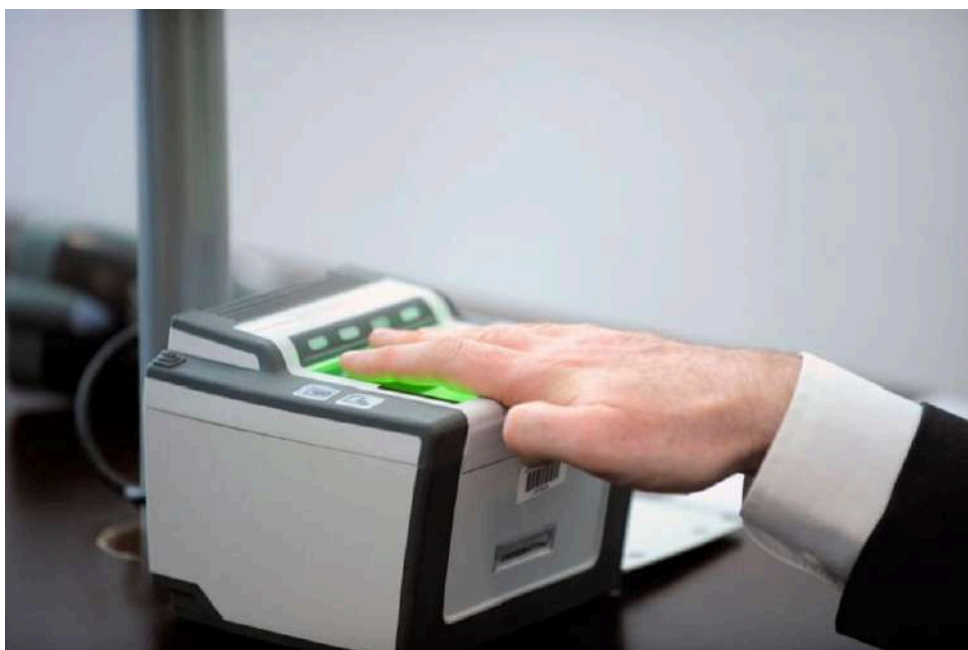
You can apply for a UK spouse to live with your spouse if you are married to a Philippine citizen. Alternatively, they might apply for a spouse visa to accompany you to the UK. For a Filipino native to obtain a spouse visa for the UK, they must be married to:

- A [British nationality](#); or
- A person with a visa that allows them to stay in the country indefinitely or
- A person with settled status or permanent residency in the country.
- The duration of the UK spouse visa is thirty-three months or two and a half years if you apply from the Philippines.



The duration of the UK spouse visa is two and a half years or thirty-three months if you apply for a UK Spouse Visa from the Philippines. After visiting the country, you can ask to extend your spouse's visa to ask for [indefinite leave to remain there after five years](#) of residency. For many Filipino spouses, getting their UK spouse visa is the first step towards settling in the UK.

## **The Application Process for a UK Spouse Visa from the Philippines:**



Suppose you are interested in [applying for a UK Spouse Visa from Philippines](#). In that case, you can ask a UK spouse visa solicitor to prepare the application on your behalf, or your spouse, a UK resident, can give the solicitor instructions. After completing the online application, could you send it to [UK Visas and Immigration](#)?

Documentation is required to support an application for a spouse visa to the UK. You can submit the necessary documentation by scheduling an appointment at a visa centre in the Philippines. Your biometric data (picture and fingerprints) will be collected at the visit.

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## Eligibility to Apply for UK Spouse Visa from Philippines:



The eligibility conditions are essentially the same whether you are applying for a UK spouse visa from the Philippines, [India](#), the United States, or any other non-EU nation.

**If you want to get a spouse visa for the UK from the Philippines, you must:**

- You have a British citizen for a husband, wife, or civil partner who has settled status or permanent residence in the UK;
- Both of you are older than eighteen;
- You have a genuine connection with your spouse and plan to move in with them permanently once you arrive in the UK;

- Your marriage certificate serves as proof that you are legally married or in a [civil partnership](#);
- You have met your spouse (you don't merely communicate via Skype or the internet);
- In case you or your spouse were in a previous marriage or civil partnership, the relationship has been formally dissolved, and you may provide documentation to support this;
- In the UK, you'll have enough accommodation for you and your dependents;
- A test certificate for tuberculosis has been issued to you by a Philippine clinic certified by the Home Office. The test certificate has a six-month expiration date.
- You can communicate in and comprehend English (you will need to demonstrate this by taking and passing the English language test or by completing the necessary coursework to avoid taking the test);
- You meet the financial requirements for a UK spouse visa and can support yourself in the country without using public funds.

## **Refusal Application for UK Spouse Visa From a Filipino Applicant:**

Getting legal guidance from a [UK spouse visa lawyer](#) is the best course to take if your application for a UK spouse visa from the Philippines is denied. They will examine your legal options, including filing an appeal against the UK spouse visa denial.

You can file a Human Rights-based appeal with the UK's First-tier Tribunal (Immigration and Asylum Chamber) if your application for a UK spouse visa is denied. If the Home Office has rejected your spouse's visa, you have a certain amount of time to file the appeal, so you should move swiftly.

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### **Conclusion:**

According to top spouse visa attorneys, the easiest way to get a UK spousal visa is to [hire a specialist in spouse visa applications](#) to prepare your application and advise you on the precise supporting documents you need to submit.

At [My Legal Services](#), located in London, we understand that, whether you are based in the UK and your spouse is in the Philippines, we know how difficult it may be to pick up the phone and ask a question regarding your UK spouse visa application.

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