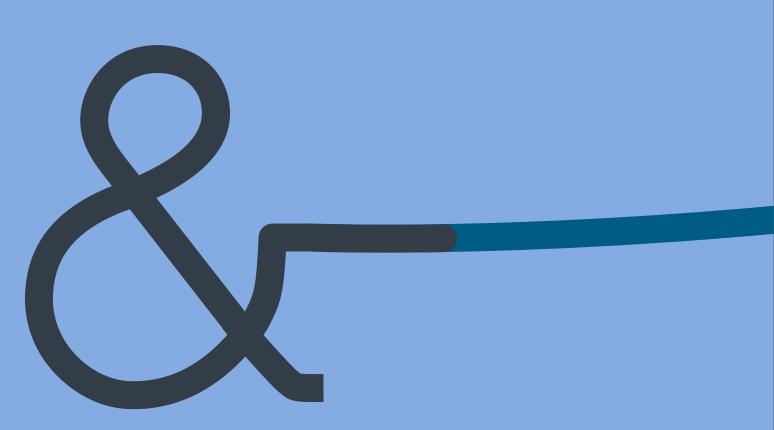
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Czech Republic





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The following information is for **newly arrived Ukrainian citizens** in the Czech Republic. It is not intended for foreigners who are employed in the Czech Republic or have any residence status in the Czech Republic.

- Ukrainian citizens can arrive in the Czech Republic within the visa-free scheme (that applies to stays for up to 90 days) provided that they have a valid biometric passport. Individuals without a biometric passport should consult the Ministry of Interior – see <u>Important Contacts</u> below.
- The COVID-19 epidemiological measures for entry in the Czech Republic do not apply.
- Within 3 working days after the arrival, the foreign citizen's **place of residence must be reported** to the Police of the Czech Republic (unless this is ensured by the accommodation provider) further details (including the registration form) are available <u>here</u>.
- Subsequently, a special long-term residence visa application should be submitted to the Czech Ministry of Interior – please see further details below.
- Applying for asylum is not required at this time.
- Further information on health insurance and the provision of healthcare services is available here.
- If a Ukrainian citizen arriving in the Czech Republic does not have any form of support here and needs any assistance, they can contact the hotline of the Czech Ministry of Interior that will provide necessary assistance: +420 974 801 802.
- Alternatively, it is possible to arrive at the Czech Registration Humanitarian Centre in Vyšní Lhoty 234, Postal Code 739 51.

Application for Special Long-Term Residence Visa

- Personal attendance is required.
- The list of all regional and local departments (OAMP) of the Czech Ministry of Interior where the application may be submitted (including their opening hours) is available <u>here</u>.
- The application form is available here.

Important Contacts

Hotline of the Ministry of Interior: +420 974 801 802

Website: www.mvcr.cz/ukrajina (version in Ukrainian)

Please note that this is not comprehensive legal advice on Czech immigration law.

For specific queries or further assistance, please consult our Bird & Bird Prague team at: <u>Prague Immigration@twobirds.com</u>.