

Information on the validity period of documents

We inform our clients that, due to the epidemiological situation, the validity period of the residence documents, residence permits and immigration authorisation documents - with the exception of the short-term entry visa and the visa documents authorising the receipt of the residence permit, shall be automatically extended until the 45th day after the end of the emergency.

The above rules are in force for the following documents expired or valid until **12 pm, 6 April 2020:**

- Permanent residence card
- Residence card for Hungarian citizen's family member
- Residence card for EEA national
- Residence permit
- Immigration permit
- Settlement permit
- Temporary Settlement Permit
- EC Settlement Permit
- National Settlement Permit

This does not apply to documents having expired before!

Please note that the extension of the documents concerned (or the expiry of the residence permit) should be extended 30 days before the expiration. Therefore, extension requests shall be submitted 15 days after the end of the emergency.

Please do not currently submit an application for an extension of these documents.

Important!



Current residence permits shall be valid only for purposes stipulated in the document and if the conditions of residence remain unchanged, the period of validity of the document shall be automatically extended.

If conditions of residence permit have changed (e.g. employer changes, job changes or, for example, the applicant was previously a student but (s)he would like to work now) it is necessary to apply for a new residence permit or apply for an extension of a valid residence permit.

Please note that the absence of statutory conditions of residence will continue to result in the withdrawal of the right to stay.

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