

# Information for holders of an entry visa

You have been granted an entry visa. Please read the information below carefully.

## What you must do after entering Norway

You must report to the police within one week after entry to Norway, either:

- to apply for a residence permit, or
- to notify the police of your entry into Norway, if such an application has already been submitted.

## If you will submit your application in Norway

If you have not applied for a residence permit from abroad, you must do so when you arrive in Norway. It is important that you apply online for a residence permit within one week of entering Norway, and that you book the first available appointment to hand in your documents.

Information about the required documentation to apply for a residence permit is available on the UDI website. Make sure to bring any original documents you need for your application with you from your home country.

## Important rules and limitations

- You are allowed to stay in Norway while your application for a residence permit is being processed by the UDI.
- The granting of an entry visa does not in itself mean that your application for a residence permit will be granted.
- You must notify the police of any change of address before a residence permit has been granted.
- Your travel expenses to Norway will not be covered.

## Can I work and travel?

- The D-visa does not give you the right to work. You may not work in Norway unless you have been granted a residence permit.
- After the 30-day period indicated on the visa sticker, you may not travel to other Schengen countries unless you have been granted a residence permit and have received a residence card.

## What rights do I have?

- You are not entitled to public benefits before a residence permit has been granted.
- For those applying for family immigration: You are not entitled to Norwegian language training before a residence permit has been granted, if applicable.
  - Note that the right to Norwegian language training does not apply to family members of skilled workers and posted workers.