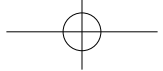


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**Hope the information given in this**  
**handbook is helpful to you.**





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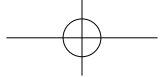
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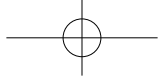
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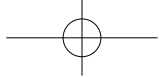
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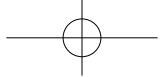
As the number of marriages with foreigners increased, international marriages have become a main social issue in Taiwan. Here we provide our citizens and foreign spouses with such information to help them establishing a right concept of international marriages and to provide them information such as Taiwan living environment, cultures and customs, and related immigration law and regulations.

### ■Living in A Multi-national Family■

New Immigrants may not understand the Chinese traditional custom and culture, when they just got married to a Taiwanese. Therefore, as one of the family members of new immigrants, he/she should learn and know how to communicate with each others, as well as respecting each others culture. By managing his/her family sincerely, the interactions between his/her and his/her family will become smoothly and happily, in addition, it can add a lot of different exotic delights to his/her daily life, too.

### ■Adjusting Each Others Living Style■

There is a joke about a husband who did not squeeze toothpaste from the end of tube, and his wife was so angry that she almost divorced her husband. This example seemed to be exaggerated, but think about even siblings grow up in the same family have different characteristics and habits, not to mention the couples who came from different countries, families and environments. Husband and wife tend to fight or quarrel over living habits which seems to be minor things in daily life. For example, one of them throw dirty laundry around, leave trashes on the table after meals, and considers only his/her own convenience when using the toilet, while another one likes shopping, nagging and cleanliness. These different hobbies and habits would cause them to have difficulties in getting along with each others. However, things such as paying respect to each other, accommodating each other, adopting rational communication, accepting the fact that that



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no one is perfect; and appreciating the good sides of the other party at the same time, will contribute very much to the integration of newly married couples in their daily lives.

## ■Looking For Someone to Chat■

When you as a new immigrant just came to Taiwan, you might have hard time adapting to this new environment. You could find other new immigrants who had been here for a period, and talk to them. Through having conversation with them, they would share their experiences with you. Below are the places where you may find other new immigrants:

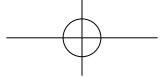
1. Taipei City Nangang New Immigrant Hall (02)2788-4911
2. Taipei City Wanhua New Immigrant Hall (02)2370-1046
3. Taipei City New Immigration Women and Family Service Center (02) 2558-0133
4. Eastern Taipei City(Songshan District, Nangang District, Neihu District)  
Caring Station for New Immigrants (02)2631-7059
5. Western Taipei City(Wanhua District, Zhongzheng District, Datong District)  
Caring Station for New Immigrants (02)2361-6577
6. Southern Taipei City(Wensan District, Daan District, Xinyi District)  
Caring Station for New Immigrants (02)2931-2166
7. Northern Taipei City(Shilin District, Beitou, Zhongshan District)  
Caring Station for New Immigrants (02)2504-0399

## ■Discussing About Family Financial Planning■

A person found financial discrepancy between him/her and his/her spouse soon as he/she gets married. Therefore, all couples should discuss deeply with each other about their financial planning, understand each other's thoughts, and reach a common consensus, especially on the following perspectives:

### 1. Monetary View

Different financial points of view will affect habits of spending money. Money may means very much to someone, while, it may also mean nothing to others. Couples before



married may somehow know each others points of view on money, and ways of spending money. But, after married, they would face money problems in a broader level. Therefore, it is better for them to reach a common consensus on this issue.

## 2. Money for personal usage

Most people think that a couple should share everything after married. However, everyone has his or her own needs. It is advisable to keep some money for personal usage for each person when making the family financial planning.

## 3. Savings & Investment

How much should a couple save or invest? It is better to make the planning ahead. Money is needed in daily life. However, aside from spending money on daily needs, a family should also keep some money for savings and investment, emergencies, and preparation for their future. The couple, of course would have to reach a consensus on where to save money, and how to invest.

## 4. Relatives Lending and borrowing

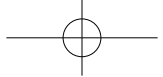
It is possible that the couple comes to a situation that their brothers, sisters, relatives, or friends asking them to lend them money. Or the couple may come to a point that they needs to borrow money from them. The couple should discuss deeply on this issue before they lend money to them or borrow money from them.

## 5. Property Registration and Family Financial Decision Maker

If a couple bought property, the property shall be registered under whose name? Should the one who is in charge of house get some returns? Who is the financial decision maker? Questions like these need to be discussed deeply before marriage to avoid any misunderstanding.

# ■ Combining the Two Families ■

There is a saying, “A marriage not only links up two persons but also two families, a woman not only married to her husband but also married to his family, and the same for man too.” Anyone who has gone through this can deeply feel the meaning of it. Indeed, a marriage does not only include the relationship between husband and wife or parents



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and children. It is also very important to maintain good relationship with both side parents and siblings.

How to get along well with in law, siblings, and relatives are depend on the wisdom of the couples and it has become an indicator of happy marriage.

### 1. Parents-in-law

The issue of getting along with in law has always been heard since ancient times. No matter whose parents they are, the best way to is to accompany them, comfort them, praise them, reassure them, and most importantly respect them. It is helpful if one side of the couple can be the communication bridge between in law and his/her spouse. Today you are marrying to a good husband or a good wife is because you take good care of his/her parents. So, a little more concern, a little more respect to the elders, a little more tolerant, will naturally make "Family Harmony."

Somehow parents always think that their child is the best and nobody can match him/her, therefore they become fastidious on son-in-law or daughter-in-law. When such situation happened, the son/daughter should show flighty to his/her parents, talks to his/her parents and show sincerity so that his/her spouse would not be in a dilemma.

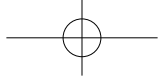
### 2. Husband's/ Wife's siblings

There is a poems means, "If you do not know the eating habits of in law, let the husband's sisters try what you have cooked first." From this poem, it isn't hard to imagine the importance of husband/wife siblings. A new immigrant should treat her husband's siblings as friends, contact them more often. However, if the new immigrant lives with the siblings-in-law, it is important to show courtesy to them to avoid unnecessary troubles. A marriage not only links two people but also two families. It depends on your wisdom to get the two different families to live in harmony.

## ■Managing Family Sustainably■

Many people think that having a happy marriage depends on fate. Passion will fade away. A happy marriage relies on how you manage your family. If you want to be loved, you need to have the determination and desire to love your spouse first.





### 1. Learn to manage

After marriage, the couple has to pay more attention to bring passion back to the dull daily life. As time goes by, love fades gradually. It needs skills to keep continuous motive power of love; simply a bunch of flowers or a little gift can bring new different feeling to a marriage relationship. If you can arrange a special intimate moment every week, such as watching a film, or having tea time together, it will help to maintain a couple's relationship in a better condition. Once a couple has made commitments in their marriage for life, they should have great determination to implement their obligations to maintain their relationship, and also work hard to manage their marriage relationship.

### 2. Sincere Communication creates high quality marriage

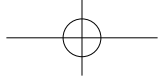
Communication does not limit to words or languages. The meaning of a smile or a hug is worth a thousand words. The mildness, honesty, and non-fortification in marriage are lovely; however, the meanness, toughness, and self-protection are not acceptable. Unless you expose the inter-self inside of you, and let your spouse know about you, you will fear to be discovered and be against forever. It is easy to have quarrels, have indignation, and act a cold war with each other due to poor communication, causing the marriage relationship more and more in alienation.

However, modern couples are busy at works, and phone each other once a day at most. Sometimes, when the husband gets home his wife sleeps already, and he still sleeps while his spouse gets up. How should the couple communicate with each other? Actually, they can leave a little note to each other if they want. When each side of the couple thinks of each other, and he/she feels to want to share something with each other at any time, just let him/her know, it is believed that the husband or wife will definitely know each other's consideration.

The ways of communication are important as well. If a spouse just likes to express his/her emotions only, and ignore the other side feeling, communication effect will be greatly reduced. Try to put your feet on others' shoes to find resolutions, and really reach the goal of overcoming obstacles.

### 3. Build common interests and share common leisure

In addition to sincere communication, having same hobbies will make it easier for a



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couple to get along with each other. For example, a couple who has same hobbies share common topics in their conversation and have common friends. Subsequently, they would spend more times staying with each others, thus increase the level of intimacy and trust between them. In this way, it helps to maintain marriage relationship continuously.

### ■Growing Up With Children■

In an international marriage, new immigrants play an important role in educating their children in the family. In Taipei city, you may bring your children to the main library of The Taipei Public Library and its branches, to make use of public resources to teach your children. These places do not only have many good and practical books but also audio video materials, e-books etc. are available for free of charge. The Taipei Public Library has even set up the Multicultural Information Center where new immigrants can read newspapers, books or magazines or receive any cultural information of their countries.

※Multi-Cultural Information Center of The Main Library

Address: 9th Floor, No.125, Sec.2, Jian-Kuo South Rd., Taipei City (MRT Daan Park Station Exit 5)

Tel: (02) 2755-2823 ext. 2900

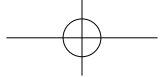
For more relevant information, kindly refer to The Taipei Public Library website (<http://www.tpml.edu.tw>)

### ■Saving Money■

You can choose either a bank or a post office to deposit your money. Most financial institutions provide savings accounts services, and long business hours. A savings account allows you to save or withdraw money with ease at any location. You can also apply for an ATM card to withdraw or transfer money at any automatic teller machine.

◎Documents required for opening Personal Saving Account:

The National Taiwan ID card (passport, ARC card), second ID (such as health insurance card), and personal stamp.



Reminder: Passbooks and personal stamp should be kept separately, and also avoid using birthday, personal ID number as your passwords to avoid unnecessary troubles.

## ■Taiwanese Cuisine■

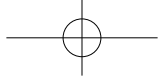
Cultures of many different places from south to north of China gathered here in Taiwan, Taiwanese cuisines are globally famous. To live in this place, you should also know the eating habits of this place. We would like to introduce you some common local Taiwanese breakfast and we hope that you can try them out too!

- ◎ Taiwanese usually take below for breakfast: clay oven rolls with fried bread stick, soy bean milk, sandwiches, and traditional Taiwanese congee with pickles.
- ◎ Taiwan local food: tempura (fish cakes), dingpenchua (pot-edged pancake soup), oyster omelet, pork pottage, yam cake, swordfish pottage, and pork pottage, braised eel, sausage, creamy crab, sweet or salty dumpling soup, Tainan noodle soup, rice cake, knife-slice noodle soup, liver soup, stir-fried squid, wonton with chili oil, drinks with tapioca, stinky tofu, black jelly drinks, white jelly drinks.

## ■Cooking■

It is very convenient to do grocery shopping in Taiwan. Besides traditional markets, supermarkets or hyper markets are the places that you can do your grocery. While traditional markets usually open until noon, supermarkets and hyper markets open almost 24 hours a day. Vendors at a traditional market usually weighing your selections of vegetables or meats in kati (measure of weight). One kati is equivalent to 600grams. However, the supermarkets and hyper markets usually weigh goods in kilogram or gram. Remember to bring shopping bags along when you do grocery, not only to save money and also to protect the environment.

Although food culture in Taiwan is diversified, but generally the dishes taste rather light. The new immigrants may cook their countries dishes by adjusting the amount of condiments and spice added. By doing this, their family members can enjoy the genuine exotic cuisines.



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## 【Have a Care-free Pregnancy Program】 by Taipei City Government

In order to encourage more citizens to have more babies, Taipei City Government had combined the resources of each bureau (combined civil, social, educational, career, medical and other system resources) to launch 【Have a Care-free Pregnancy Program】. This program contains multiple reward measures, such as giving incentive as much as NT\$20,000 for giving birth to a baby, children allowance of NT\$2,500 per month for each child under age 5, hoping to reduce the burdens of young couples, and to become young couples' firmest support.

### ■NT\$20,000 childbirth subsidy to Taipei City citizens■

Taipei City Government provides NT\$20,000 as an incentive for mothers who give birth to a baby. The application can be made at the time when the new born baby is being registered at the household registration office. After applying, the application will be sent for assessment. Once qualified, the incentive of NT\$20,000 will be credited to the account of baby's mother.

※Qualification required: Either one of the parents has his or her household registered in Taipei City for at least one year continuously before the date infant is born. The application must be made within 60 days after the birth of the infant at the household registration office at where he registered, and the right for applying would be forfeited if overdue.

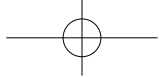
※Duration of Residence: The duration of residence counts from the first day when father or mother of the baby resides in Taipei City until the day when the child is born.

※Effective Date: From January 1, 2011

※“Newborn Baby”counters are established in all household registration centers in Taipei City from April, 2012, birth registration, application of incentive program, and children allowance can be done in this counter as well.

※Documents Required:

1. Apply Personally: Applicant's identification card, personal stamp (or signature) and the photocopy of infant's mother saving passbook.



2. Entrust others to apply: the trustee identification card, personal stamp (or signature) and letter of entrustment, and the photocopy of infant's mother saving passbook.

※Contact of Department of Civil Affairs: 1999 ext. 6269

## ■NT\$2,500 children allowance for child under aged 5■

The Taipei City Government launched the Children Allowance Program from January 1, 2011 to the parents who has children under the age of 5, and has household registration in Taipei City and has been living in Taipei City for at least a year, and family declared income tax rate is less than 20% as assessed by Tax Department and do not receive any other government subsidies. The qualified applicants will get NT\$2,500 allowance per month before reaching the age of 5. Department of Social Welfare has expected that a child, who is born on 2011/01/01, provided that his economic and household status unchanged, he/she can receive a total amount of NT\$30,000 each year, and the total of NT\$150,000 in five years.

※ Qualification Required: Applicants should be parents or legal guardian of the child.

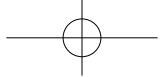
And parents or legal guardian should have the qualifications stated below:

1. He/She must be the person who actually takes care of the child under age of 5.
2. The child's and his/her parents' or legal guardian's household are registered in Taipei and has lived in Taipei City for at least one year (see the details attached)
3. Tax Department has already assessed the child's family general income tax rate for last year is less than 20%. The same applies to the legal guardian who declare the applicant is a dependent of the taxpayer
4. The child is not being governmentally arranged or settled by Department of Social Welfare.
5. The child has not received low-income household subsidy, living subsidy for children and juveniles in families in economic crisis, or other living subsidies.

Remarks:

1. The period of household registration counts from the day the parents or child register in Taipei City, till the date when the children allowance application is made.
2. Qualification No. 2 mentioned above does not applied to the following child:

(1) The child is under one year old, and his/her initial household registration and birth



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registration is in Taipei City, with no record of moving out.

- (2) The child has done adoption registration for less than one year, and its household registration remains in Taipei City
- (3) If father/mother of the child is a person who is a Taiwan citizen and do not have household registration, a foreigner, or a citizen from Mainland China.

※ Application: The qualified applicants must enclose application form, a copy of applicant's identity card, and a copy of Household Registration Certificate, photocopy of the front cover of post office saving account passbook or Taipei Fubon Bank saving account passbook. This application can be made either by postal mail or by applying personally at the Social Affair Section of the District Office of the district.

※ Checking the progress of the application: After the application is made, applicants could check the progress of applications at Social Welfare website (<http://www.dosw.gov.taipei>)

※ Effective Date: From 2011/01/01

※ For telephone Enquiries, contact:

1. The Social Affair Section of District Office (at where the child register household)
2. Department of Social Affair: 1999 ext. 1622 – 1625

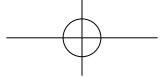
## ■ Creating friendly child care environment ■

Friendly childcare center is established by combining the resources of public and private kindergartens/nursery, social welfare institutions, and Civilian organizations. The center provides parents and kindergartens teachers many different kinds of activities and services, such as toy library, parenting forums, children development screening test, holiday activities, story-sharing group, and DIY workshops and etc.

The services providing by friendly child care center are diversified. There are various facilities and many different kinds of programs and courses for children and parents or kindergarten teachers. Children can obtain new experiences via touching new things, while the parents or kindergartens teachers are able to take break, and exchange experiences and information with others.

※ Contact of Department of Social Welfare: 1999 ext. 1622 -1625

※ Enquiry about Activities:



Department of Social Welfare ( <http://www.dosw.gov.taipei/> )

Taipei City Child Care Resource Center ([http:// kids.taipei](http://kids.taipei/) )

Parent-Child Center ( <https://parent-child.taipei/> )

※ Effective Date: From 2010, October.

## ■Preschool children studying allowance for children aged 4 or over■

Nowadays, parents need to spend a lot on children education fees, and it has become a burden to them. In order to increase birth rate, create friendly child care environment, and also lessen the economic burden of parents, Taipei City Government specially intergrates central resources, granting preschool children studying subsidy not only to preschool children aged 5 or over, but also to preschool children that reach the age of 4.

Started from September 2010, Taipei City Government provides school fee subsidy to preschool children aged 5 or over that household registry in Taipei City and fulfill requirement of “preschool children school fee subsidy”, studying in the kindergartens senior class (the child must turn age of 5on 1st September on the year enrolling into the kindergarten).The “Subsidize aged 5 preschool children school Fee”plan, in 2017school calendar year, subsidize NT\$12,543 per semester to public kindergarten children, and NT\$17,543 to private kindergarten children. Application is done via kindergarten assistance (the amount of subsidy will be announced yearly).

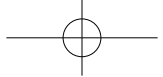
Started from 2016 school calendar year, the subsidy of NT\$2,543/semester is given to preschool children aged 4 or over that are studying in the private kindergarten, and have household registration in Taipei City. Application is done via kindergarten assistance.

※Contact of Department of Education: 1999 ext. 1088, 6387 or 6389

※Implementation Period for preschool children:

Effective date for children aged 5: started from September 2010

Effective date for children aged 4: started from 2016 school calendar year



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## ■After-school Child Care up to 7:00pm for elementary school, and up to 6:30pm for public kindergartens■

The Department of Education of Taipei City Government has extended the after-school child care services (including 141 elementary schools and 148 public kindergartens), since September 2010. In order to meet the needs of double-income family, the school administrators established after-school childcare and are being carried out by teachers and related school staff. The Taipei City Government will give subsidies to the related personnel.

Most private kindergartens in the city provide temporary child care services with charges if the parents are unable to take care of their children in emergency case, or any other reasons,

※Contacts of Department of Education:

The Elementary Education Division 1999 ext. 6373

The Kindergarten Education Division: 1999 ext. 6383

※Effective Date: From September, 2010

## ■The after-married and pre-natal health diagnosis, and the maternal Down's Syndrome screening test will be widely implemented■

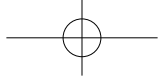
In order to encourage young couples to prepare for pregnancy, and help the couples to deliver healthy babies, the Department of Health has been implementing the after-married and pre-natal health diagnosis and maternal Down's syndrome screening test for free, and the quota of the free tests is unlimited from January 1, 2011.

1. Target and amount of subsidy:

- (1) Pregnant women having the first baby whose household registration or their spouses' or new immigrants spouse's household registration is in Taipei City.
- (2) The subsidy of NT\$655 for male, and NT\$1,595 for female per case. (Not including medical registration fee and examination fee)

2. Required qualification and amount subsidize for maternal serum screening for Down syndrome (MSS-DS) (only subsidize early stage or intermediate stage):





- (1) Those pregnant women, or new immigrants, whose household registration or their spouses' household registration are in Taipei City.
- (2) The subsidy of NT\$2,200 for the early stage, NT\$1,000 for the intermediate stage of pregnancy, for the pregnant women (including new immigrants). They may decide which stage to take the screening test. (Not including medical registration fee and examination fee)

※How to apply for the subsidy: Pregnant women who bring personal identity card(new immigrants must bring along Alien Registration Card/passport and personal identity card of his/her spouse)to specified medical institutions for registration and check-up are entitled to check-up subsidy (exclude registration fee and check-up fee) . No application is required.

※ Contact of Department of Health: 2720-8889 ext.1834

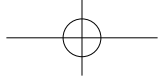
※ The list of hospitals and clinics specially engaged for this program can be found on the website of Department of Health, Taipei City: "Have A Care-Free Pregnancy Project" area.

## ■Encourage enterprises to set up or take measure to set up breastfeeding (collecting)rooms and child care facilities■

Those business enterprises which set up breastfeeding (collecting) rooms, child care facilities or provide child care facilities can apply directly for subsidies at Department of Labor or Ministry of Labor or via the department of labor to the Ministry of Labor. By giving such subsidies to encourage the employer to set up breastfeeding (collecting) rooms and child care facilities, the government hopes to reduce the burden of employees on nursery expenses, and establish a friendly working environment in the enterprises.

※Qualification required: Enterprises that registered in Taipei City, set up breastfeeding (collecting) rooms and child care facilities or enterprises that provide child care facilities.

※Amount of Subsidy : The employer that established child care facilities would be subsidized maximum up to NT\$300,000 (Ministry of Labor subsidize maximum up to NT\$2,000,000) and employer that renovated or improved facility would be



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subsidized maximum up to NT\$100,000 (Ministry of Labor subsidize maximum up to NT\$500,000), and employer that provide child care facility would be subsidize maximum up to NT\$50,000 (Ministry of Labor subsidize maximum up to NT\$600,000). Employer that set up breastfeeding (collecting)rooms would be subsidize maximum up to NT\$10,000(Ministry of Labor subsidize maximum up to NT\$20,000)

※Period of application: Department of Labor accept the application from March to May every year, while Department of Labor accept the application twice a year, the first period is from 1st Jan to 28th of February (or 29th of February), and the second period is from 1st of September to 20th September (according to the announcement made each year).

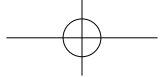
※Contact of Department of Labor : 1999 ext. 7010

Expecting that pocket-sized child care model is more acceptable for enterprises in fulfilling their employees' needs in child care, and in developing a friendly child care environment, the Department of Social Welfare of Taipei City Government is launching "Community Public Child Care Center "plan. Under this plan, 3 babysitters will be responsible for 10 babies or children under aged 2. The employer that has will to set up child care facility for their employees can find a space at their office or a place near to their office, and the child care center must not be set up above 3rd floor and its size must be above 93-meter square. The Taipei City government can provide necessary professional advice and subsidize the relevant expenses.

※Qualification required: Enterprise, institution, organizations, schools registered at Taipei City, deciding the place, managing the child care by its own or entrust the professional groups or public interest incorporated association.

※Amount of subsidy: Subsidize NT\$600,000 setting up fee once, and starting from the 2nd year, would subsidize maximum up to NT\$50,000 for its facilities and equipment. And if accept enrolment of children living nearby as approved by Department of Social Welfare, the Department of Social Welfare would subsidize up to 50 percent, the most, of its operating cost, in principle. The application of such relevant subsidy must be made at Ministry of Labor or Department of Labor.

※Contact of Department of Social Welfare: 1999 ext. 1940

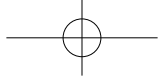


**■ Establish distinctive parent-child center, offer parents and children a safe playground and also provide parenting resources ■**

Taipei City established distinctive parent-child centers in 12 administrative districts. Currently there are 13 parent-child centers providing parents and children below aged 6 a safe playground to play together, and offering parenting resources for free. The parent-child center has planning games for children according to the children development, conducting nursing children seminars and parenting education seminars, parent-child activities, and parent-child theater, outdoor activities etc.. Parents or guardians are welcomed to bring their children along so that their children can enjoy playing with other children and at the same time the parents or guardians can also enjoying playing with their children as well.

**List of Parent-Child Centers in Taipei City**

Center	Address	Telephone No.
Taipei City 131 FUN Parent-Child Center	No.131, Sanyuan St., Zhongzheng Dist., Taipei City	02-23326131
Shongshan Parent-Child Center	3F., No.163-1, Sec. 5, Minsheng E. Rd., Songshan Dist., Taipei City	02-27486008
Zhongshan Parent-Child Center	No.1, Yumen St., Zhongshan Dist., Taipei City (Taipei Expo Park)	02-25980657
Beitou Parent-Child Center	No.22, Guangming Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei City	02-28983217
Datong Parent-Child Center	No.2-16, Liangzhou St., Datong Dist., Taipei City	02-25571403
Wenshan Parent-Child Center	2F., No.177, Sec. 1, Muzha Rd., Wenshan Dist., Taipei City	02-22365186
Shilin Parent Child Center	No.130, Jihe Rd., Shilin Dist., Taipei City	02-28830262



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Neihu Parent Child-Center	2F., No.659,Sec., NeihuRd., NeihuDist., Taipei City, Taiwan (MRT Gangqian Station)	02-77097990
Wanhua Parent Child-Center	2F., No.199, Shuiyuan Rd., Wanhua Dist., Taipei City	02-23047468
Nangang Parent Child-Center	1、2F., No.768-1, Sec. 4, Bade Rd., Nangang Dist., Taipei City	02-26533310
Daan Parent Child-Center	1-3F., No.10, Lane 246, Yanji St., Da'an Dist., Taipei City	02-23254399
Xinyi Parent Child-Center	No.50, Songqin St., Xinyi Dist., Taipei City	02-27202555
Zhongzhen Parent-Child Center	3F., No.17, Sec. 1, Ren'ai Rd., Zhongzheng Dist., Taipei City	02-23511712
Taipei City Used Baby goods Exchange Center	3F., No.108, Sec. 1, Zhongxiao E. Rd., Zhongzheng Dist., Taipei City	02-23915587

※For activities refer to following websites:

Department of Social Welfare ( <http://www.dosw.gov.taipei/> )

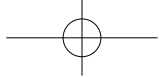
Taipei City Child Care Resource Center ( <https://kids.taipei/> )

Taipei City Parent -Child Center ( <https://parent-child.taipei/> )

Taipei Parent Child Fb Fans page (<http://www.facebook.com/taipei.parent.child>)

## ■Taipei friendly child care subsidy■

In order to help parents in Taipei city to reduce burden on child care expenses, Taipei City Government additionally launched a subsidy called “friendly child care subsidy” started from 2016. For parents that sent children under aged 2 to the babysitter or private child care center registered in Taipei City, they will not only receive family under employment child care subsidy of NTD\$2,000 to NTD\$3,000 from Ministry of Health and Welfare, and children allowance of NTD\$2,500 from Taipei City Government every month, they will also get additional family under employment child care subsidy from Taipei City Government, amounted NTD\$2,000 to NTD\$3,000. In total, the parents would get up to NTD\$8,500 subsidies per month. The private child care center must pass the most recent evaluation test, and its fees must not above the amount announced



by Department of Social Welfare. While the home babysitter must obtain the registered certificate from Taipei City Government and the home babysitter must babysit at least one infant that is not the child of her/his siblings, and its fees must not above the amount announced by Department of Social Welfare.

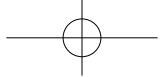
※Contact of Department of Social Welfare : 1999#1622~1625

※Consult following website for activities:

Friendly Child care Subsidy: <http://www.dosw.gov.taipei> (route : the front page of Department of Social Welfare of Taipei City Government/baby or child care service/friendly child care subsidy)

Taipei City Child Care Finding Service: <http://findchildcare.taipei>

※Effective Date : From Jan 2016



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### ■ Job information from the government ■

#### 1. Required Qualification:

- (1) Foreign Spouse: Foreign spouse who have ARC (Alien Registration Card) are allowed to work legally.
- (2) Spouse from mainland China: The spouse from Mainland China with Taiwan Area Resident Card or Permanent Resident Card is eligible to work legally during the period of stay. They are not required to have identification card or a working permit to work. They have the same labor rights as other labors in Taiwan.

#### 2. Channels of looking for jobs:

- (1) Call the Employment Services Hotline. The consultants will help you to register and search for job opportunities.

Employment Services Hotline (foreign spouse): (02)2308-5231ext. 716

Employment Services Hotline (spouse from mainland China): (02) 2308-5231ext.703

- (2) For more employment information, browse the Employment Service Center website “OKWORK. GOV” <http://www.okwork.gov.tw>.

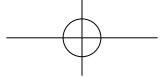
#### 3. Visit Taipei City Employment Service Offices or related Employment Stations personally for more job opportunities.

Documents required for registrations:

- (1) Job Application Form
- (2) Photocopy of Alien Registration Card (both front and back side)

#### 4. Ministry of Labor 24hours toll free hotline 0800-777-888

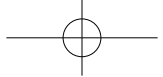
#### 5. For more job opportunities, browse ‘Taiwan Job’ website: <http://www.taiwanjobs.gov.tw>



## ■ Services provides by Department of Labor of Taipei City Government ■

### 1. Employment Counseling:

- ◎ Counter services: If you need to find a job, and is being unemployed, you can register for job at the Employment Services Office or Employment Service Stations near your area. We will try our best to serve you
- ◎ Digital employment services: The integration of telephone services and OKWORK website, and the assistance of telephone operators and job cultivation personnel, would enable the job seekers to obtain their jobs smoothly. Besides, cultivation personnel will take initiative to contact enterprises/organizations to seek for more job opportunities.
- ◎ Individual management services: Through individual management, we provide professional, one-to-one and in-depth employment services. We emphasized on the job seeker's individual needs and provide them job counseling, job orientation tests, employment seminars, employment training consultation and other services tailored to the needs of each individual.
- ◎ Job Counseling: If you are willing to work but do not have required skills, our counselors will help you identify employment issues through job counseling and interviews. Basic employment information, training information will be provided and suitable job training courses will be recommended.
- ◎ Job promotion seminars: The counselors will help you to understand work policies, the current status of workplaces, channels of employment, and skills for the interview in Taiwan to enhance the skills for employment and master the latest trend of employment.
- ◎ Application for subsidies for loan interest for business start-ups: When you receive an ID card, which means you obtain the Taiwan citizenship, you can apply loans for starting your own business if you fulfill the requirement. For further details, please contact the employment Service Offices and Stations.
- ◎ Temporary job subsidies: If you are unemployed, you may go to the Employment Service Centers of Department of Labor, Taipei City Government to register for employment. Moreover, if you cannot find an applicable job after 2 general jobs



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are being recommended in 14 days, and are evaluated by the Office that there is no any applicable job for you, then you will be allowed to apply for “temporary job subsidies”. In principle, the standard subsidy for temporary job is based on the minimum salary per hour announced by central government, and the maximum hour of allowance is 176 hours each month. The maximum period of time for subsidy is 6 months only.

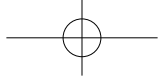
- ◎ Employers award subsidies: If you go to an Employment Service Office of Taipei City to apply for a job (if you are unemployed for over 3 months continuously or are classified to be a mentally handicapped or physically handicapped, and unemployed for 30 days or above) and you are evaluated as not able to be introduced to any organizations for employment, a recommendation card can be issued with the stamped statement of “Eligible to apply for employment reward subsidies”. The employer who employed you may apply for employment reward subsidy.

The employer must first register at the Employment Service Office, and employ foreign spouses and mainland China spouses who have been unemployed for 30 consecutive days with the recommendation from the Office.

Once the foreign spouses or the Mainland China Spouses are hired up to 30 days, the employer will be eligible to apply for “employment reward subsidies”. The subsidies of NT\$10,000 will be granted to the employer in accordance with the numbers of labors being employed. The maximum period of time for subsidy is 12 months only.

- ◎ Participation in multiple employment development programs: You are eligible to register for participating in social and economic multiple employment development programs when you are unemployed. In principle, the standard subsidy for the multiple employment development programs is based on the minimum salary per hour announced by central government, with the maximum of 176 hours per month. The maximum period of time of subsidy is limited to 12 months.)
- ◎ Children study subsidy for unemployed worker: If you are married to a person whose household registration is in Taipei, and is residing and working in Taiwan legally, plus you are unemployed involuntarily for over 6 months, and your total family income is under NT\$1,480,000 and have children who is studying in the high school or colleges, you are qualified to apply for children study subsidy amounts from NT\$5,000 to





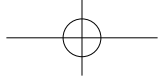
NT\$26,000.

- ◎ The application for subsidy to help particular unemployed person to have stable employment by Taipei City:

New immigrants with Alien Registration card, legal working permit who fulfill following requirements are qualified to apply for the subsidy of NT\$5,000 per month for the maximum period of 6 months if: 1. The job is found thru the recommendation of Employment service office or employment service stations, 2. Labor insurance salary per month is lower than the standard amount announced by the employment office services of that year, and 3. Continue to work in the same company for more than a month.

## 2. Vocational Training Services:

- ◎ Requirements for new immigrants to participate: For foreign spouse and mainland China spouse who are being unemployed and yet have identification card, regardless of sex, and is able to listen, speak and write Chinese, and fulfill the rule of participating requirements, are eligible to enroll the training.
- ◎ Implementation of vocational training programs: Various vocational training programs are conducted to meet the job market demands every year. These trainings, including information services, communication and media, industrial technicians, other kinds of training on services industry, and other outsourced vocational training, etc.
- ◎ Living Subsidy during Vocational Training: The government would fully subsidize the training fees for new immigrants who have obtained ARC or working permit, and is taking part in the vocational training programs implemented by government. As for those spouse from foreigners and Mainland China who have fulfilled the requirements could apply for living subsidy during vocational training. Moreover, the immigrants who have obtained identification cards, and fulfilled the requirements, would be fully subsidized, including the fees of training programs and living subsidy.
- ◎ Caregiving Subsidies for trainees attending the vocational training: (For those who attend the vocational training and match the following qualifications):
  - Citizens and new immigrants (foreign spouses and Spouses from Mainland China) who have resided with household registration in Taipei City for one year or more.

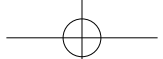


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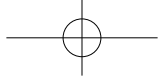
- Low-income families or those with general income tax rate of last year not reaching the tax declaration standard or below 20% tax rate. The taxpayer has applied himself or herself as the child's dependent, who has the taxation qualification as stated above.
- The spouse of the applicant owns a Certificate of Disability or any certificate, or catastrophic illness card (over 45 years old), or there are one of the following family members that the spouse of the applicant cannot take care of :
  - (1) Any lineal relatives who are below 12 years old
  - (2) Any lineal relatives (above 65 years old) of the applicant or the spouse
- The fact that the above members need care services provided by Care institutions or Care specialists.
- ◎ Certification of Technical Skills: The service of reading (by recording) the question of the theory test in Mandarin Chinese is provided for new immigrants who take the official certification of technical skills grade c (Single 1) test for the categories such as “Chinese cuisine”, “Beauty service”, “Woman hairdressing”, “Baked goods -cakes”, Baked goods -bread”, “Babysitter”, and “Medical care personnel and etc.

### ■ List of Employment Service Centers of Taipei City ■

Station	Address	Telephone No.
Bangka Employment Service Station	3rd Floor, No.101, Bangka Boulevard, Wanhua District, Taipei City(MRT Longshan Temple Station, Exit 2)	(02)2308-5231
Beitou Employment Station	5F, No. 30, Xinshi St., Beitou District, Taipei City (near MRT Beitou Station/Beitou Administrative Building)	(02)2898-1819
Simen Employment Station	No. 81, Emei St., Wanhua District, Taipei City (near Ximen Station Exit6/1st floor Emei Parking Lot)	(02)2381-3344
Xinyi Employment Station	11F., No.15, Sec. 5, Xinyi Rd., Xinyi Dist., Taipei City 11049, Taiwan (R.O.C.) (near MRT Xiangshan Station Exit1/Xinyi District Administration Building)	(02)2729-3138



Jingmei Employment Station	2F, No. 393, Sec. 6, Roosevelt Rd., Wenshan District, Taipei City ( near MRT Jingmei Station Exit 1/Jingxing Administrative Building)	(02)8931-5334
Dinghao Employment Station	No.77,Sec.1,DaanRd.,DaanDistrict,TaipeiCity No.1EastMetroMall (MRT ZhonghsiaoFusing Station)	(02)2740-0922
Neihu Employment Station	7F, No. 99, Sec. 6, Minquan E. Rd., Neihu District, Taipei City (Neihu Administrative Building)	(02)2790-0399
Personal Case Management Resources Station	3F, No. 393 Roosevelt Rd., Sec. 6, Wenshan District, Taipei City (MRT Jinmei Station Exit 1/Jingxing Administrative Building)	(02)2930-2696
OKWork	2F, No.287, Chengde RD., Sec.3, Datong District, Taipei City (near MRT Yuanshan Station Exit2)	(02)2595-1808
Taipei Employment Station Center	1st Floor,No.3, Beiping West Rd., Taipei City, West South Area, Employment Service (near MRT Taipei Station/ Taipei Main Station)	(02)2381-1278
Wanhua Employment Service Counter	3F., No.251, Sec. 3, Heping W. Rd., Wanhua Dist., Taipei City (near MRT Longshan Temple Exit 1)	(02)2308-0236
Neihu Technology Park Service Counter	1F, No. 9, Sec. 6 Minchuan East Rd., Taipei City (near MRT Gangqian Station In Neihu Sport Center)	(02)2792-9476
Nangang Software Park Service Counter	1F, No. 3, Yuanchu St., Nangang District, Taipei City (near MRT Nangang Software Park Building Service Center)	(02)2652-1322



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### ■ Courses of Daily Life Counseling ■

Language is one of channels of communication. In Taipei city, you can attend various training classes and living camps for new immigrants organized by Taipei City government or private organizations. Apart from teaching Chinese language, these classes also provide useful living skills and knowledge such as Taiwanese snacks, cultures and folk traditions, prenatal care and employment advice etc. Besides, most of these classes are free of charge.

Furthermore, in order to make the cross-nation family members know better about the new immigrant's birth country and its cultures, the Department of Civil Affairs of Taipei City Government holds various language classes including Vietnamese, Indonesian and Thai. These classes aim at promoting mutual respect and understanding between Taiwanese people and new immigrants. The civilians who have family members of new immigrant are welcome to attend these classes.

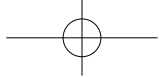
While promoting ease of living in Taipei among new immigrants and helping new immigrants to learn basic language skills and communication, the Department of Education holds basic adult education classes in the primary and secondary schools in the City (Including special classes for new immigrants and mixed classes). We hope that through these classes, new immigrants will develop language capabilities in listening, speaking, reading and writing of Chinese, and will easily adapt themselves to the living environment in Taipei.

※Contact below for further information:

Department of Education of Taipei City Government: 1999 ext. 1216 (call 02-27208889 from other cities or counties)

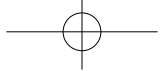
Nangang New Immigrant's Hall of Taipei City: (02)2788-4911

Wanhua New Immigrant's Hall of Taipei City: (02)2370-1046



## List of New Immigrants Courses Offered by Department of Civil Affairs

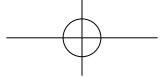
Type	Course	Time	Telephone
Living Camp for New Immigrants	Students from mainland China	The prior notice of class schedules each year will be announced on the website: "New Immigrants Area Taipei City"	Department of Civil Affairs, Taipei City Government: 1999 ext. 6065
	Students from Other Countries		
Study of New Immigrants' Languages and their Cultures	Vietnamese Language and its Cultures		
	Indonesia Language and its Cultures		
	Computer Class		
Living Skills	Taiwanese Language		
Local Languages	Learning Chinese by picture books		
Local Culture and Performance Workshop	Local Culture (Such as local culture, patch work, handicraft, lion dance)		
	Performance Workshop (such as handicraft, wedding planner, dancing, nail painting, family/child care, living healthy)		
Remarks: New Immigrants Area Taipei City website : <a href="http://nit.taipei/">http://nit.taipei/</a>			



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## New Immigrants related courses and programs implemented by Department of Social and Welfare, Taipei City

Organizer	Course	Applicant	Time	Place	Telephone
Taipei City Immigrant Women and Service Center	Course includes life adaptation and protection of own rights, helping and supporting each others programs, parenting education, ability training, after school care service, computer classes, and interaction between families	New Immigrants, and Taipei City citizens	The prior notice of classes and courses will be announced on the website: "New Immigrants Area Taipei City"	Taipei City Immigrant Women and Service Center	(02)2558-0133
Eastern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants				Taipei Eastern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	(02)2631-7059
Western Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants				Taipei Western Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	(02)2361-6577
Southern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants				City Southern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	(02)2931-2166
Northern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants				Taipei Northern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	(02)2504-0399
Remark : New Immigrants Area Taipei City website : <a href="http://nit.taipei/">http://nit.taipei/</a>					



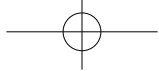
## New Immigrants related courses and programs implemented by Department of Employment Service Office, Taipei City

Organizer	Course	Applicant	Time	Place	Telephone
Taipei City Employment Service Office Job Service Division	Employment Workshop for Spouse from Mainland China	Mainland China Spouse	The schedule of time and courses for new immigrants will be announced each year on the website: “New Immigrants Area Taipei City ”		(02)2308- 5231ext.703
	Group Employment Workshop for Spouse from Mainland China	Mainland China Spouse			
	Employment Workshop for Spouse from foreign countries	Foreign Spouse			(02)2308- 5231ext.716
Remark : New Immigrants Area Taipei City website : <a href="http://nit.taipei/">http://nit.taipei/</a>					

## List of Schools Conducting Adult Basic Education Studies in Taipei City

Remarks: The schools which hold the classes for “Adult basic education studies in Taipei City” are only announced at the end of February each year. Any new immigrants who are interested in the courses please contact Section of Lifelong Education, Department of Education, Taipei City.

Type	Time	Undertaking School	Telephone
New Immigrant	The prior notice of schools conducting “Adult basic education studies in Taipei City” classes will be announced each year on the website: “New Immigrants Area Taipei City”.		1999 ext. 1216
Civilian			
Remark : New Immigrants Area Taipei City website : <a href="http://nit.taipei/">http://nit.taipei/</a>			



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## ■Driving Test for New Immigrants■

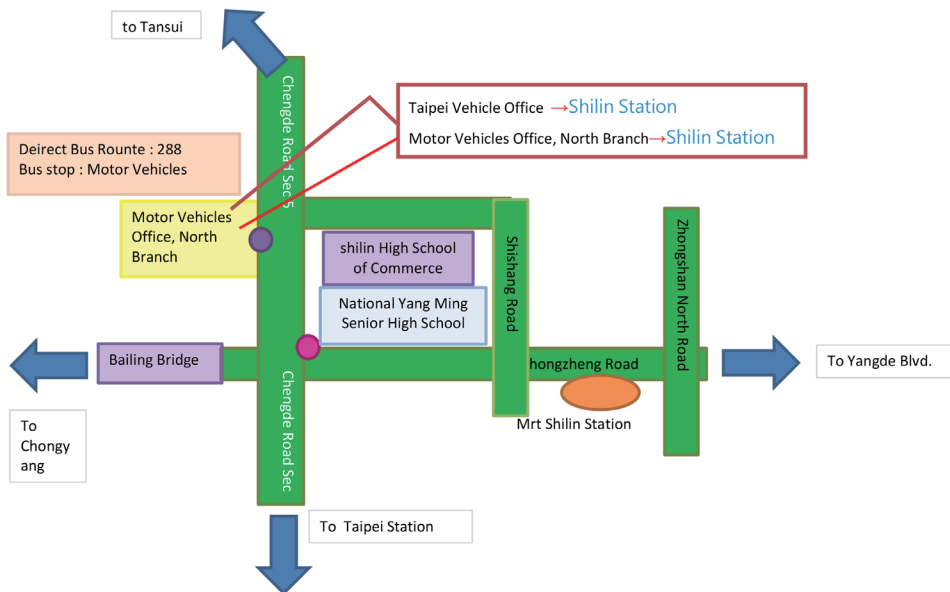
1. Location for taking driving licenses tests in Taipei City: Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch

Address: No. 80, Section 5, Chengde Road, Shilin District, Taipei City

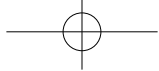
Telephone: (02) 2763-0155, ext. 718 or 719

Transport: Take MRT Damsui Line at Taipei Main Station

- (1) To MRT Shilin Station, then take Bus 255 Green line or 620 (Red Line) to Yang Ming High School or Shilin High School of Commerce, and then walk to the branch.
- (2) To MRT Shihpai Station, then take Bus 288 to the Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch (bus stop is in front of Branch).





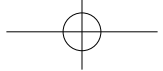


## 2. Schedule for Driving Tests:

Vehicle Type	Registration Time	Remark
Original Light-Duty Motorcycle	Monday to Friday 09:00 a.m.~12:00 p.m.(closing time)	Monday to Friday 09:00 a.m. ~9:30 p.m.
Original Heavy-Duty Motorcycle	13:30 p.m. ~ 16:30 p.m.(closing time) Note: 1. Road Test on Wednesday has been ceased due to “Safe Driving Center” course. 2. Register the road test held on Wednesday morning by 12:20 p.m.	13:30 p.m. ~14:00 p.m. The road test site is open for practice for the citizens with their own scooter, helmet and ID card. Note: The road test site is not open for practice due to the “Safe Driving Center” course on Wednesday afternoon.
Small Vehicle	Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday 09:00 a.m. ~12:00p.m.(closing time) 13:30 p.m. ~16:50p.m. (closing time) Note: 1. No road test on Monday morning. 2. Road Test on Wednesday afternoon has been ceased due to “Safe Driving Center” course. 3. Register the road test held on Wednesday morning before 12:00 p.m.	Only conduct long-haul truck road test on Monday morning

## 3. Obtaining the Test Databank of Written Examination:

- ◎ You may obtain past tests by downloading the online test and data on the website of Taipei Motor Vehicles Office ( <http://tpcmv.thb.gov.tw> ) : Go to the home page/tasks/examinations/multi-language test, then download and print out the past tests in Chinese, English, Japanese, Vietnamese, Indonesian, Thai, Myanmar, and Cambodia for reference.
- ◎ The simulative written test online is provided in Chinese, English, Japanese, Vietnamese, Indonesian, Thai, Myanmar, Cambodia for practice on the front page/Services/Simulation Driving License test.
- ◎ At the service counter of the Shilin Branch, Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, there is a simulation written test machine for test takers to familiarize the keypad operation.



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### 4. Explanation for Automobile and Motorcycles License Written Examination (motorcycles includes field simulation test):

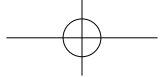
Test Type	True or False (Traffic Law, Signal, Motorcycles Field Simulation Test)	Multiple Choice (Traffic Law, Signal, Motorcycles Field Simulation Test)
Test for Motorcycle	25	25
Test for Automobile	20	20

### 5. Penalty Explanation of Automobile and Scooter License Written Examination (motorcycles includes field simulation test):

Test Type	True or False (Traffic Law, Signal, Motorcycles Field Simulation Test)	Multiple Choice (Traffic Law, Signal, Motorcycles Field Simulation Test)	Remark Penalty for Motorcycle
Penalty for Motorcycle	2 pts	2 pts	Minimum Passing Score of written test is 85 pts
Penalty for Automobile	2.5 pts	2.5 pts	

### 6. Road Test for Automobile and Scooter:

License Type	Road Test Item	Remark
Motorcycle License	1. Straight line stability test 2. Railroad crossing 3. Zebra crossing 4. 90 degree turns 5. Stop and then accelerate 6. Changing lanes 7. Forked road 8. Hook turn 9. Full road test 10. Other technical operation	Minimum Passing Score for Road Test is 70 pts
Automobile License	Reversing the automobile into garage, roadside parking, curve-driving forward and backward, changing gear stability test, railway crossing, pedestrian crossing, U p and downhill driving, forked road intersection, narrow bridge, real road driving.	



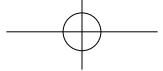
## 7. Explanation for Automobile and Scooter Test Fee:

Vehicle Type	Public Vehicle Fee	Health Checkup	Measurement	Learning License	Written Test	Road Test	License	Total
Original Light-Duty Motorcycle	Motorcycles not provided	100	0	0	125	125	200	550
Original Heavy-Duty Motorcycle	25	100	0	0	125	125	200	575
Automobile	100	100	100	100	225	225	200	1050

## 8. Criteria for Motorcycle Road Test:

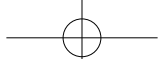
- ◎ Criteria for ordinary heavy-duty motorcycles (Perfect scores 100 points, passing 70 points)

Test Items	Criteria for deducting points	Points deducted
1. Straight line stability test (One re-test is allowed)	1. Balance in a straight line completed in fewer than seven seconds.	32 points
	2. Wheels crossing lines or either one or both feet touching the ground.	32 points
2. Railway Crossing	1. Do not stop or drive through the railway crossing.	32 points
	2. Engine stops or car parking on the railway crossing.	32 points
	3. When the front tires pass over the stopping line while parking	32 points
3. Zebra crossing	1. Not stopping for pedestrians or not allowing them to cross first	32 points
	2. Letting front wheels cross stop line.	32 points
4. 90 degrees turns	1. Wheels crossing the line.	16 points
	2. One foot or two feet on the ground while the vehicle is in motion (points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
5. Stop and then accelerate	1. Do not stop or stop beyond the stopping line.	32 points
	2. Do not turn head to check traffic on the left and right sides before accelerating	16 points



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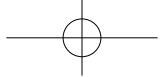
6.Changing lane	1. Do not follow designated route	16 points
	2. Do not use turn signals prior to lane changes	32 points
	3.Do not check back mirror, turn head to check traffic on the left and right sides before changing lane	16 points
7.Forked road	1.Running a red light	32 points
	2. The front wheel goes beyond the stopping line at red light	32 points
8.Hook turn	1. Do not make two-stage turns as specified or direct turns	32 points
	2. Do not slow down speed to specify speed when entering waiting area(brake lights not f)	16 points
	3.do not stop at the specific waiting area	16 points
9. Full road test	1. Without wearing a qualified helmet according to regulation. Meanwhile, the helmet buckle must be fastened.	16 points
	2. Failure to check rearview mirror or turn head to check traffic on left and right sides before accelerating or changing lanes. (points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
	3.Engine stops during driving (Points may be deducted continuously)	8 points
	4. One foot on land during driving(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)(Not applicable to 90 degrees turns )	8 points
	5. Two feet on land during driving(Points may be deducted continuously) (Not applicable to 90 degrees turns )	16 points
	6. Causing accidents or falling	32 points
	7.Tire over the wires (Points may be deducted continuously)	16 points
	8. Turning without following the direction light while making a turn. (points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
	9. Without slowing down while making a U-turn or driving near railway crossing. (Driver should release the throttle, slowing down by slightly peddling the braking peddle; when meeting the sign or line of Railway Crossing, car speed should slow down to below 15 km/hr).	16 points



	10. One foot or both feet hanging in the air during driving, without stepping on the step board. (points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	8 points
	11. Holding the brake tightly while accelerating the gas pedal, abnormally driving the motorcycle. (points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	8 points
	12. Not finishing the test or missing a subject of the full tests.	32 points
10. Other technical operations (Multiple deductions apply for each item; no more than 18 points will be deducted in total)	1. Rushing forward during the starting action	2 points
	2. Improper usage of clutch	2 points
	3. Improper use of gas pedal	2 points
	4. Improper braking action	2 points
Remarks	1. Any kinds of cheating on the test, both candidates and surrogate exam-taker are prohibited to take driving test within 5 years, starting from the date of violation. The briber would be reported to the police.	
	2. The tester would have to take legal responsibility if smashed public property, cars, or knocked down anyone during road test,	
	3. The person that are below 18 years old is prohibited from taking driving test, the diving license will be cancelled if found, and shall not ask for refund.	
	4. The applicant should take the driving test on the day scheduled, the persons that are late for the test would be considered as absent (not passing the test), and need to pay fees if retake the driving test.	

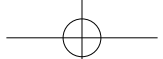
◎ Criteria for Large Heavy- Duty Motorcycle (Perfect scores 100 points, passing 70 points)

Test Items	Criteria for deducting points	Points deducted
1. Taking a car, Sending off, Starting & Driving	1. Time for sending off a car, or time between turning off the engine & finishing all tests exceed 30 seconds	32 points
	2. Moving the gear while the kickstand not retrieved during starting off.	

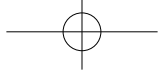


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	3. Not moving the gear while using the kickstand for parking	16 points
	4. Sliding while taking or driving a car	16 points
2. Straight Forward Driving In Parallel (allowed to repeat the test once)	1. Time for driving straight forward in parallel is less than 7 seconds	32 points
	2. Tires over the wires (Points may be deducted continuously)	32 points
3. Curve-Driving	1. Curve-driving in clockwise & anti-clockwise, each direction for one time; tires over the wires.	32 points
	2. Feet on land during driving (Points may be deducted continuously)	16 points
4. Braking in straight direction	1. Not changing to Gear	32 points
	No. 3 before parking the car, or car speed does not reach 25 km/hr	32 points
5. Railway Crossing	1. Do not stop or drive through the railway crossing.	32 points
	2. Engine stops or car parking on the railway crossing. (Car inside the railway area)	32 points
	3. The front tires pass over the stopping line while parking.	32 points
6. Up & Down Hill Driving	1. Driving not according to test route	32 points
	2. Engine stops, sliding or fall while driving uphill	32 points
	3. Engine stops, changing to neutral gear, or fall, while driving downhill.	32 points
	4. Stopping or feet on land, while driving uphill or downhill	16 points
7. Pedestrian Crossing	1. Do not stop or wait for the pedestrians to pass first	32 points
	2. The front tires pass over the stopping line while parking	32 points
8. Road Intersection Crossing	1. Not following the sign, passing through the red light	32 points
	2. The front tires pass over the stopping line while parking	32 points
9. Full road test	1. Without wearing a qualified helmet according to regulation. Meanwhile, the helmet buckle must be fastened.	16 points



9. Full road test	2. Engine stops during driving .(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	8 points
	3. One foot on land during driving.(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	8 points
	4. Two feet on land during driving.(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
	5.improperly changing the gear.(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
	6.Turning not following the direction light(Points may be deducted continuously).(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
	7.While approaching the railway crossing, turning without slowing the speed(Driver should release the throttle, slowing down by slightly peddling the braking peddle; when meeting the sign or line of Railway Crossing, car speed should slow down below 15 km/hr).	16 points
	8. Not driving according to testing route, tires of car parking on the stopping line, or hitting the refuge island.	32 points
	9. Having an accident or slided out.	32 points
	10. Not finishing the test or missing a subject of the full tests.	32 points
	10. Other technical operations (Multiple deductions apply for each item; no more than 18 points will be deducted in total) 1. Improper Starting action 2 points	1. Improper Starting action
2. Improper usage of clutch		2 points
3. Improper usage of gas pedal		2 points
4. Improper braking action		2 points
5.Improper Usage of Steering Wheel		2 points



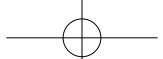
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## 9. Criteria for Automobile Road Test

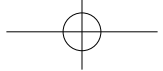
◎ Criteria for automobile driving road test (Perfect scores 100 points, passing 70 points)

Test Items	Criteria for deducting points	Points deducted
1.Reversing into the parking garage	1.Tires on wire or unable parking into the designated area(allowed only on reversing once; the front tires must still be parked behind the designated line after tires touching the wire)	16 points
	2.Engine stops.(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	8 points
2.Parallel Roadside Parking	1. Tires on wire or unable parking into the designated area(allowed only on reversing once; the front tires must still be parked behind the designated line after tires touching the wire)	16 points
	2.Engine stops.(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	8 points
3.Driving Forward and Backward on Curve Roads	1.Tires on wire while moving forward	32 points
	2.Tires on wire while reversing (allowed to take the test once more only when deducted points are less than 30,and test should repeat reversing from the initiating point ) Not deducting only for ordinary small car .	16 points
	3.For ordinary small car to reverse,(no need to deduct any points for tires on wires);moving forward for adjusting(Points may be deducted continuously, no need to start again from the starting point for reversing)	8 points
	4. Stalled or stopped(Points may be deducted continuously for engine stopping; deduction is limited to 2 times for parking the car)	8 points
4.Turning back in Curve Lane (no need for ordinary small car)	1.Tires on wires ( Points will only be deducted once, allowing to reverse once only )	16 points
	2.Stalling.(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	8 points
5.Railway Crossing	1. Do not stop or drive through the railway crossing.	32 points
	2. Changing gear or stalling while crossing (Car inside the railway wood area)	32 points



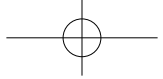


	3. Front tires are over the designated area while parking	32 points
6. Road Intersection	1. Not following the sign, passing through red light.	32 points
	2. Front tires are over the designated area while parking during red light sign.	32 points
7. Gear Changing Stability Test	1. Do not change to 3rd clutch following the order within 45 meters.	16 points
	2. Tires on wire or stalled during driving.	32 points
8. Driving Up and Down a Ramp	1. Tires on wire	16 points
	2. Reversing 15 cm or more while going up	16 points
	3. Stalled on a ramp.(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
	4. Unable to park in designated area	16 points
	5. Not getting into a clutch while going down	32 points
9. Narrow Bridge	Tires on wire	32 points
10. Pedestrian Crossing	1. Do not stop or wait for the pedestrians to pass first.	32 points
	2. The front tires pass over the stopping line while parking	32 points
11. Full Road Driving	1. Without wearing seat belt according to regulations.	16 points
	2. Without turning on direction light when starting up, or without watching if there are any obstacles or passing vehicle or pedestrians around. (Points may be deducted continuously) (For Test Subject 1 & 2)	16 points
	3. Using left foot to control brake paddle(except for specially manufactured car for disable)	16 points
	4. Changing into reverse gear during driving	16 points
	5. Without watching if there are vehicles or pedestrians passing by when opening the door at getting on and getting off the car. (driver should open the door in 2- step way)	8 points

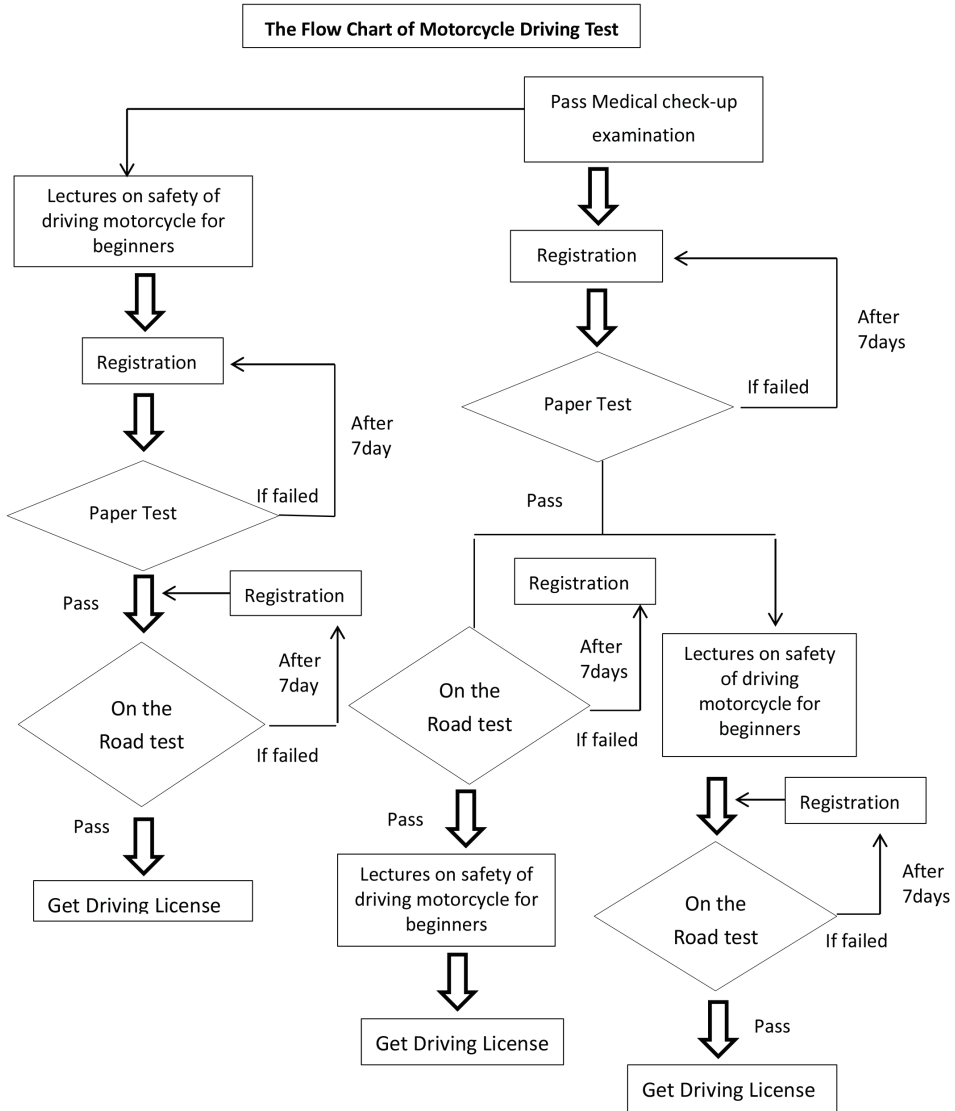


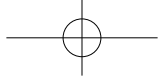
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	6. Without paying attention to vehicles or pedestrians passing around during the car turning and changing the line, or without showing direction lights according to regulations.(driver should turn his head backward to check himself) .(points will be deducted repeatedly for each infraction)	16 points
	7.Using a hand-holding mobile to dial or talk	32 points
	8. Driving the car using single hand for turning around, or changing the line (except for changing gear of manual transmission car	8 points
	9. Without slowing down while driving near railway crossing, or turning around. (Driver should release the throttle, slowing down by slightly peddling the braking peddle; when meeting the sign or line of Railway Crossing, car speed should slow down below 15 km/hr).	16 points
	10. Driving not following the designated route or changing the line according to rules.	32 points
	11. Driving not following the designated route, causing tires landing on dotted lines(including yellow &white dotted lines)	16 points
	12. Tires on solid lines during driving (direction restriction line, line for forbidding the car to change the route, or side line); or hitting the car, the safety island, or damaging facilities.	32 points
	13.Stalling or parking the car during driving(continuously deducting points, not including stalling at the starting point and termination point)	8 points
	14. Did not finish whole tests, or miss any one of courses.	32 points
12.Other Technical Operations(Multiple deductions apply for each item; no more than 18 points will be deducted in total)	1. Improper starting action	2 points
	2. Improper operation of gas pedal	2 points
	3. Improper operation of clutch	2 points
	4. Improper operation of brake (including hand brake)	2 points
	5. Turning steering wheel unnecessarily after the car is fully stopped	2 points



## 10. The Flow Chart of Driving Test for Normal, Light Motorcycle and Heavy-Duty Motorcycle

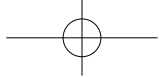




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### Notes:

1. Those who failed the written test (below 85 points) may apply again after 7 days.
2. Those who failed the road test (below 70 points) may apply again after 7 days.
3. A written test is not required for those who passed a physical examination if he/she holds a valid license in Light Motor Scooter or Automobile.
4. If there is requirement for computer-aided audio test, please notify the staff during registration.
5. For health check, you can go directly to Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch or bring your driver's license application letter to any public hospitals, public health service centers or any hospitals authorized by the Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office.
6. Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch provides rental of heavy motor scooters for applicants with NT\$25 for every motor scooter (subject to oil price change). Please pay while registering for driving test.
7. The address of Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch is: No. 80, Section 5, Cheng-De Road, Shilin District, Taipei City. Telephone: (02)2763-0155 ext. 719, website: <http://www.mvo.taipei.gov.tw>
8. For those who want to apply for the heavy motorcycle license, please call the following private driving schools: Taipei Driver Training at 02-2858-5700 (address: No. 185, Section 3, Dadu Road, Beitou District, Taipei City); Fu-An Driver Training at 02-2893-6872 (address: No. 9 Dadu Rd., Beitou District, Taipei City); Training Institute, Directorate General of Highways, MOTC at 02-2222-3600, (address: No. 79 Section 3, Zhong-shan Road, Zhonghe Dist., New Taipei City). Taipei City Private Union of Driver Training at (02)2893-6889, (address: No.31, Section 1, Dadu Road, Beitou District, Taipei City)
9. After passing the written test and road test, please make payments and get the new license at the atrium on the first floor. Before receiving the new license, Please attend the "safety lecture of 1.5 hours for new motorcycle drivers"



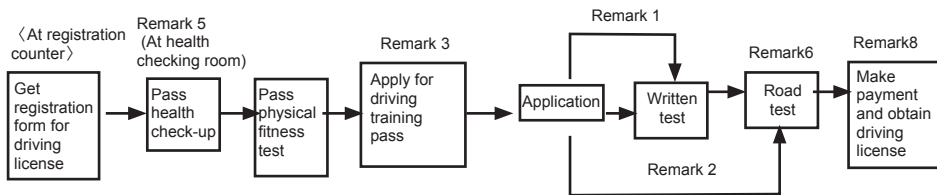
Required Documents for taking a driving test and receiving a driver's license:

1. Registration of Driving License for Motorcycle
2. Three 1-inch black-and-white or color photos with a glossy surface, and a plain background, a clear front view of the face without a hat. The photos must have been taken within the previous six months (a processed digital photo will not be accepted).
3. An applicant who has a nationality of Republic of China shall have National ID Card, Alien Residence Certificate, or a valid driving license in Taiwan ready. An applicant who does not have ROC nationality shall submit his or her alien residence certificate or documents for one year or over stay or residence in Taiwan.

Relevant expenses:

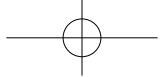
1. Physical examination fee: NT\$100
2. Registration fee:  
 Ordinary, small light motorcycle: NT\$250  
 Ordinary heavy duty motorcycle: NT\$250 (a written test and a road test are included)  
 Ordinary heavy duty motorcycle with written test only: NT\$125
3. Driver's license fee: NT\$200

## 11. The Process of Getting Driving License for Automobile



Remarks:

1. Those who failed the written test (below 85 points) may apply again after 7 days.
2. Those who failed the road test (below 70 points) may apply again after 7 days.
3. Automobile license applicants must have learning license experience of three months or more. However, the experience may be shortened to 35 days or more for the ones who pass the training class qualified by the city.
4. If there is requirement for computer-aided audio test, please notify the staff during registration.



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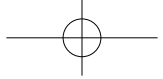
5. For health checks and physical fitness tests, you can go directly to Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch, or bring your driver's license application letter to any public hospitals, public health service centers or any hospitals authorized by the Taipei City Motor Vehicle Offices.
6. The location for written tests should be held in the Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch; road tests should be held in Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch or any training court of qualified driver-training school.
7. The address of Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch is: No. 80, Section 5, Cheng-De Road, Shilin District, Taipei City. Telephone: (02)2763-0155 ext.719, website: <http://tpcmv.thb.gov.tw>
8. After passing the road test, please make payments and get the new license at Counter 7 of Driving License Section on the second floor.

### Required Documents for taking a driving test and obtaining a driver's license:

1. Registration Form of Driving License for Automobile
2. Driving experience certificates (Learner's Permit)
3. Three 1-inch black-and-white or color photos with a glossy surface, and a plain background, a clear front view of the face without a hat. The photos must have been taken within the previous six months (a processed digital photo will not be accepted).
4. An applicant who has a nationality of Republic of China shall have National ID Card, Alien Residence Certificate, or a valid driving license in Taiwan ready. An applicant who does not have ROC nationality shall submit his or her alien residence certificate or documents for one year or over stay or residence in Taiwan.

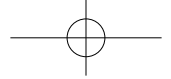
### Relevant expenses:

1. Physical examination fee: NT\$100;
2. Physical fitness test fee: NT\$100;
3. Knowledge test fee: NT\$100;
4. Registration fee: NT\$550 (charge for a testing vehicle is included) (the actual expense will be adjusted according to gasoline prices);
5. Driver's license fee: NT\$200











































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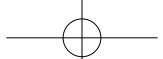
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 Warning 11 Junction	 Warning 12 Junction	 Warning 13 Junction	 Warning Junction	 Warning 5 junction	 Warning 16 Junction
 Warning21 Ramp car meet From the left	 Warning22 Split flow	 Warning 23 Caution signal	 Warning24 roundabout	 Warning25 Barred gate Railroad Level crossing	 Warning26 No barred gate Railroad Level crossing
 Warning 31 Bump in Road Surface	 Warning 32 Sunken Road	 Warning33 Road slippery	 Prohibition 23 No passing	 Prohibition 27 Single Lane Only	 Warning36 Watch out Handicapped
 Warning27 No barred gate Level crossing First face	 Warning28 No barred gate Level crossing Second face	 Warning29 No barred gate Level crossing Third face	 Warning37 Beware of animals	 Prohibition 21 Truck Left turn prohibited	 Prohibition 21 Truck Left turn prohibited
 Warning43 Jetty, embankment	 Warning44 Right side Cliff	 Warning45 Left side cliff	 Warning46 Caution Right side rock fall	 Warning47 Caution Left side rock fall	 Instruction 66 Rotary road
 Command3 Stop for inspection	 Command4 Stop custom checkpoint	 Command5 toll	 Command6 Loadometer station	 Prohibition 11 motor tricycle prohibited	 Prohibition 12 Animal-drawn Vehicles Prohibited
 Command 11 Follow the Direction on the Command (Going Straight Only)	 Command 12 Follow the Direction on the Command (Turning Right Only)	 Command 13 Follow the Direction on the Command (Turning Left Only)	 Command 14 Follow the Direction on the Command (Going Straight and Turning Right Only)	 Command 15 Follow the Direction on the Command (Going Straight and Turning Left Only)	 Instruction 67 Detour
 Command 18 Drive on the Right	 Command 19 Drive on the Left	 Command 20 Two-Step Left Turn for Scooters	 Prohibition 8 Man-drawn Vehicles are Prohibited to Enter	 Prohibition 9 Rickshaws are Prohibited to Enter	 Prohibition 10 Bicycles are Prohibited to Enter



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 <p>Instruction 46 Parking Lot</p>	 <p>週一至週六 Mon.-Sat. 07:00 - 20:00 每小時40元 NT\$ 40 PER HOUR ☎ 27269600</p> <p>Instruction 47 Time Counting Parking Lot</p>	 <p>週一至週六 Mon.-Sat. 09:00-17:00 每次20元 NT\$ 20 PER STAY ☎ 27269600</p> <p>Instruction 48 Entrance Based Parking Lot</p>	 <p>違者拖吊 TOW-AWAY ZONE 市民熱線 1999 Citizen Hotline</p> <p>Instruction 49 Parking Space for the Disabled</p>	 <p>信義國小 Xinyi School</p> <p>Instruction 50&amp;51 Instruction for a Parking Lot</p>	
 <p>Fixed Obstacle</p>	 <p>Instruction 52 Towed Vehicles Lot</p>	 <p>Instruction 53 MRT Station</p>	 <p>Instruction 54 Pedestrian Bridge</p>	 <p>Instruction 55 Pedestrian Under-pass</p>	 <p>Obstacle 8 Obstacle</p>
 <p>Instruction 61 Food and Beverage Service</p>	 <p>Instruction 62 School</p>	 <p>Instruction 63 Hospital</p>	 <p>Instruction 64 Space for Car Meeting</p>	 <p>Instruction 65 Dead End Ahead</p>	 <p>Movable Obstacle</p>
 <p>All Vehicles Stop</p>	 <p>Front and Behind Vehicles Stop</p>	 <p>Vehicles on the Right and Left Can Go</p>	 <p>Cars from the right should Stop</p>	 <p>Cars from the Right should Go Quickly</p>	 <p>Cars from the Left should Turn Left</p>
 <p>Construction 11 Left Lane Closed</p>	 <p>Construction 12 Left Lane Closed</p>	 <p>Construction 13 Center Lane Closed</p>	 <p>Construction 14 Center Lane Closed</p>	 <p>Construction 15 Center Lane Closed</p>	 <p>Construction 5 Road Closed</p>
 <p>Traffic Cone</p>	 <p>Prohibition 13 Three-wheeled Vehicles and Animal drawn Vehicles are Prohibited to Enter</p>	 <p>Prohibition 14 Three-wheeled Vehicles and Man-drawn Vehicles are Prohibited to Enter</p>	 <p>Prohibition 15 Cars, Scooters and Animal- drawn Vehicles are Prohibited to Enter</p>	 <p>Warning 40 Beware of Airplanes</p>	 <p>Warning 50 Danger</p>
 <p>貨車裝卸專用區 限停 2.0 分鐘 LOADING AND UNLOADING ZONE MAX PARKING 2.0 MIN</p> <p>貨車裝卸時間 週一至週五 Mon. - Fri. 07:00-20:00 (裝卸時間內停放 小型車停罰)</p> <p>違者拖吊 TOW-AWAY ZONE 市民熱線 1999 Citizen Hotline</p>	 <p>貨車裝卸專用區 限停 2.0 分鐘 LOADING AND UNLOADING ZONE MAX PARKING 2.0 MIN</p> <p>貨車裝卸時間 週一至週五 Mon. - Fri. 09:00-17:00 每次30元 NT\$ 30 PER STAY (裝卸時間內停放 小型車停罰)</p> <p>違者拖吊 TOW-AWAY ZONE 市民熱線 1999 Citizen Hotline</p>	 <p>貨車裝卸專用區 限停 2.0 分鐘 LOADING AND UNLOADING ZONE MAX PARKING 2.0 MIN</p> <p>貨車裝卸時間 週一至週五 Mon. - Fri. 09:00-17:00 每次30元 NT\$ 30 PER STAY (裝卸時間內停放 小型車停罰)</p> <p>禁止停車 週一至週五 Mon. - Fri. 每日 07:00 至 17:00 每日 (每日 17:00 至 07:00)</p> <p>禁設一般小型車停放時間 Parking hours for small vehicles: 週一至週日 2.0 - 0.7 Mon. - Sun.</p> <p>違者拖吊 TOW-AWAY ZONE 市民熱線 1999 Citizen Hotline</p>	 <p>貨車裝卸專用區 限停 2.0 分鐘 LOADING AND UNLOADING ZONE MAX PARKING 2.0 MIN</p> <p>貨車裝卸時間 週一至週日 Mon. - Sun. 09:00-17:00</p> <p>禁止停車 New Parking 週一至週日 Mon. - Sun. 每日 07:00 至 17:00</p> <p>違者拖吊 TOW-AWAY ZONE 市民熱線 1999 Citizen Hotline</p>	 <p>孕婦優先車位 Prior to pregnant women</p> <p>prior to pregnant women parking space</p>	





## ■List of Transportation Related Services in Taipei City■

Name of Agencies	Contents of Service	Telephone No.
Public Transportation Office of Taipei City Government	Accusation against Bus Company	(02)2729-1181
Taipei e-bus System	Taipei e-bus information system telephone enquiries	System Enquiries Hotline 0800-00-5284
Taxi companies	Taxi Service Free Hotline	0800-055-850
Taipei Public Transportation Office	Hotline for complaints on Taxi Service	(02)2759-2677
Traffic Engineering Office of Taipei City Government	24-hour Hotline for maintenance of traffic facilities in Taipei City	1999(or dial02-27208889from other cities)
Traffic Adjudication Office of Taipei City Government	1. Interactive Voice Response to traffic violation enquiry 2. Adjudication of traffic violation and appraisal of car accidents	(02)2367-5280 · 2365-8270
Taipei City Parking Management and Development Office	Taipei City Public Parking Lot Hotline for report and accusation against parking violation	(02)2759-9637
Traffic Division of Taipei City Police Department	1. Complaint against illegal tow-away 2. Towing illegal parking vehicle 3. Illegal road buster reporting hotline 4. Traffic accident management team	1999(dial 02-27208889 from other cities)
Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office	1. Vehicle examination 2. Management of vehicle license and plate 3. Traffic Safety Education Program 4. Driving tests for various vehicles 5.complaints against tour bus	02-27630155 ext. 719(Taipei City Motor Vehicles Office, Shilin Branch-Driving Test)
Parking Fee Inquiry	Parking Fee Inquiry	(02)2726-9600

# Leisure

## ■ Travelling around Taipei City ■

The transportation system in Taipei City is very convenient. The network of buses and MRT is well-developed. With an EasyCard, you can reach any places that you want to go.

Current MRT route map:

Wenhua-Line - Taipei Nangang Exhibition Center Station to Taipei Zoo Station  
Tamsui-Xinyi Line – Tamsui Station to Xiangshan Station (include Xin Beitou Station)

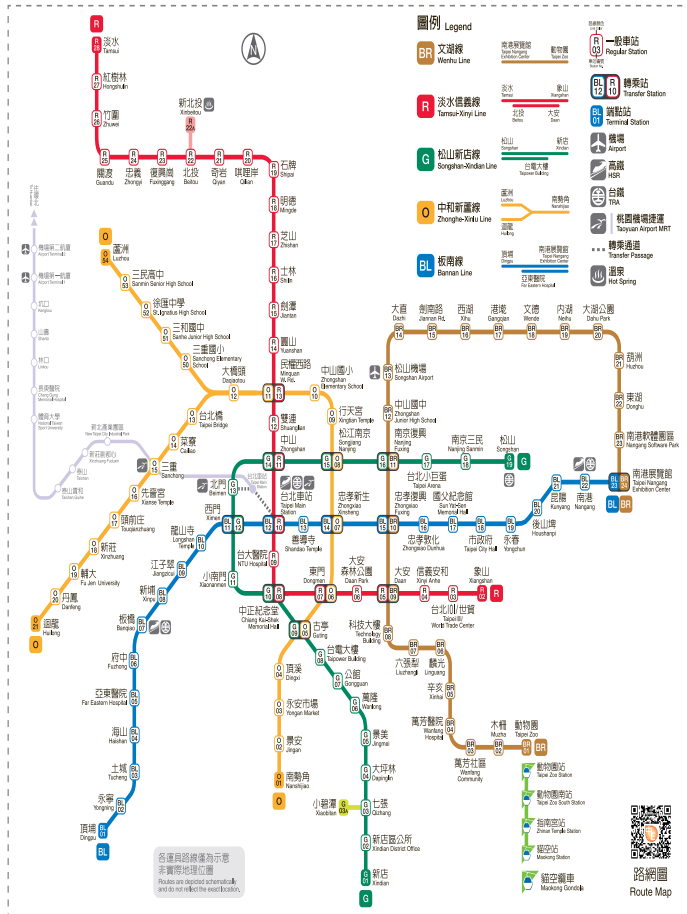
Shongshan- Xindian Line - Shongsan Station to Xindian Station-include Xiaobitan Station

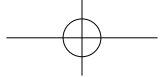
Zhonghe- XinLu Line -Nanshijiao Station to Hueilong Station, Luzhou Station

Bannan Line - Yongning Station to Nangang Exhibition Hall Station

There are sign boards at every entrance and exit of each station, once you enter the MRT, all you need to do is to place your EasyCard on the sensor machine of the toll gate.

※Kindly visit Taipei MRT official website for latest information





Don't stay at home Knowing EasyCard :

Initially, the EasyCard Corporation started the EasyCard as an electronic IC payment system that integrates buses, MRT system in Taipei city and New Taipei City, and Taipei City Public Parking Lot, however, its usage has been extended gradually to cable car, zoo, Taiwan High Speed Rail (remark 1), Taiwan Railways, high way buses, river/cruise mini trip, small amount consumption at certain authorized stores, etc. to provides the public with a more convenient living environment. The Management of EasyCard continue to carry out tickets integration, enable public to use EasyCard to make payment for different kinds of services, such as public transportation, administrative fees payment, tickets at tourism spots, etc. The objective of EasyCard is to have the EasyCard holder to travel Taiwan with just a card on hand.

### Types of EasyCard, spots to buy the EasyCards and its Price:

1. General Easy Card (Adults and Concessionaire), students EasyCard (must be purchased with valid student cards), each EasyCard is sold at NT\$100 per card, excluding deposit and consumable amount.

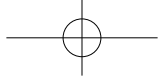
Place to buy: At every tourist information of MRT stations and EasyCard Corporation, and at Taiwan four main convenient stores.

2. Special designed EasyCard is sold at least NT\$100 per card, depending on the pricing of the card, excluding deposit and consumable amount.

Remarks: Taiwan High Speed Rail only allow EasyCard cobranded credit card holders (has been automatically added value-added function) to touch the sensor machine for passing through the gate, and travel on non-reserved cars.

The EasyCard Corporation official website: <http://www.easycard.com.tw/>, 24-hours customer service hotline: 412-8880( add 02 at the front for cellular phone and Kinmen Matsu area)

Taipei MRT website: <http://www.metro.taipei/>



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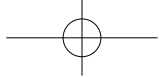
## ■Having Fun in Taipei ■

Don't stay at home during the weekends. Going outdoors with your family will relax you and allow you to know more about the city you live in. There are many attractive spots in Taipei City which can be reached either by walking or using the public transportation. If you like historic sites and old streets, the old stores on Dihua Street and those nearby Taipei Xiahai City God Temple, Dalongdong Baoan Temple, Confucius Temple, and Longshan Temple in Wanhua are all great choices.

Taipei is also the home to many top-notch places such as the National Palace Museum in Waishuangxi, worldwide known for its rich collection of traditional Chinese artifacts, other places like the Taipei Fine Arts Museum, Discovery Center of Taipei and National Museum of History, etc, are also worth visiting.

There are also many parks in Taipei city such as Daan Park and Guandu Nature Park. If you want to move around outdoors, Yang Ming Mountain National Park is the place with the unique volcanic landform. The hot springs in Beitou allow you to enjoy the coziness of the hot springs. You can also take your children to Taipei City Zoo.

For more information on popular scenic spots, kindly visit: <https://www.travel.taipei/>.



## General Knowledge

### ■The History of Taiwan■

Taiwan is an island whose shape looks like a strip from north to the south. Its total area is around 36,000 square kilometers (14,400 square miles). Located in the south east of Asia, with Japan as its neighbor to the north and Philippines in the south, Taiwan is a major transportation hub in the Asian region with a convenient aviation network.

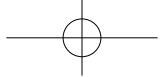
In natural resources, Taiwan has various topographies. It has mountains, hills, plains, basins, isles and coast. It has mild temperature all year round with an average of 22 degree Celsius. In human resources, it is home to people from Fujian, Hakka, Mainlanders and indigenous people, in short, Taiwan has an interesting mix of cultures.

According to the population statistics from Ministry of Interior, the number of households in Taiwan is 8,561,383, and the population is 23,539,816 in 2016. The majority of population is descendants of immigrants from Mainland China. A large proportion of them are from Fujian and Guangdong provinces along the south-east coast. Mandarin is the official language. As there are a large number of Fujian people, many also speak the Fujian dialect. In terms of religion, Taiwanese is highly diversified. The main religions are Buddhism, Taoism, Catholicism and Christianity. Taiwan's rich and colorful history has given way to an interesting culture which is witnessed by all.

### ■The Current Situation of Taipei■

Taipei city is located to the north of Taiwan and covers the north-eastern part of Taipei Basin and nearby hills. Its surroundings are linked to Taipei County and the total area size is 271.7997 square kilometers. According to the population statistics from Department of Civil Affairs of Taipei City Government, the number of households is 1,048,379 in Taipei City, and the population is 2,692,118 as of the end of April 2017. Currently, there are 12 districts in the city.

Taipei is a highly liberal, transparent and international city. It has a well-developed business environment and is the most trans-cultural place in Taiwan. Taipei citizens are well-educated, and their social order is generally good. With outstanding public



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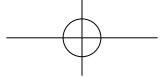
awareness, it has made recycling, economical water usage and various urban construction projects possible within just a few months' time. Such high implementation competence made Taipei City outstandingly. In short, Taipei city has a well-developed business environment, high quality of medical care and great public amenities.

### ■Knowing Taiwan Festivals and Folk Customs■

There are many festivals in the lunar calendar that you should know: Lunar New Year's Eve is December 30th, this is when the whole family gather together for dinner. Some dishes are indispensable as they imply good fortune, such as mustard cabbage (year-round vegetable), Chinese white radish (hao-cai-tou; good luck). You cannot finish the entire fish as it implies abundance and plenty of leftover (nian-nian-you-yu).

On the first day of the lunar New Year, after paying respect to their ancestors, the younger generation will pay homage to their elders, relatives and friends. There some taboos on this day, for example, it is forbidden to sweep the floor and throw out the garbage for fear that the fortune will be swept out of the house. Saying bad words and arguments are also not allowed. When something is broken accidentally, you must say "sui-sui-ping-an" (May you live safely and peacefully every year) to curb any bad luck.

The second day of lunar New Year is when wives go back home; the fifth day is when business opens; the ninth day is the birthday of Heaven Emperor, "Tian Gong Sheng" in the Taiwanese dialect. The fifteenth day is Lantern's Day when people watch decorative lanterns and eat sweet dumplings called "Tang Yuan". May 5th in the lunar calendar is the Dragon Boat Festival. Besides eating sticky rice balls called "zhongzi", each family will hang calamus and moxa on the door, kids will wear fragrant sachets to drive evil spirits away. The Ghost festival is on July 15th of the lunar calendar, every family prepares offerings to worship their ancestors and spirits of the underworld. Mid-Autumn Festival falls on August 15th of the lunar calendar, this is when family members enjoy watching the moon and eat moon cakes.



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### ■ Medical Check-up before Pregnancy ■

The eight physical exam items for female include urine test, Rubella (German measles), varicella zoster IgG, blood routine examination, syphilis screening, AIDS, thyroid stimulating hormone, Chlamydia Antibody; while the male checkup consist 5 items, urine test, blood routine examination, syphilis screening, AIDS, and semen analysis inspection (please refrain from ejaculation for 3 days before producing the specimen for analysis).

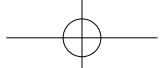
For new immigrant women without antibodies of Rubella and chicken pox, they should receive vaccines and wait for three months before getting pregnant. Getting ourselves physical healthy before pregnancy will safeguard the health of our next generation. For related information, please call Department of Health, Taipei City Government at (02)2720-8889 ext.7112

### ■ National Health Insurance ■

In order to look after the nationals' health, Taiwan has deployed a National Health Insurance system. Upon paying a monthly insurance fee, when you get sick, you will receive proper health care at a designated hospital. Therefore, foreign spouses should not neglect this welfare benefit. For those with resident certificates and meet the qualification as a spouse living in Taiwan for at least six months are qualified to enroll in the national insurance program. The program provides the following services:

1. Outpatient and in-patient hospital services are provided when one gets sick, injured, or gives births, or has accidents. According to related regulations, one should pay portion of the medical expenses.
2. Preventive care services for children and the elderly are provided. Cervical pap smear tests for women, preventive services such as pre-natal care and examination are also provided. No partial medical fee is required for such preventive health services

When you get sick, please bring your Health Insurance IC card, resident certificate, and Identity Card (or other documents to prove your identity) to a designated hospital. The toll free number of the Bureau of National Health Insurance is 0800-030-598



## ■Raise a Healthy Baby■

Having a healthy baby is the greatest joy for parents. Prenatal check-ups are significantly important to ensure the health of the pregnant mothers and the babies. Currently, the National Health Insurance provides 10 free prenatal health examinations to pregnant women. Regular prenatal health examination helps to understand the status of the pregnant women and fetus and to have the proper treatment if any potential risks are screened at early age. You must be very happy to be pregnant. However, apart from preparing baby products for newborn babies, please remind yourself of having a prenatal exam. It will ensure that mother and baby are healthy.

The Department of Health of Taipei City Government provides relative care services for new immigrants including “new immigrants health education leaflets & brochures in foreign language versions”, such as (Taipei City New Immigrants’ Health Care (Carry-Out Calls) Brochures, Newly-wed Eugenics Health Brochures, Pregnancy Women & Puerperal Health Brochures, Newborns Health Brochures), new immigrants’ medical subsidy measures, new immigrants’ interpretation service in hospital and new immigrants’ supporting activities.

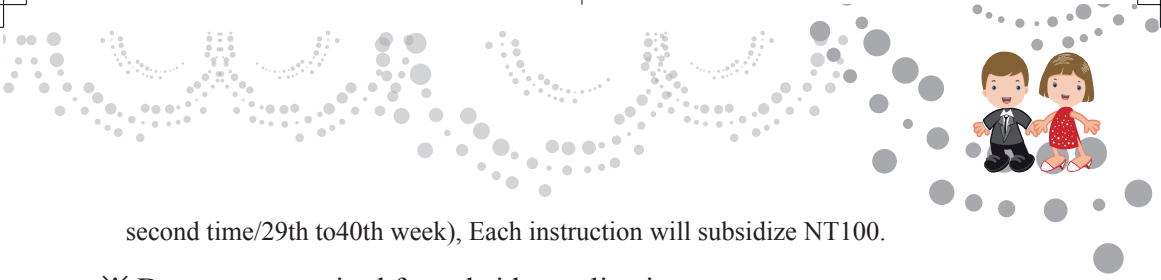
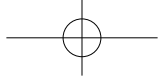
For more information, kindly contact the New Immigrants’ Health Information Station of the Health Service Centers in the 12 districts, or visit website of the Department of Health: <http://health.gov.taipei>, click the new Immigrants’ Care, or call the department at 02-2820-8889ext.1834.

## ■Prenatal Examination Subsidy for New Immigrants■

Health Promotion Administration, Ministry of Health & Welfare provides Prenatal Examination Subsidies to new immigrants:

1. Prenatal Examination Subsidy for New Immigrants before having household registration and do not have National Health Insurance: 10 times per parity, subsidize NT\$662 on the first examination, subsidize NT\$297 on the fifth examination (32 weeks of pregnancy), and subsidize NT\$267 for the rest of the examinations.
2. “Streptococcus B Screening Test” subsidy for pregnant women of gestation between 35~37weeks: NT\$500 subsidy per case.
3. Pre-natal health care instructions, subsidize twice (the first time/before 17th weeks, the





second time/29th to 40th week), Each instruction will subsidize NT100.

※ Document required for subsidy application:

1. Please bring “Household Certificate” and “Alien Resident Certificate” to local Health Service Center in Taipei City, to apply for “Subsidy Application Form”
2. Please bring the “Subsidy Application Form” to Obstetrics & Gynecology Departments in any public or private hospitals and clinics for prenatal examination.
3. Contact Department of Health of Taipei City for more information. Tel: 02-2720-8889 ext. 1834

■What to do if sick?■

How to go to the hospital

Here are some commonly used words regarding the name of clinics and descriptions on the medicine package for your reference.

Names of departments in hospitals

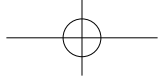
Gynecology, Obstetrics, Pediatrics, Neonatal Clinic, Eugenic and Health Care, Family Medicine, Internal Medicine, Surgical, Orthopedics, Ophthalmology, Dermatology, Dental(Dentistry), Psychosomatic Clinic, Chinese Medicine, Emergency Room, Medical Record Room, Social Work Room.

Words commonly seen on the medicine bags

Oral administration, topical use, taken once a day, before sleep, before meal, after meal, for the eyes, required to store in refrigerator, use for fever.

■Reminders of Children Health Care■

1. Baby born after 24 hours can take the test of Audiometry and do the screening of acute cardiac disease.
2. Baby born after 48 hours can do the screening of congenital metabolic disorders.
3. Children under 6 years old can do the screening of child development to observe their growth development. (<http://e-screening.health.gov.tw> or <http://kidd.taipei>)



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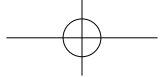
4. Children under 6 years old can have free coating of fluoride on their teeth every six months.
5. Preventive vaccination and health care service for children should be taken according to what is suggested in children health booklet, to make sure they are healthy.

### ■Community Health Care Resources■

1. Interpretation service is provided at new immigrants community health information station
  - (1) Services:
    - a. Advisory service (on-site or by telephone) about health care and health subsidy in Vietnamese, Indonesian, English, and Thai.
    - b. Provide hygiene education, such as genetic health for newlyweds, maternal health care and infant health care etc. in Vietnamese, Indonesian, English, and Thai.
  - (2) Place: At 12 District Health center.
  - (3) Time: For details, consult health care center of the district.
2. Activities by New Immigrants Supporting Groups
  - (1) Topic/subject of the activities: Provides group activities such as women/children health care, middle-aged to elderly health care, health promotion, mentally adjustment etc. by supporting new immigrant organization.
  - (2) Place: Please consult each district health center.
  - (3) Time: Please consult each district health center.
3. Health care service by telephone or by visiting:
  - (1) Provide health education on fertility to new immigrant who are just married and after giving birth to a baby, and also provide new immigrants women health care, and child health care related instruction.
  - (2) Accompany by interpreter.

### ■New Immigrants Supporting Groups■

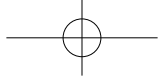
1. Supporting new immigrant organization conducts three echelons of new immigrant related activities, every echelon has eight different classes respectively.



2. In order to achieve the effect of social support, the topics/issues of classes includes needs of new immigrant families, all kinds of women and children health care, kids and teenager health care, prevention of middle-aged and elderly sickness, prevention of cancer, health promotion, and mental adjustment etc. And it can also be achieved through the sharing of experiences between members, supporting each others, assisting and joining new immigrants' supportive organization in order to seek for assistance to handle stressful life and burdens faced by individuals.
3. For details of classes conduct in 2015, contact Eden Social Welfare Foundation, telephone number: 02-2230-6670 ext. 7208

### ■List of 12 District Health Centers in Taipei City■

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District	Telephone	Address
Songshan	(02)2767-1757	No.692, Sec. 4, Bade Rd., Songshan Dist., Taipei City
Xinyi	(02)2723-4598	No.15, Sec. 5, Xinyi Rd., Xinyi Dist., Taipei City
Daan	(02)2733-5831	No.15, Sec. 3, Xinhai Rd., Da-an Dist., Taipei City
Zhongshan	(02)2501-4616	7F., No.367, Songjiang Rd., Zhongshan Dist., Taipei City
Zhongzheng	(02)2321-5158	No.24, Guling St., Zhongzheng Dist., Taipei City
Datong	(02)2585-3227	No.52, Changji St., Datong Dist., Taipei City
Wanhua	(02)2303-3092	No.152, Dongyuan St., Wanhua Dist., Taipei City
Wenshan	(02)2234-3501	3F., No.220, Sec. 3, Muzha Rd., Wenshan Dist., Taipei City
Nangang	(02)2782-5220	7F., No.360, Sec. 1, Nangang Rd., Nangang Dist., Taipei City
Neihu	(02)2791-1162	2-1F., No.99, Sec. 6, Minquan E. Rd., Neihu Dist., Taipei City
Shilin	(02)2881-3039	2F., No.439, Zhongzheng Rd., Shilin Dist., Taipei City
Beitou	(02)2826-1026	No.111, Sec. 2, Shipai Rd., Beitou Dist., Taipei City



## ■ Introduction and Prevention of AIDS ■

### 1. Do you know about AIDS?

AIDS is a disease caused by Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV). It is transmitted through sexual behaviors, blood transfusion, drug injection, or maternal infection. The most effective preventive is to have fixed sexual partners, use condoms during the whole sexual intercourse, and prevent from sharing toothbrushes, shavers, or any other puncturing tools with others.

### 2. Make sure to take AIDS examinations before getting married and pregnant.

AIDS examinations help you to know about your own health situation and can be served as the basic information if you get AIDS in the future, which can clarify the reasons of transmitting AIDS. This examination can secure your rights.

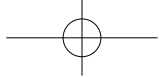
### 3. Do you know?

※ HIV is highly contagious to newborns. Therefore, it is extremely important to have AIDS examinations before you get married or get pregnant.

※ If HIV is detected before you get married or pregnant, you should not be worried too much. The Taipei City Government will designate specialists to help you, and minimize the risks of the child getting AIDS.

### 4. There are some tips for having a happy and satisfied family life. The following are some reminders.

- (1) Have you had AIDS examinations before?
- (2) If you had, please make sure that you have kept the examination result to protect your rights and benefits.
- (3) If you did not take AIDS examinations, please dial the following telephone numbers to ask for helps to have related check-ups which are free.
- (4) If you get pregnant, remember to take AIDS virus examinations for pregnant women. Currently, the pre-natal examinations contain free AIDS examinations to ensure the health of you and your babies.
- (5) Please be informed that the best way to prevent AIDS is using the condoms.
- (6) The preventive measure for HIV is to take PrEP pills beforehand, and it helps to reduce the risk of HIV infection.



For more details, kindly contact 02-2370-3738.

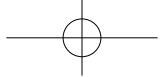
- (7) Taipei City Hospital, Kunming Branch provides free HIV scanning to pregnant women with no health insurance.

For more details, kindly contact 02-2370-3738.

- (8) Ever since the new system started in the beginning of 2016, the AIDS treatment fees of the new immigrants legally living in Taiwan area for the first two years were paid from Centers for Disease Control official budget. However, Starting from February 2017, two years after the treatment, the patient will be treated as chronic patient, and the medical fees are paid from health insurance.

## 5. AIDS Screening Hospital Hotlines:

- (1) National Taiwan University Hospital : (02)2312-3456 ext.67552, 0978-195-151(hotline)  
Service hour: Mon – Fri 9 : 00~19 : 00 Lunch hour: Mon – Fri 12 : 30~13 : 30
- (2) Taipei City Hospital, Linsen (Chinese Medicine) Branch: (02)2370-3739 ext.1124 or 1110, 0979-306-875 (hotline)  
Service Hour : Mon – Fri : 8 : 00~17 : 00 Lunch hour : 12 : 00 ~13 : 00  
Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri : 18 : 00~20 : 00 ,  
Saturday : 13 : 00~17 : 00
- (3) Kunming Prevention and Control Center : (02)2370-3738  
Service hour: Mon – Fri 9:00 – 17:00  
Lunch hour: 12:00 – 13:00
- (4) Taipei Medical University Hospital : 0970-405-471, 0970-405-473 (hotline)  
Service Hour : Mon – Fri : 8 : 30~16 : 30, Lunch hour : 12 : 00~13 : 00  
Saturday : 9 : 00~11 : 30
- (5) Taipei Veterans General Hospital : (02)2875-1997  
Service hour : Mon – Fri : 9 : 00~17 : 00, Lunch hour : 12 : 00~13 : 30
- (6) Taipei Municipal Wanfang Hospital – managed by Taipei Medical Hospital:  
(02)2930-7930 ext.1722 or 1752,  
0970-746-575(hotline)  
Service hour : Mon – Fri : 9 : 00~17 : 00, Lunch hour : 12 : 00~13 : 00
- (7) Taiwan Igiving organization: (02)2559-2059  
Service hour : Mon – Fri : 9 : 30~19 : 00



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- (8) Living With Hope Organization: (02)2392-0010  
Service hour : Mon – Fri : 9 : 00~18 : 00
- (9) Light of Friendship Association of Taiwan: (02)2375-5413  
Service hour : Wed – Sun: 14:00~20:00
- (10) Taiwan Tongzhi Hotline Association: (02)2392-1969  
Service hour : Tue – Wed : 19 : 00~22 : 00
- (11) Living with Hope Organization: (02)2392-0010  
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## ■Introduction and Prevention of Dengue Fever■

### 1. Disease description

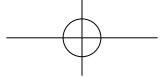
Dengue Fever is an acute virus fever transmitted by mosquitoes. In Taiwan, the major transmission mosquitoes are *Aedes aegypti* and *Aedes albopictus*. The significant symptoms of dengue fever include fever, headaches, eye-socket pains, muscles and joints pains, and rashes.

### 2. Modes of Transmission

The Dengue fever is transmitted by vector mosquitoes, and is not transmitted by human. The virus of dengue fever exists in the blood of patient for one day before and five days after the outbreak. If any mosquito stings the patient during the period of time, the virus will reproduce within the mosquito and become contagious after 8 to 12 days. When one person is stung by a vector mosquito, the disease will incite itself after 3 to 14 days (usually 5 to 8 days) of incubation period, and becomes to be contagious.

### 3. Preventive Measures

- 1) Houses should be installed with screen windows and doors. If not, it is better to reduce the frequency of opening and closing doors and windows.
- (2) It is better to hang a mosquito screen or turn on a mosquito catching lamp when sleeping.
- (3) When entering highly contagious areas, it is recommended to wear light colored clothes and pants. Also, it is better to spray mosquito repellent.
- (4) Keep tidiness inside and outside the house. Keep containers dry to prevent from herding mosquitoes.



Presently, there isn't any vaccine for dengue fever. If you happened to have gone to dengue fever high risk areas such as South East Asia countries or Mainland China for travelling, visiting relatives, or on business purposes, and found that you have dengue fever symptoms such as fever, pain in your joint bone, Retro-orbital and rashes, you must seek medical advice, and disclose the details of your traveling details to the doctors. If you have any doubts, call 24hours quarantine hotline (02)2375-3782.

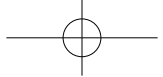
## ■ Introduction and Prevention of Enterovirus ■

### 1. Disease description

Enterovirus is a general name of a group of different viruses. Among them, the Enterovirus 71 type is the one that causes complication in nerve systems. The major pathway for transmission is through intestines (feces to mouth, water or food contamination) or respiratory passages. The disease is contagious days before its incidence. The virus is clinically able to incite various diseases, which usually cause fever and other flu-like symptoms. However, some will show special clinical symptoms, such as herpangina, hand and foot disease, fever and external rashes. Most Enterovirus infection can heal itself. Only a few cases will have serious complications. There are currently no effective medicines for the diseases, so it is only feasible to use supportive treatments. The preventive measures of Enterovirus include to wash hands correctly (moisturize, rub, flush, hold, and dry), have a balanced diet, moderate exercises, sufficient sleeping, and to stay inside when having the disease, pay attention to hygienic conditions, keep ventilated, wash toys frequently, avoid going to crowded places, and to breastfeed newborns.

### 2. Methods for Disinfection of Enterovirus:

- (1) Take one teaspoon (normal one, about 15 to 20 ml) of normal bleach water (with a regular concentration ratio about 5% and 6%), and pour into 10 liters of plain water (8 large plastic bottles, each of 10 liters) and stir well. Use the water to clean the surfaces that we frequently touch, such as door knob, table and chair, dining table, stairway holding, toy, entertainment facilities, sleeping sheet and pillow, and book.
- (2) Enterovirus cannot exist in the environment with high heat over 50 Celsius degrees. Therefore, heating our food can reduce the risks of virus transmission. If you have any questions, please call the 24-hour hotline for disease surveillance at (02)2357-3782.



## ■ Introduction and Prevention of Tuberculosis ■

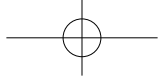
Tuberculosis is a chronic disease that caused by *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*. When the bacteria invade the lungs, it will incite tuberculosis.

A few people have infections besides the lungs, such as lymph nodes, brain rudiment, membrane, kidneys, bones, skin, digestive tracts, urinary and reproduction tracts. Symptoms in these organs are called as extra pulmonary tuberculosis. Only patients who have active pulmonary tuberculosis are capable of transmitting the disease. When such patients spit, cough, sneeze, or speak, they may transmit the tiny droplets with *mycobacterium tuberculosis* into the air, which later may be inhaled by other people. 95% of normal people who inhale *mycobacterium tuberculosis* have sufficient immunity to fight against the tiny bit of tuberculosis bacterium inhaled. However, those with weak immunity will get the diseases when inhaling enough amounts of the bacteria. The longer people contact with an active pulmonary tuberculosis patient, the higher chances they get infected. The disease cannot be transmitted through clothes or food. 6 to 12 months after the infection is the highest risky period for developing to pulmonary tuberculosis.

The major diagnoses for tuberculosis are clinical symptoms, chest X-ray slides, and sputum chips. Tuberculosis can be completely cured. If the patient cooperate with the doctor and continue the therapy for 6 to 9 months, he or she can be cured. The patient will not be contagious after taking medicines for 2 weeks. "Taking medicine regularly" is one of the major measures to cure the disease.

In order to make sure that the patient takes medicines regularly, the doctor usually uses DOTS (Directly Observation Treatment Short course) treatment which means a designator will watch the patient taking and swallowing medicine to ensure Tuberculosis patients definitely take the medicine. Tuberculosis patients are curable if they cooperate with the doctor. For protecting your health, you may make a 7 minute self-screening test: coughing for over 2 weeks (2 points), coughing with sputum (2 points), chest pain (1 point), no appetite (1 point), weight loss (1 point); if the points sum up to or over 5 points, you should go to Chest Medicine Department or Infectious Disease Department for early diagnosis and therapy. If you have any questions, please call the 24hour hotline for disease surveillance at (02)2357-3782.





## ■Introduction and Prevention of Measles■

### 1. Modes of Transmission

Measles is an acute high contagious disease caused by Measles virus. Because humans are the only hosts and reservoirs, the disease can be transmitted among people. Its incubation period ranges from 7 to 18 days with an average of 14 days (until red rashes are seen), it is transmitted through air, water droplets or direct contact with the patient's nasal or throat secretions with strong infectivity. Receiving the injection of 3 in 1 mixed vaccination (Measles- Mumps –Rubella, MMR) is the most important and also the most effective method for prevention of measles.

### 2. Notices for Traveling Abroad and Returning

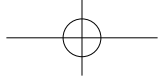
Before traveling abroad, it is better to self-examine your own health status, and to make sure that if your children have received the vaccine injections. If you have any doubts about that, you should evaluate and consider whether to receive the injection of measles vaccine.

The immunity against the disease will develop in 2 weeks after the vaccination, it is necessary to pay attention to the vaccination period to make sure that the vaccine effect when you travel in a contagious area. People should cultivate good personal hygiene habits, such as washing hands frequently and covering your mouth when you cough. It is also recommended to reduce the frequency of going into crowded public places to prevent getting infection.

If you develop rashes, fever, or other similar symptoms to measles when you return to Taiwan, it is better for you to go to the hospital and inform the doctor of travel routes. If you have any questions, please call the 24-hour hotline for disease surveillance at (02)2357-3782.

## ■Taipei City, the First City Introducing ‘Electronic Reminder System for Baby Preventive Vaccination’■

Taipei City Government has established the “SMS & E-mail Reminder System for Babies Vaccination and Health Care Information”(http://www.health.gov.tw/ ) . Parents can visit the website to register the membership and their baby basic information. 7 days before the day a baby should take an injection, the parents will receive SMS or E-mail



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reminder automatically sent by Taipei City Government for baby preventive vaccination. For further information, please telephone Taipei City Preventive Vaccination Hotline: (02)2375-4341 or inquire one of the Health Service Centers of 12 districts in Taipei City.

### ■Introduction of Infant Vaccination■

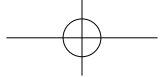
After having given a birth, the mother will receive a brochure of baby's health which contains the schedule and record table for all the vaccines and timing for the baby to take. These vaccines are regulated for all children by Health Promotion Administration, Ministry of Health and Welfare. Parents should take their children to receive these vaccines according to the types and schedule for expected effects in order to give the best protection to infants. When the baby receives vaccine injections, the mother needs to take the health brochure and health insurance card for registration and check. All the vaccination records should be kept intact for any health reference for school entrances, overseas studies, works, and immigration matters in the future.

If the mother is a carrier of high contagious hepatitis B (with both positive e-type antigen and s-type antigen), her babies should have an injection of immunoglobulin for hepatitis B. The injection should be done no later than 24 hours after birth.

If you have any questions concerning the vaccination related questions, please call the Preventive Vaccination Hotline:( 02)2375-4341, or contact any of the following health service centers of the 12 districts in Taipei City.

### ■Introduction and Prevention of H1N1 (Swine Influenza)■

Influenza is transmitted to humans mainly through droplet infection and contacts. The most effective precaution is to keep a good habit of personal hygiene. Good hygienic habits should be developed, for example, washing hands, covering your mouth and nose when you cough. In case there are symptoms of fever, coughing, a sore throat, muscular stiffness, nausea and diarrhea, please put on a mask immediately and seek medical helps as soon as possible. Inform the doctor proactively of the "three Qs during consultation": 1. your traveling history 2. Contact history 3. Check if your relatives and friends surrounding have similar symptoms. When in doubt, please call the 1999 Citizen Hotline or visit the website of Disease Control Information Area of Department of Health, Taipei City Government: <http://www.health.gov.tw>.



## Social Welfare

### ■Self-Protection■

When a new immigrant experiences domestic violence such as illegal physical or psychological abuses from family members (for example, ill-treatment, injury, freedom limitation, sexual abuse, sexual autonomy abuse, threats, intimidation, insult, harassment, damage of objects and mental abuse), he or she can apply for a protection order from the court, or contact the Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Prevention Committee or any police precinct to ask for helps from the police, Committee or the social welfare workers.

Nationals Protection Hotl-line: 113

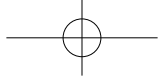
Foreigners in Taiwan Counseling Hot-line: 0800-024-111

Sexual Harassment Inquiry Hotline: 3365、4553

### ■Application of Family Special Circumstances Aid■

The Department of Social Affairs of Taipei City Government provides the following economic supports to the new immigrants who have registered marriage with local citizens and are in special situations (e.g., the new immigrant's spouse dies or is missing, or the immigrant gets a divorce as a result of intentional abandonment or domestic violence, or the immigrant raises children who are under 18 years old by his/her own, or the immigrant lacks ability to work or suffers from major accidents in three months):

1. Urgent supplemental assistance
2. Child care subsidy
3. First priority for entering the public nursery schools
4. Living subsidies for children
5. Educational subsidies for children (public and private high school and above)
6. Medical care subsidies
7. Business start-up loan
8. Injury examination subsidies
9. Psychological treatment subsidies



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### 10. Subsidies for legal issues

If there is a need for application or counseling, please call the Department of Social Affairs of Taipei City Government at 1999, ext. 6969~71; contact the Comprehensive Plan Section of Family Violence and Sexual Infringe Prevent Center of Taipei City Government at (02)23961996, ext. 6809 when the new immigrants apply for domestic violence related assistance.

### ■Application of Starting Own Business Allowance■

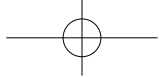
If a new immigrant wants to apply for business start-up loans, he or she must get the qualification of Taiwanese nation, and must be 20 years old or over. For more information, please contact National Association of Small & Medium Enterprises, R.O.C. at 0800-092-957, or (02)2366-0812, ext. 170.

### ■Non-governmental Social Welfare Groups■

For your reference, below is the contact info about selected non-governmental groups.

For additional social welfare services for new immigrants, please contact the Women's Welfare and Children Caring Division, Department of Social Affairs, Taipei City Government at (02)2725-6969~71.

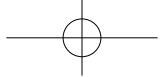
Non-governmental organization	Telephone
Taiwan Women's Development Association	(02)2891-1870
YWCA-Taipei	(02)2381-2131
Good Shepherd Sister Social Welfare Services	(02)2381-5402
The Garden of Hope Foundation	(02)8911-8595
The Pearl S. Buck Foundation, Taipei, Taiwan	(02)2504-8088
Eden Social Welfare Foundation	(02)2578-4515
Immigration Women and Family Service Center	(02)2558-0133



Chinese Association for Relief and Ensuing Services	(02)2393-6566
Taiwan Immigrant Family Association	(02)2369-1001
Trans Asia Sister Association, Taiwan (TASAT)	(02)2921-0565
Modern Women's Foundation	(02)7728-5098
Warm Life Association	(02)2708-0126
Awakening Foundation	(02)2502-8715
Taipei Women's Rescue Foundation	(02)2555-8595
Taiwan International Family Association	(02)2977-8015
National Organization for Women	(02)2377-3621
The YWCA of Taiwan	(02)2314-0408

## ■ Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants ■

Center	Area Responsible	Address	Telephone
Western Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	Wanhua, Zhongzhen, Datong Area	10F., No.7, Qingdao W. Rd., Zhongzhen Dist., Taipei City	02-23616577
Northern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	Zhongshan, Beitou, Shilin Area	4F., No.232, Changchun Rd., Zhongshan Dist., Taipei City	02-25040399
Southern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	Wenshan, Xinyi, Daan Area	1F., No.7, Lane 127, Jingxing Rd., Wenshan Dist., Taipei City	02-29312166
Eastern Taipei City Caring Station for New Immigrants	Neihu, Nangang, Shongshan Area	1F, No.19, Aly. 83, Lane 189, Sec. 3, Kangning Rd., Neihu Dist., Taipei City	02-26317059



# Law and Regulations of Household Registrations and Identities

## ■Introducing Laws of Household Registration■

1. One person is not allowed to have two household registrations at the same time. Any event relating to the law should be registered at the local Household Registration Office within 30 days after the event takes place or confirmed. Birth registration should be filed within 60 days of the birth.
2. If the documents needed for household registration are applied overseas, it is necessary to translate them into Chinese. Both the original copy and translation copy of the documents shall be authenticated by Taiwanese consulate.

## ■Marriage registration■

### Procedure:

Submit the application forms to any local household registration office by both parties concerned. For those who married before May 22nd, 2008(included those married on May 22nd 2008), or whose marriage has been in effect, one of the parties is allowed to file an application. For those who cannot apply in person, he or she should submit the authorization approved by the Office to proceed. (authorization letter from abroad should be authenticated by a Taiwan consulates).

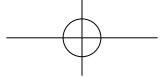
### Documents required:

#### Getting married in Taiwan:

1. Household register, national identity card, seal (or signature), and marriage certificate.
2. Identification document and marital status document of new immigrant authenticated by Taiwan consulate.

#### Getting married in Mainland China

1. Household register, national identity card, seal (or signature)
2. Identification document and Entry/Exit Permit (with the stamped “Interview passed,



allow to register marriage” chopped by the Immigration Department.

3. Marriage certificate authenticated by Straits Exchange Foundation.

### Getting married in overseas countries:

1. Household register, national identity card, seal (or signature).
2. Identification documents of new immigrants.
3. Both the original copy and the translation copy of Marriage certificate authenticated by Taiwanese consulates.

When a new immigrant applies for marriage registration, he or she must use the Chinese name, and his/her Chinese name must comply with the customs and practice of our national.

When the national of Taiwan submit the registration of marriage, they are required to change their ID cards at the same time. (Please refer to the regulation for applying identification card next page)

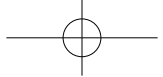
## ■ Birth registration ■

### Application procedure:

1. For baby born in Taiwan: Parents, grandparents, household leader, cohabitant, or the raiser of the baby, should submit the application of birth registration to the Household Registration Office they want to declare.
2. For baby born overseas (included Mainland China): Household leader or legal delegate submitted the initial household registration application to Household Registration Office they want to declare, with resident certificate (issued by National Immigration Agency according to immigration regulations).
3. For applicants not being able to apply personally: The applicant could authorize other people to file the application on his/her behalf (if the authorization letter is from aboard, it should be authenticated by Taiwanese consulate.)

### Document required:

1. For baby born in Taiwan: Household register of where the household registration is declared, applicant’s national identity card, seal (or signature), birth certificate and the



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agreement of infant's surname.

2. For baby born in overseas (included Mainland China): The household register of the initial household registration, national identity card and seal (or signature) of household leader or legal delegates, and resident certificate.
3. For applicants not being able to apply personally: The applicant could authorize other people to file the application on his/her behalf (if the authorization letter is from aboard, it should be authenticated by Taiwanese consulate).

### ■Initial Household Registration■

Applied by: Applicant, household leader or legal delegate.

Documents required: Resident certificate (issued by National Immigration Agency in accordance to the rules and regulation of immigration Act and Regulations on Taiwan Joint-family residence, permanent residence and National I.D Application Rules for citizens from Mainland China), applicant's personal identity card, seal (or signature), household register of the Initial Household Registration.

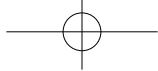
### ■Application of Identity Card■

Applied by: Applicant (Applicant under 14 years old must be accompanied by legal representative)

Applicant qualification: Anyone is eligible to apply for the national ID card in accordance with the rules and regulations upon the completion of the initial household registration.

Documents required: Household register, applicant's seal(signature) and 1 color photo taken within the last two years, without wearing hat and glasses, with eyes, nose mouth, face, both ears' outlines, special moles, birthmarks, scars etc. are clearly showed, and are not covered, and the photo shall not be modified, and the appearance can be clearly identified. The size of the photo is 4.5cm \* 3.5 cm. In the photo, the head to the jaw should not be less than 3.2 cm or exceed 3.6 cm. The color of the background should be in white, and digital



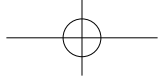


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 color glasses, finish taken within the last 2 years.

## ■List of District Household Offices in Taipei City■

(Household registration, naturalization and other applications)

Center	Telephone
Shongshan District Household Registration Office	(02)2753-3043
Xinyi District Household Registration Office	(02)2723-3977
Daan District Household Registration Office	(02)2358-7877
Zhongshan District Household Registration Office	(02)2503-2461
Zhongzhen District Household Registration Office	(02)2394-8838
Datong District Household Registration Office	(02)2594-2569
Wanhua District Household Registration Office	(02)2306-2706
Wenshan District Household Registration Office	(02)2939-5885
Nangang District Household Registration Office	(02)2782-5196
Neihu District Household Registration Office	(02)2791-2277
Shilin District Household Registration Office	(02)2880-3252
Beitou District Household Registration Office	(02)2892-4170



Military Service

## Military Service

### ■The Definition of Draftee■

Under article 20 of the Constitution, Article 1, Article 3 and Article 32 of the Military Service Act, a male with Republic of China nationality and have household registration in Taiwan that reach the aged of 18, from the following year 1/1 until the year 12/31 the male reach the aged of 36 before discharging from military service, he is subject to serve in the military. They are called as “man at conscription age”, and normally are called as “draftee”.

### ■The Conditions for Serving Military Service ■

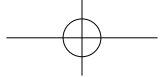
In accordance with the provisions of Article 2 "Conscription Regulations for Naturalized Aliens & Returning Overseas Chinese ", A naturalized male alien within the range of conscription age shall be subject to conscription enlistment according to law upon expiry of one-year period beginning the day next to his initial household registration. In accordance to the provision of Article 33” Military Service Act”, the conscription check-up result will determine the division of military service.

### ■How to apply for conscription enlistment in advance■

Upon expiry of one-year period beginning the day next to the initial household registration, the male is subject to conscription enlistment, but considering his right to adapt to new environment, or to do his career planning, he may submit his conscription enlistment to the district office at where his household registered, his physical status will be decided by his conscription physical check-up result.

### ■The Regulations of Serving Military Service■

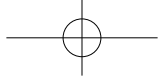
Once a naturalized male alien draftee has done the conscription enlistment, his obligation to serve in the military is the same as other draftees in the country. In accordance with Article 32 of the Military Service Conscription, the draftee is subject to



“Military Register Investigation”. The draftees shall be informed to go for conscription physical check-up at the designated hospital. The Physical Status of Regular Service Draftees shall draw lots to decide the types of military service, military department, and number. The draftees born before 1993 need to serve in the military as regular service for 1 year, the draftees born after 1994 need to attend regular service training for four months. The physical status is substitutes services draftees, born after 1994, needs to serve 12 days’ replacement services, while substitutes services draftees draftees born before 1993 shall draw lots to decide the sequence of entry into substitute service, If the physical status is military service exemption draftees shall be exempted from serving the military service.

## ■The Application for Approval of Departure■

In accordance with the provisions of Article 16 "draftee departure regulation", naturalized male alien yet to apply for conscription enlistment (according to the regulation), shall apply for approval of departure from Immigration Department of the Ministry of the Interior by showing the relevant documents, his passport shall be stamped with “departure approved” if the application is approved. However, upon the expiry of 1-year period of initial household registration, the naturalized male alien that are subject to conscription enlistment according to regulation, his application for departure approval shall be the same as other draftees in the country (for short period of departure, the application “short-term oversea travel permit for undrafted men of conscription age” can be applied on National Conscription Agency Ministry of the Interior website. applic



Nationality

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## ■ Naturalization Certificate ■

### Application Requirements:

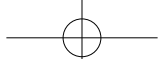
A new immigrant in the name of joint-family dependency should apply for naturalization when he or she has lived in Taiwan (after receiving the residence visa for foreigners) legally for over 183 days annually in a period of over three years; is 20 years of age; is an able person who has square personalities, have no bad behavior and no police criminal records certificate; has sufficient property or professional skills to live independently; has certificates/documents to prove that he or she has basic communication capability of spoken Mandarin, and has common sense of national obligations. The new immigrants applying for naturalization shall provide a certificate of loss of original nationality within one year from the day of approval of naturalization by the Ministry of the Interior). Failure to submit a certificate of loss of original nationality within the prescribed period shall result in the revocation of the approval of naturalization. However, an application for a deadline extension may be filed in the event of inability to submit said certificate due to legal or administrative restrictions of their original country as verified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

### Procedures of application:

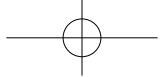
Applications should be submitted in person to the local Household Office, and the document will then be transferred by the local County (City) Government that to the Ministry of Interior for permission.

### Required documents:

1. Application form for (Pre) Naturalization
2. Household registration transcript (the applicant doesn't have to hand in this, the household registration will be responsible for the checking.)
3. A valid Alien Resident Certificate or Permanent Resident Certificate
4. An Alien Resident Certificate (the applicant doesn't have to hand in this, the household registration will be responsible for the checking).



5. A certificate showing dates of entry and exit (the applicant doesn't have to hand in this, the household registration will be responsible for the checking.)
6. A police criminal record certificate from original country (applicants for naturalization are the spouses of Taiwan citizens or the reasons on the ARC are "dependents" don't have to hand in this.)
7. A police criminal record certificate in R.O.C. (the applicant doesn't have to hand in this, the household registration will be responsible for the checking.)
8. Documents certifying that the applicant possesses sufficient property or professional skills which enable him/her to be self-reliant (the alien spouse of our citizens or aliens with permanent resident permit are exempted).
9. Evidential documents required by Identification Standards for Basic Language Ability and Basic Knowledge of R.O.C. Citizens' Rights, Article No.3, Term No.1 & 2
10. Immigrants without nationality should hand in the following:
  - (1) Travel documents (true copy) issued by a foreign government proving their stateless status (returned to the holder once checked), Chinese translated transcript and its copies of the page showing basic information (the Chinese translation should be certified by a Taiwanese notary, if it's necessary, the MOI can pass the document to the MOFA for verification.)
  - (2) Stateless people from Thailand, Myanmar, Indonesia, India or Nepal, who have met the standards of 2nd Term to 4th term of the 16th Article of Immigration Law, should have ARCs issued by the police to prescribe their stateless status.
  - (3) Other documents recognized by MOI.
11. Letter of Consent by legal representative
12. Proof of marital status
13. One photo (as the format on the National ID).
14. Application fee (please pay the current prescribed application fee by postal order, the receiver should be notified as Ministry of Interiors).



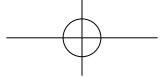
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## ■ Submitting Certificate of Loss of Original Nationality ■

After the application of naturalization is approved by the Ministry of the Interior, the new immigrants shall provide a certificate of loss of original nationality within one year from the day of approval, by applying giving up original nationality from the new immigrant's original nationality government, embassy in Taiwan or authorized institutions. As the regulation for each country is different, it is recommended to enquire the new immigrant's original government directly or embassies, consulates or authorized representative in Taiwan.

Note:

- 1) If the document required in accordance with these Rules is in a foreign language, a Chinese translation transcript is also required. If the document referred above is produced by a foreign embassy, consulate or authorized representative agency stationed in the ROC, verification by MOFA is required. If it is produced abroad, verification by an ROC Embassy or Mission, as well as re-verification by MOFA, will also be required. Re-verification by MOFA may be waived if the application has been sent to an ROC Embassy or Mission overseas.  
The Chinese translation transcript of the document shall be verified by an ROC Embassy or Mission. It must also be verified by one of the notaries in the ROC.
- 2) After naturalization to R.O.C., the identity of a foreign spouse will change to a stateless person of Taiwan Area. He/she should change the Alien Resident Certificate (ARC) or Alien Permanent Resident Certificate (APRC) to Taiwan Area Resident Certificate (TARC). He/she should apply for the Taiwan Area Resident Certificate (TARC) in the National Immigration Agency, M.O.I., to stay in Taiwan. After continuously staying or residing in Taiwan with the Taiwan Area Resident Certificate for a certain period of time (already submitting Certificate of Loss of Original Nationality), the foreign spouse may go to the relative immigration service centers of residing municipalities and counties, under the National Immigration Agency, M.O.I; to apply for the Resident Certificate. With this Resident Certificate, then the foreign spouse can establish his/her household registration in the household registration office, and getting the National I.D.



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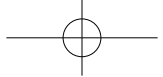
### ■How to apply for Dependent Visa and Extend Duration of Stay for Foreign Spouse■

Legal base: “Statute Governing the Issuance of ROC Visas in Foreign Passports” and “Visa Stature Enforcement Rules”.

Application procedure: Submit the application at the Taiwanese overseas embassies or missions.

Required documents:

1. The passport validity for the applicant must be over 6 months and there should be blank pages available.
2. An applicant may fill the visa application online, at the “Visa: On-line Application Forms”, on the website of Bureau of Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs ([www.boca.gov.tw](http://www.boca.gov.tw)), then print out the visa application form with barcode. The applicant must sign in person on the application form for confirmation and attach two personal photos of 2\*2 inches taken within the last 6 months from the application day; background of the photos must be in white.
3. Original household registration certificate of the applicant’s spouse, recording the whole household details for the last 3 months. The household registration certificate should show the marriage registration, the foreign name, original nationality and birth date of the new immigrant.
4. Original and copy of the marriage certificate issued by the government of the applicant. For countries without any marriage registration system should submit the original and a copy of their marriage certificate with the Chinese and English translation. They will have to be verified by the Taiwanese overseas office. (Original copy will be returned upon verification.)
5. Valid Certificate of Non- Criminal Record issued by the police or the original government of the applicant. Please submit the Chinese or English translation, verified by the Taiwanese consulate overseas. (The validity will be the date stated on the certificate, if the validity date is not shown; the validity date will be one year counted from the date the certificate issued by the original government.)



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6. Original and copy of the qualified health check-up certificate for the last 3 months, issued by the hospitals (either local or overseas) designated for foreigner health examination, by the Ministry of Health & Welfare. Foreign certificate of health examination should be attached with Chinese or English translation transcript, and must be verified by the Taiwanese Consulate overseas.
7. Under certain circumstances, financial statement, purpose of coming to Taiwan, certificate of relatives, and other relevant documents for verification may be required.
8. Application fee.

### Notes:

1. Please see the latest update news on the website of Bureau of Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs at [www.boca.gov.tw](http://www.boca.gov.tw) for any changes.
2. New immigrants who have been issued for 60 days or more of visitor's visa may apply for visa extension or residence at the service centers of National Immigration Agency, Ministry of the Interior for the residence upon arrival, only when their visa is not remarked with "No extension" or "No change of residence in Taiwan", issued by the Taiwanese Consulate overseas.
3. New immigrants should apply for Alien Registration card at the Service Center of National Immigration Agency in their living area in/within 15 days after entering Taiwan if his/her resident visa is being approved by embassy overseas. While for those immigrants whose resident visa that are approved by Bureau of Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, or its other branch offices, should apply for their Alien Registration Card at the immigration service center within 15 days.

## ■ How to Apply for Family Reunion for Spouse from Mainland China ■

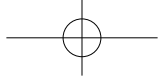
Legal base: Regulations on permission given to people from Mainland China entering to Taiwan Area

Application Procedure: Submit the application to National Immigration Agency Service Centers for approval.

Documents required:

1. An application form, one photo (same specification as the ID card attached).





2. One copy of Mainland resident Identity Card
3. Letter of Guarantee
4. Original copy and photocopy of household registration or identification card of Taiwan spouse.
5. Marriage certificate that has been verified by Straits Exchange Foundation.
6. Spouse of Mainland China reunion information sheet that apply by the people of Taiwan area (Only applicant who apply for reunion in Taiwan for the first time has to attach)
7. Certificate fee: NT\$600
8. A registered self-addressed envelope (Not necessary if the applicant obtain the certificate personally).

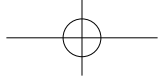
## ■How to apply for Resident Certificate for Spouse from Mainland China■

Legal basis: Regulations on Taiwan Joint-family residence, permanent residence and National I.D Application Rules for citizens from Mainland China

Application procedure: Submit the application to National Immigration Agency Service Centers for approval.

Required Documents:

1. An application form, one photo (same specification as the ID card attached).
2. One copy of mainland resident Identity Card
3. Application form for Joint -Family Resident Certificate sent by a spouse from mainland China
4. Reunion Certificate
5. Certificate of No Criminal Sanction authenticated by Straits Exchange Foundation. (Equivalent to certificate of no criminal record, valid within 3 months)
6. A qualified health examination report. (Valid within 3 months)
7. One copy of pass of mainland residents for coming and returning from Taiwan with valid period over one month.
8. Household registration and marriage registration of dependent relative (such as photocopy of Identification Card or Household Certificate).



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9. Certificate fee: NT\$2,000

10. A registered self-addressed envelope (it is unnecessary if the applicant obtain the certificate in person).

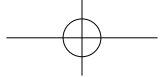
### ■How to for Apply Long-term Resident Certificate For Spouse From Mainland China■

Legal basis: Regulations on Taiwan Joint-family residence, permanent residence and National I.D Application Rules for citizens from Mainland China

Application procedure: Submit the application to National Immigration Agency Service Centers. And transfer the documents to National Immigration Agency for approval after the service center received the documents.

Required Documents:

1. An application form, one photo (same as the one attached on ID card).
2. Joint-Family Resident Certificate (photo copy)
3. Household registration and marriage registration of dependent relative (such as photocopy of Identification Card or Household Certificate).
4. The certificate or documents of duration of marriage, or implementation of obligations or responsibilities for minor children with household registration in Taiwan (it is unnecessary for those who are written on household certificate), divorce due to domestic violence, and the certificate of minor children, certificate of death of dependent relative and proof showing the spouse not being remarried.
5. Notarial Certificate of No Criminal Record (Certificate of No Criminal Conviction) approved by Straits Exchange Foundation (it is unnecessary for those who leave Taiwan each time less than three months during joint-family residence period).
6. A qualified health examination report (it is unnecessary for those who leave Taiwan each time less than three months during joint-family residence period)
7. One copy of pass of mainland residents for coming and returning from Taiwan with valid period over one month.
8. Certificate fee: NT\$2,600
9. A registered return envelope (it is unnecessary if the applicant obtain the certificate in person).



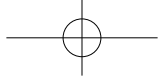
## ■How To Apply For Permanent Resident Certificate For Spouse From Mainland China■

Legal basis: Regulations on Taiwan Joint-family residence, permanent residence and National I.D Application Rules for citizens from Mainland China

Application procedure: Submit the application to National Immigration Agency Service Centers for approval.

Required Documents:

1. An application form, one photo (same as the one attached on ID card).
2. A copy of long-term resident certificate.
3. Household Registration and Certificate of Marriage of dependent relative (photocopy of Identification Card or Household Registration Certificate)
4. The certificate or documents of duration of marriage, or implementation of obligations or responsibilities for minor children with household registration in Taiwan (it is unnecessary for those who are written on household certificate), divorce due to domestic violence, and the certificate of minor children, death certificate of joint-family dependent relative and proof showing the spouse(applicant) not being remarried.
5. Notarial birth certificate (shown the birth place and names of natural parents).
6. Notarial Certificate of No Criminal Record (Certificate of No Criminal Conviction) approved by Straits Exchange Foundation (it is unnecessary for those who leave this country each time less than three months during permanent residence period).
7. A qualified health examination report. (It is unnecessary for those who leave this country each time less than three months during permanent residence period).
8. One copy of pass of mainland residents for coming to and returning from Taiwan with valid period over one month.
9. Certificate of original nationality renunciation (must submit within 3 months from the next day after possessing permanent resident certificate)
10. Certificate fee: NT\$600
11. A registered return envelope (it is unnecessary if the applicant obtain the certificate in person).



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### ■How To Apply For Alien Resident Certificate And Extend Its Duration For Foreign Spouse■

Legal basis: Regulations Governing Visiting, Residency, and Permanent Residency of Aliens & Enforcement Rules of Immigration Acts.

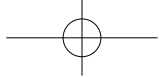
Application procedure: Submit the application to National Immigration Agency Service Center for approval

Required documents:

1. A copy of application form
2. Passport
3. Valid visa.
4. Documents of relationship certificate (e.g. marriage certificates, the household registration book, or the household registration transcript book with the name of the spouse and record of the marriage registration issued within the last 3 months)
5. One color photo of front view without wearing a hat or cap (same size as the ID card)
6. Certificate Fee (NT\$1,000 with a year of validity).

Remarks:

1. Those who enter the country with resident visa should apply for ARC within 15 days from the next day of entry.
2. Those who change with resident visa in the country should apply for ARC within 15 days from the next day changing for application of resident visa.
3. Those that have need to continue stay should apply for extension to place of residence at immigrating country and its immigration service station 30 days before expiration of ARC.
4. Those who have not applied for extension of stay so as to result in stay beyond time limit will be awarded with punishment of fine, expulsion, and prohibition of access. It is hereby requested that one should apply for over-stay before their certificate expires in order to safeguard their personal interests.
5. For those whose documents are produced overseas, they must be attached with version of Chinese translation, and are being authenticated by our oversea diplomatic representative. If our oversea diplomatic representative has only authenticated the documents, saving the version of Chinese copy, the version of Chinese copy has to be



notarized by our law-court (public notary).

6. Foreign spouse who applies for ARC the first time has to be accompanied by our national spouse, and she/he will be issued of ARC valid for 1 year.

★ **How foreign spouse apply for ARC if they like to stay over 60 days, and have not been noted by visa-issuing authority with constraint that it cannot be extended or other constraints of stay visa and holder valid visa for entry.**

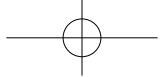
Base of legal provision: Immigration Act and its Enforcement Regulations, and Regulations governing visiting, residence and permanent residence of aliens.

Procedures of application: apply to place of stay at immigrating country and immigration service station.

Required Documents:

1. A copy of application form
2. Passport
3. For stay over 60 days, and has not be noted by visa-issuing authority with constraint that it cannot be extended or other constraints of visitor visa
4. Qualified Health certificate within the last 3 months:
  - (1) Health certificate should comply with the required items as stated for foreigners applying for residence or permanent residence, which is lately announced by Ministry of Health & Welfare (please visit the website of Ministry of Health & Welfare ). “Health Certificate for Resident application” currently used by all major hospitals in Taiwan announced by Ministry of Health & Welfare is available on the following website: <http://www.cdc.gov.tw/list.aspx?treeid=aa2d4b06c27690e6&nowtreeid=5783a22ec021590d>
  - (2) Those that are examined in foreign countries are required to be verified by the Taiwanese overseas offices. If the examination items are incomplete, they will need to complete the unchecked items in Taiwan.
  - (3) Health certificate is valid for 3 months after the examination date. Submit the application within the valid period. (Please go to accredited hospitals for health examination soon after arrival.)

5. Criminal record certificate:



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- (1) The criminal record certificate issued within 1 year after the date of issued by applicant's original country authority; however, it should not exceed the expiry date stated in the certificate. (The criminal record certificate refers to the national criminal record of the applicant issued by the applicant original country, for example the national criminal record of the US citizen shall be certified by the FBI of the United States Federal Bureau of Investigation)
- (2) The criminal record certificate should include records within the last 5 years.

### 6. Proof of current address

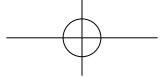
7. Related documents and certificates for reasons of dependency: Certificate of marriage registration in the household registration office in Taiwan (e.g. original ID card of Taiwan, original household registration book, or original household registration transcript. All originals will be returned upon verification).

8. A color photo of front view without wearing any hat or cap. (Same size as ID card)

9. Certificate Fee (NT\$1,000 with a year of validity, for the applicant with visitor visa, the fee is NT\$2,000).

### Remarks:

1. Must submit the application within 30 days before the valid duration of stay is expired.
2. The valid duration of stay of the alien residence certificate will be effective since the date of approval.
3. For those who are married to the citizens with the household registered in Taiwan apply for dependent visas for the first time will be issued alien residence certificates with a year of validity, and the spouse must accompany the applicant to file the application.
4. Applicants without being able to obtain alien residence certificates before the duration of stay expires are required to depart the country before the date.
5. Applicants leaving the country during the process, the application cases will be closed and filed (they will not be processed again). If the applicants re-enter the country while complying with the status in Paragraph 1 of Article 23 in the Act, they are eligible to submit the application again in accordance with the requirements.
6. Those who plan to continue their residence in Taiwan should apply for residence extension at the service center of National Immigration Agency within 30 days before the alien resident certificate expires.



7. Visa expired due to not applying for extension on time will cause fine, deportation or forbidden entrance. As a protection of the individual's rights, please apply for extension before the visa expires.
8. For those whose documents are produced overseas, they must be attached with version of Chinese translation, and are being authenticated by our oversea diplomatic representative. If our oversea diplomatic representative has only authenticated the documents, saving the version of Chinese copy, the version of Chinese copy has to be notarized by our law-court (public notary).

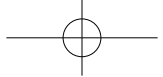
### ■ Upon Death of New Immigrants Spouse or Divorce, Can The New Immigrants Stay? ■

Legal basis: Paragraph 4 of Article 31 from the Enforcement Rules of Immigration Act, Regulations Governing Visits, Residence, and Permanent Residence of Aliens, Regulations on Taiwan Joint-family residence, permanent residence and National I.D Application Rules for citizens from Mainland China

Application procedures: Submit documents to National Immigration Agency Service Centers.

Notes:

- ◆ When the reasons for staying vanished during the residency period, the alien could continue to stay under one of the following reasons:
  1. The dependent relative past away.
  2. The foreign spouse obtains protection order issued by the Court if he or she is physically or mentally abused by his or her spouse who is a Taiwanese civilian with household.
  3. The foreign spouse is granted with the guardianship of children under age who have registered the household in Taiwan after divorced.
  4. The divorce is decreed by the court due to the domestic violence and the children are under age and they have registered the household in Taiwan.
  5. If the residence permit is terminated and the foreign spouse is forced to depart Taiwan, it might cause a great and un-coverable damage to the children underage who have registered the household.



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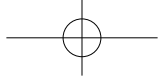
- ◆ When the reasons for staying vanished during the residency period, but the resident permit is issued, under one of the following circumstances, the resident permit will not be cancelled.
  1. The dependent relative past away.
  2. Remarry to the same dependent relative 30days after divorced.
  3. The foreign spouse is granted with the guardianship of children under age who have registered the household in Taiwan after divorced.
  4. The divorce is decreed by the court due to the domestic violence and the children are under age and they have registered the household in Taiwan.

### ■List of Units Responsible for Applying Departing Related Documents for New Immigrants■

Government Office		Type of Service	Telephone
National Immigration Agency (Taipei City Service Center)		1. Apply for visa and residence certificate in Taiwan. 2. Accept foreigners applying for all residence, staying and other business. 3. Provide service and information on related regulations of residence, staying, arriving and departing.	(02)2388-9393
Foreign Affairs Divisions, Taipei City Police Department		Provide service for police criminal record and proof	(02)2381-7494
Bureau of Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs	Visa counter	Provide inquiry about regulation of visa and verification of documents.	(02)2343-2866
	Line for Visa inquiries		(02)2343-2885
	Documents Counter		(02)2343-2965
	Line for document inquiries		(02)2343-2913

### ■How To Apply For apply For Permanent Residence For Foreign Spouse■





Legal basis: The Enforcement Rules of Immigration Act, Regulations Governing Alien Visits, Residence, and Permanent Residence.

Procedures of application: Submit application to local service centers of National Immigration Agency. First review will be accepted here and then forwarded to National Immigration Agency for final review.

Required documents:

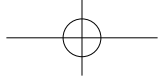
1. One copy of application form.
2. One color photo of front view without wearing a hat or cap (same size as the ID card)
3. Original and copies of new and old passports (The originals will be returned upon verification).
4. Original and copy of alien's residence certificate (The original will be returned upon verification).
5. An original copy of health certificate issued in 3 months.
6. Must have sufficient property or special skill to support the living.
7. One copy of the applicant's criminal record certificates from the native and Taiwan within the last 5 years.
8. Other related certificate or documents (e.g. household register, marriage certificate work permit or documents required for the case).

Processing time: 14 days (excluding time for document resubmission, interview and verification by other relative departments)

Fee: NT\$10,000 (Upon the approval of the final review, the applicant will be informed individually for the payment).

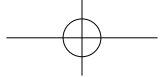
Remarks:

1. Foreigners applying for permanent residence should legally reside in Taiwan for consecutive 5 years. They should apply in 2 years after residing over 183 days every year. Citizens living in Taiwan with the registered household, their foreign spouses and children are also applicable to reside legally in Taiwan for consecutive 10 years if they reside over 183 days within the 5 years out of the 10 years.
2. Have sufficient property or special skill to support the living.



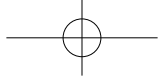
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- (1) Those applying for the permanent residence with the status as the spouses of the citizens in Taiwan should provide one of the following documents verified by National Immigration Agency.
  - A. Information on incomes, taxes, personal properties, and real estates in Taiwan.
  - B. Employment certificate issued by the employer or the written description on the work contents and income by the applicant.
  - C. The certificates of professions and technicians or skill-testing issued by the authorities in Taiwan.
  - D. Any information to prove the applicant 's independence and life assurance.
- (2) Applicants other than the above applying for permanent residence should meet one of the following conditions:
  - A. The average monthly income in Taiwan within the last year is at least twice more than the basic salary announced by Ministry of Labor.
  - B. The total value of the personal properties and real estates are approximately to NT\$ 5 million.
  - C. Certificates of professions and technicians or skill-testing issued by the authorities in Taiwan.
  - D. Other documents recognized by National Immigration Agency.
3. Original criminal record certificate in Taiwan within the last 5 years (valid in 3months).
4. Original criminal record certificate in his or her native country within the last 5 years (valid in 6 month) (including the Chinese translation, and choose one to complete the following procedure):
  - (1) Original criminal record certificate in the foreign language issued by the applicant's native country and its Chinese translation should both be verified by the Taiwanese overseas office to complete the verification. (Inspect by Ministry of Foreign Affairs if necessary).
  - (2) If only the original criminal record certificate in the foreign language issued by the applicant's native country is verified by the Taiwanese overseas office (second review by Ministry of Foreign Affairs if required), its Chinese translation will be required to be notarized by the law court or verified by a notary public in Taiwan.
  - (3) Criminal record certificate in the foreign language issued (or verified) by the



applicant's consulate or authority in Taiwan, the original should be verified once again by Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and its Chinese translation is required to be notarized by the law court or verified by a notary public in Taiwan.

5. The Police Criminal Record Certificate issued by National Police Administration is regarded as a national record of applicant such as a criminal record certificate of U.S. citizens will be verified by FBI (Federal Bureau of Investigation) to meet the qualification.
6. Other enclosed related documents shall be different in accordance with various reasons for residence:
  - (1) Dependent: Household register or identity card.
  - (2) Employment:
    - A. Work permits.
    - B. Certification of employment within a month.
  - (3) Missionary:
    - A. Statement of guarantee from religious organizations
      - a. State that the applicant works without remuneration and full-time.
      - b. Guaranteeing and responsible for the applicant's life assurance of life upon receiving the permanent residence.
    - B. The certificate or corporate registration for the religious organization is issued by Ministry of Interior.
    - C. Certification of employment is issued by that religious organization.
  - (4) Investment:
    - A. Business registration
    - B. Register of shareholders
    - C. The registration card of item changes in the corporate
    - D. The letter of Investment Commission, MOEAUnder certain circumstances, other documents may be required.
7. Foreigners having Taiwan nationalities are not allowed to apply for the permanent residence.
8. Holders of the permanent resident certificates reside (APRC) in Taiwan less than 183 days each year after second year since the certificate was issued, the APRC will



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- be nullified. However, some are exempted if they are approved by the authorities. (Concerning the counting of “year”, it is counted starting from Jan 1 of the second year since the date of issuance of the permanent resident certificate), Moreover, after cancelling the Alien Resident Certificate, the holder, if still with residence reason, may apply for permanent residence within 30 days after cancellation of the original ARC.
9. Foreigners who have continuously resided for 5 consecutive years legally, and departed from Taiwan not more than 3 months each time, do not need to attach a qualified health examination certificate and Taiwan Police Criminal Record

### ■How To Apply For Change of Residence Address For New Immigrant■

Legal basis: The Enforcement Rules of Immigration Act, Regulations Governing Alien Visits, Residence, and Permanent Residence.

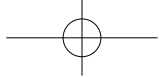
Procedures of application: Submit application to local service centers of National Immigration Agency in 15 days after the change of residence.

Required documents:

1. One application form.
2. Passport.
3. Alien residence certificate.
4. A color photo of front view without wearing a hat or cap (same size as the ID card)
5. Original and copy of related documents (e.g. household registration, rental contract etc...)

### ■The Identity of A Foreign Spouse Will Become A Stateless Person after Naturalization to Taiwan R.O.C... How Can He/She Apply for A “Taiwan Area Residence Certificate (TARC)” to Reside in Taiwan?■

Required Qualification: New immigrants, having received the Naturization Permission



Certificate issued by M.O.I., should change the original Alien Resident Certificate (ARC) or Alien Permanent Resident Certificate (APRC) to “Taiwan Area Residence Certificate (TARC)

Legal basis: The Enforcement Rules of Immigration Act, Regulations on Entry, Residence and National I.D Application for Stateless Persons

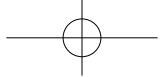
Procedures of application: Submit application to the service centers of residing municipalities or counties, under National Immigration Agency, M.O.I..

Required documents:

1. One application form for Taiwan Area Resident Certificate (TARC), attached with a color photo of front view without wearing a hat or cap (same size as the National ID card)
2. Original and copy of the Certificate for Naturalization Permission. (Original will be returned after verification)
3. Original and copy of Alien Residence Certificate (ARC). (Original will be returned after verification)
- 4.. Proof document of residence address, e.g. household registration certificate showing marriage registration data with our nationals, or original and copy of the spouse’s National I.D. (Original will be returned after verification)
5. Certification fee of NT\$1,000.

### ■For Those Stateless People Who Have Stayed or Resided Continuously for A Period in Taiwan, How Can They Apply for The Resident Certificate (for National I.D.)?■

Required Qualification: those new immigrants holding Taiwan Area Resident Certificate (TARC), who have been staying or residing continuously for a certain period, are allowed to apply for the resident certificate (for Taiwan I.D.) Staying or residing continuously for certain period: it means continuously living in Taiwan for 1 year without any departure record, or residing up to 2 years, each year over 270



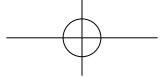
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days, or residing for 5 years, each year over 183 days). However, those whose identity is originally stateless people and naturalized to R.O.C., the condition of residing continuously is restricted to: continuously residing without departure for 3 years, or residing for 5 years, each year over 270 days, or for 7 years, each year over 183 days.

Procedures of application: Submit application to the service centers of National Immigration Agency in residing municipalities or counties, First review will be accepted here and then forwarded to National Immigration Agency, M.O.I. for final review

Required documents:

1. One application form for Resident Certificate, attached with a color photo of front view without wearing a hat or cap (same size as the National ID card)
2. Taiwan Area Residence Certificate (TARC)
3. Original and copy of Household Registration Certificate, or National I.D. of the spouse of Taiwan nationals. (Original will be returned after verification, but not necessary to attach if the applicant is divorced)
4. Qualified Health examination certificate within the last 3 months:  
Health certificate should comply with the required items as announced by Ministry of Health & Welfare. The health checklist should consist of the "Items required for health certificate" that are currently used by all major hospitals in Taiwan as stated by Ministry of Health & Welfare. (Type B).
5. Other relative documents, e.g. the applicant who has divorced with the spouse of Taiwan nationals, should provide the original and copies of Housing Taxation Statement or Rental Contract, showing correct household registration address. (Original will be returned after verification)
6. Registered postal return envelope stating name and address of the recipient.
7. Certification fee of NT\$600.



# Taipei City New Immigrant's Hall

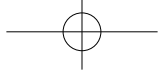
In order to assist new immigrants to adapt to the local society, the Department of Civil Affairs, Taipei City has established New Immigrant Hall at 2 places in 2003 and 2004 respectively. The main function of the New immigrant Hall is to provide new immigrants and their families, and Taipei citizens a place to learn cultures of other countries, and it also plays an important role in providing new immigrants a place where they could interact with each other and a center that support internet establishment.

※The address and telephone number of New Immigrants Halls:

- Taipei City New Immigrant's Hall (Nangang District): Basement 1, No. 768-1, Section 4, Bade Road, Nangang District, Taipei City. Telephone: (02)2788-4911.
- Taipei City New Immigrant's Hall (Wanhua District): No. 171, Section 2, Changsha Street, Wanhua District, Taipei City Telephone: (02)2370-1046.

## Interpreters Service Hours

Nangang Hall						
Time	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Morning (09:00-12:00)	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese
Afternoon (14:00-17:00)	Indonesian	Thai	Indonesian	English	Thai	Indonesian
Wanhua Hall						
Morning (09:00-12:00)	Indonesian	Thai	Indonesian	English	Thai	Indonesian
Afternoon (14:00-17:00)	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese	Vietnamese



## Radio Programs for New Immigrants in Taipei Area

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### 1. Taipei Broadcasting Station FM93.1, AM1134

(TEL: (02) 2595-1233 Website: <http://www.radio.taipei.gov.tw/>)

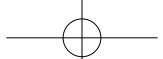
Taipei Broadcasting Station in 2017 cooperated with Department of Labor, Taipei City Government to produce the program “HELLO TAIPEI” in Indonesian, Thai, Pilipino, and Vietnamese, to introduce related information of new immigrants and hook up on FM and AM radio networks from 21:00 to 23:00 every Saturday and Sunday nights. For related information about the programs, please visit the website of Taipei Broadcasting Station: [www.radio.taipei.gov.tw](http://www.radio.taipei.gov.tw).

### 2.FM program schedule

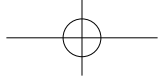
#### Taipei Broadcasting Station Program Schedule for February 2017 – FM93.1 City Info Channel Program Schedule

Day Time	Mon-Fri	Sat	Sun
00-01	Slow Tempo in Taipei(Chin Ho)	Music Map(Cai Qi)	Music Map(Cai Qi)
01-02	Pop Music Time in Taipei(Programming Section)	Music 101(Jeffery)	Slow Tempo in Taipei (Chin Ho)
02-03			
03-04	Melody under the Starry Night(Programming Section)	Time Music Special(Music Xiao Tsai)	Jazz Fun Music(Will)
04-05			
05-06	Silver Times( Ma Tai Yun 、 Zhou Zhi Ping )	Music Wake up(Programming Section)	Music Wake up(Programming Section)
06-07	BBC World Service	See See Oversea(In cooperation with Shih Hsin University)	Music Wake up(Programming Section)





Day Time	Mon-Fri	Sat	Sun
07-08	Taipei Morning News(Angel Hu)	Welcome Hakka in Taipei(Luo Guo Sheng)	Good Neighbors in Taipei Community (Chang Hsiao Ying)
08-09		Taiwanese era( Artist )	Singing in Taipei (Chi Hsuan)
09-10	Blessed in Taipei(Wei Hua)	A Focal Point in Taipei / ( Joy 、 Qiwen / Xin Ya)	Flower's sound stuido for kids / ( Ms Flower / Jim 、 Alice )
		More Delights of Art Palaces	Song of Young
10-11		Chinese Classic Literature (In cooperation with IC Radio Broadcasting)	Chinese Music in Taipei(LuLu)(In cooperation with Taipei Chinese Orchestra )
11-12	Hakka in Taipei (Luo Guo Sheng) (In cooperation with Hakka Affairs Council)	Love in Taipei (Liao Wei Fan)	
12-13	Sport Spotlight( Na Na / Ca Ca / Kelly)	Taipei Fun Reading(Shi Xian-Qin)	Taipei Boléro( Kiwi)
13-14	Mermaid Wonderland( Fish)	Drama red carpet (Hsiao Ying )	Relax in Taipei(Jeffery)
14-15		Love Music 931(Fish)	Taipei and the World in Dialogue(Tina Chen)
15-16	Stay Tune in Taipei(Xin Ya)	Music 101(Jeffery)	Creative lifestyle (Uncle William)
16-17			The Dinddy Show (Dinddy Din)
17-18	Healthy Taipei City(Kuo Nien Lo)	Time Music Special(AM/ FM)(Music Xiao Tsai)	Bill Board 200 & KKBox Weekly Album Chart(Will)
18-19	Civil Society Editors (Wu Yu Quan & Jeff Lo & Tiehchih Chang & Leon Chuang & Banwen Lin & Grace Cheng & Kirsten Huang & Hui Rong Zhu )		



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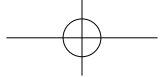
Day Time	Mon-Fri	Sat	Sun
19-20	Taipei-Education (Kiwi) (In cooperation with Hakka Affairs Council)	Story Taiwan(Shi Xian-Qin)	Republic of Dreams(Maruko)
		Wonderful Music( Programming Section)	Wonderful Music(Programming Section)
20-21	Aboriginal Taipei (Paiwan Xiao Tsai)	Energy for the Mind (Kiwi)	
2100- 2130	Carrie's roll call time ( Chen Zi Xuan )	Hello Taipei- Indonesian program(AM/FM) (In cooperation with Department of Labor, Taipei City Government) Broadcasting Indonesian program on Saturday, and Filipino program on Sunday	
2130- 2200	Hua Ma Story/Good Story everyday( Wang Rui Gin/ Hao Guang Cai)		
22-23	BBC World Service	Hello Taipei- Thai program(AM/FM) (In cooperation with Department of Labor, Taipei City Government) Broadcasting Thai program on Saturday, and Vietnamese program on Sunday	
23-24	DreamGarden (Chin Meng Tsung)	Taipei Classic Music Talk(Chen Kuan Chou)	

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★“Civil Society Editors” famous commentators are as follows: Mon.-Jeff Lo ; Tue.-Tiehchih Chang ; Wed.-Leon Chuang & Banwen Lin ; Thu.-Grace Cheng & Kirsten Huang ; Fri.-Hui Rong Zhu.

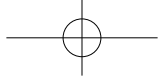
★Hua Ma Story is on Mon. and Tue. ; Good Story Everyday is on Wed. Thu. and Fri.



### 3. AM program schedule

#### Taipei Broadcasting Station Program Schedule for February 2017 – AM1134 Ho Hi Yan Channel Program Schedule

Day Time	Mon-Fri	Sat	Sun
07-08	Taipei Morning News(AM/ FM)(Angel Hu)	Welcome Hakka in Taipei (AM/FM)(Luo Guo Sheng)	Good Neighbors in Taipei Community(AM/FM) (Chang Hsiao Ying)
08-09		Taiwanese era(AM/FM) (Artist)	Singing in Taipei(AM/FM) (Chi Hsuan)
09-10	The Song of Na Lu Wan(Ming Te Lee)	Taipei Nakasi(Programming Section)	
10-11		Taipei Aboriginal Sound Track(Programming Section)	
11-12	2017 Aboriginal News(In conjunction with TITV)	Taipei Aboriginal Sound Track (Programming Section)	
12-13	Ken' Taywawa( Little Jasmine )	Taipei Aboriginal Sound Track(Programming Section)	
13-14			
14-15	Aboriginal Music Oh Hi Young(Bi Lau Bi Li)	Love for Southern Island(Programming Section)	
15-16			
16-17	Power Taipei(Programming Section)	Love for Southern Island(Programming Section)	Love for Southern Island(Programming Section)
17-18	Love for Southern Island(Programming Section)	Time Music Special(AM/ FM)(Music Xiao Tsai)	Bill Board 200 & KKBox Weekly Album Chart (AM/ FM)(Will)
18-19	A Moment with the Beautiful Aboriginal Mamas(Cihek•dongi, Samie)		

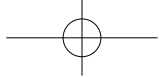


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Day Time	Mon-Fri	Sat	Sun
19-20	Aboriginal Taipei(Paiwan Xiao Tsai)	Story Island(AM/FM)(Shi Xian-Qin)	Republic of Dreams(AM/ FM)(Maruko)
		Wonderful Music(AM/FM) (Programming Section)	Wonderful Music(AM/FM) (Programming Section)
20-21	Aboriginal Music in Taipei(Programming Section)	Energy for the Mind(AM/FM)(Kiwi)	
21-22	Aboriginal Music in Taipei(Programming Section)	Hello Taipei (In cooperation with Department of Labor, Taipei City Government) Broadcasting Indonesian program on Saturday, and Filipino program on Sunday	
22-23		Hello Taipei (In cooperation with Department of Labor, Taipei City Government) Broadcasting Thai program on Saturday and Vietnamese program on Sunday	
23-24	Dream Garden(AM/FM) (Chin Meng Tsung)	Taipei Classic Music Talk(AM/FM)(Chen Kuan Chou)	

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# Tourist Information Center

## ■ Information center ■

Taipei Main Train Station Visitor Information Center

Tel : (02)2312-3256

Service Hours : Mon~Sun 08:00-20:00

Songshan Airport Visitor Information Center

Tel : (02)2312-3256

Service Hours : Mon~Sun 08:00-20:00

MRT Beitou Station Visitor Information Center

Tel : (02)2894-6923

Service Hours : Mon~Sun 08:00-17:00

MRT Jiantan Station Visitor Information Center

Tel : (02)2894-6923

Service Hours : Mon~Sun 08:00-21:00

MRT Ximen Station Visitor Information Center

Tel : (02)2375-3096

ServiceHours : Mon~Sun 09 : 00-21 : 00

MRT Taipei 101/World Trade Center Station

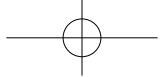
Tel : (02)2758-6593

ServiceHours : Mon~Sun 09 : 00-21 : 00

MRT Longshan Temple Station Visitor Information Center

Tel : (02)2302-5903

ServiceHours : Mon~Sun 09 : 00-17 : 00



Tourist Information Center

Miramar Entertainment Park Visitor Center

Tel : (02)8501-2762

ServiceHours : Mon~Sun 09 : 00-20 : 00

Plum Garden Visitor Center

Tel : (02)2897-2647

ServiceHours : Tue~Sun 09 : 00~17 : 00 (Closed on Mon)

Gondola Maokong Visitor Center

Service Hours :

The first Mon of the month, Tue to Fri 09 : 00-17 : 00

Every Sat to Mon 08 : 30-20 : 30

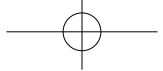
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Dadaocheng Visitor Center

Tel : (02)2559-6802

Service Hours : 09 : 00-17 : 00 (Closed on Mon)

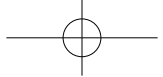
Information Unit: Department of Information and Tourism, Taipei City Government  
Telephone : 1999(dial02-27208889 if calling from other districts/cities) ext. 3335, 3378



## List of Districts Offices in Taipei City

### ■For Applying Social Welfare or National Health Insurance■

Office	Telephone
Shongshan District Office	(02)8787-8787
Xinyi District Office	(02)2723-9777
Daan District Office	(02)2351-1711
Zhongshan District Office	(02)2503-1369
Zhongzhen District Office	(02)2341-6721
Datong District Office	(02)2597-5323
Wanhua District Office	(02)2306-4468
Wenshan District Office	(02)2936-5522
Nangang District Office	(02)2783-1343
Neihu District Office	(02)2792-5828
Shilin District Office	(02)2882-6200
Beitou District Office	(02)2891-2105

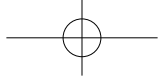


Useful Telephone List for New Immigrants  
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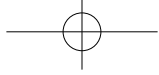
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Office	Telephone
Vietnam Economic and Cultural Office in Taipei	(02) 2516-6626
Indonesian Economic and Cultural Office in Taipei	(02) 8752-6170
Thailand Trade and Cultural Office	(02) 2581-1979
Manila Economic and Cultural Office	(02) 2508-1719
Workforce Development Agency of Ministry of Labor	(02) 8995-6000
Taipei-Keelung, Yilan-Hualien, Kinmen-Matsu Regional Branch of Ministry of Labor	(02) 8995-6300
Taipei City New Immigrants' Hall (provides information in English, Vietnamese, Indonesian, and Thai. Rental of sites and course information)	Nangang District (02)2788-4911 Wanhua District (02)2370-1046
Employment Service Center, Taipei City Government (providing employment information)	(02)2308-5230
Department of Social Affairs, Taipei City Government	(02)2756-8852 (for early intervention service for children with retardation development)
	1999 ext. 6969 ~ 71(for subsidies of supportive programs for new immigrants organized by private groups or organizations)
Department of Education, Taipei City Government (provides information on studying in supplementary schools for elementary education, adult basic education classes and community universities)	(02)2725-6373 (supplementary schools for elementary education) 1999 etx.1216 (adult education class, community universities )



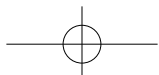


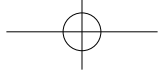
Department of Health, Taipei City Government (provide subsidies for screening tests for Down' s syndrome, amniocentesis and prenatal genetic examination, intra-uterine contraceptive devices, and ligation for the low-income families)	(02)2720-8889 ext.1834
Taipei Service Center, National Immigration Agency , Ministry of Interior (provide information on laws and regulations of staying, residing and living in Taiwan)	(02) 2389-9983
Taipei City Specialized Operation Corps, North area Affairs Corp, National Immigration Agency, Ministry of the Interior	(02) 2388-9393 ext.5035
Bureau of Consular Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (provides information on visa, certificates and documents)	(02) 2343-2885 (02) 2343-2895 (02) 2343-2913 (02) 2343-2914
Consultation Service Hotline for Foreigners in Taiwan	0800-024-111
New Immigration Women and Family Service Center in Taipei City (caring, counseling and consultation on laws and regulations)	(02) 2558-0133
Taipei City Citizens Hotline	1999
Hotline for legal consultation services of Taipei City Government	1999 ext. 6168
Mainland Affairs Council	(02) 2397-5589
The Straits Exchange Foundation (SEF)	(02) 2532-7885
Taipei City Police Department (Hotline for applying for Police Criminal Record Certificate)	(02) 2381-7494
Taipei City Library Multi Cultural Information Center	(02)2755-2823 ext. 2900



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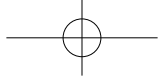
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