

## POLICE REGISTRATION

### Registering with the police

You are required to register with the police if you come from one of the countries listed at the end of this guide. It will also be stated in your passport that you need to register when you arrive in the UK. This is required by law and it is your responsibility to register with the police within 7 days of your arrival in the UK. Once you have registered you will receive a Police Registration Certificate, this is a very important document that you must keep in a safe place.

### How to register with the police

If you are staying in Greater London you will need to go to the following address to register:

- Overseas Visitors Registration Office (OVRO)  
Brandon House  
180 Borough High Street  
SE1 1LH  
London  
Tel. 020 7230 1208

Nearest station – Borough (Northern Line - London Underground)

[The Overseas Visitors Records Office](#) is open between 9am and 4pm Monday to Friday, however they sometimes close early if the office is too busy. It is therefore advisable to arrive at the registration office as early as possible.

### What to bring with you

When you go to register with the police you will need to take the following with you;

- Your completed [Registration Pro Forma](#) (PDF 954KB)
- One UK passport-sized photo (45mm x 35mm), glued to the Pro Forma
- Your passport containing your visa vignette
- Your Biometric Residence Permit
- Your Home Office letter approving your application for leave
- £34 registration fee, payable by card or sterling cash

You can find more information on what to bring [here](#).

## Dependants

If any dependants are arriving in the UK with you, they will need to register as well if they are over 16 and they will need to attend the same appointment as you.

Countries that need to register with the police If you are from any of the countries\* below you will need to register with the police.

• Afghanistan • Algeria • Argentina • Armenia • Azerbaijan • Bahrain • Belarus • Bolivia • Brazil • China • Colombia • Cuba • Egypt • Georgia • Iran • Iraq • Israel • Jordan • Kazakhstan • Kuwait • Kyrgyzstan • Lebanon • Libya • Moldova • Morocco • North Korea • Oman • Palestine • Peru • Qatar • Russia • Saudi Arabia • Sudan • Syria • Tajikistan • Tunisia • Turkey • Turkmenistan • Ukraine • UAE • Uzbekistan • Yemen

(\*correct at the time of printing)

For more information on police registration visit [this website](#).