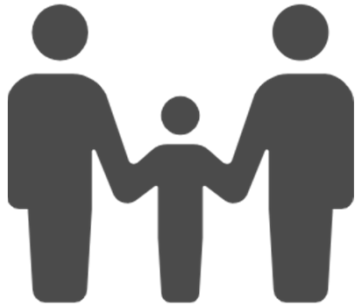


# Living with Family

*If a family member (spouse and/or children) of the faculty member is coming to Japan to live with the faculty member for an extended period of time, the family member must be issued a visa with the status of residence of "Dependence."*



## In case the faculty member has already traveled to Japan

The faculty member himself/herself visit the immigration bureau with jurisdiction over his/her place of residence as an agent for the family member's application and applies for the issuance of a "certificate of eligibility" for the family member.

## In case the faculty member is pre-departure

If a faculty member applies for a Certificate of Eligibility for their family members at the same time as they apply for a Certificate of Eligibility for themselves before coming to Japan (even if the family members come to Japan later than the researcher), Kyushu University can assist to apply for the Certificate of Eligibility on their behalf.

However, the application cannot be accepted if the proxy application for issuance of a Certificate of Eligibility for the faculty member has already been completed.

## Documents to be submitted

- Application for certificate of eligibility
- ID photo(s) of your family member(s) coming to Japan (4cm x 3cm)
- Official documents proving family relationships (marriage certificate, birth certificate, etc.)
- Supporter's (your) certificate of employment
- Supporter's (your) passport and Residence Card
- Documents proving your financial ability during your and your family's stay in Japan (bank statement, etc.)
- Additional documents may be required in some cases
- Documents written in foreign languages other than Japanese or English must be accompanied by Japanese or English translations

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