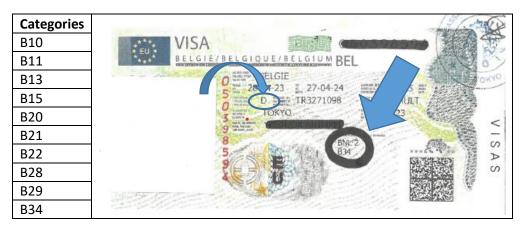
New in the Foreigners Department

Because of the increasing amount of time required to analyse applications, the Foreigners Department is adapting its policy for processing applications and welcoming citizens:

For applications to renew an "A" residence permit and for first-time registrations in Belgium (Auderghem) with a D visa corresponding to one of the categories listed in the table below, those wishing to do so can send their documents to the Foreigners Department digitally via the IRISbox platform. The Foreigners Department will then arrange an appointment for you to complete the rest of the procedure (ordering a residence permit).

D visas concerned



Anyone holding another type of D visa or arriving in Belgium without a visa cannot send documents in advance via Irisbox. In that case, you have to make an appointment to submit your documents at the Foreign Nationals counter.

- In general, for all procedures requiring an in-depth analysis of your file by the Foreign Nationals Department, you will be received by appointment ONLY.
- Residents' cards and sponsorships can still be issued with or without an appointment.

Appointments can be made via our website <u>Auderghem.be</u> | <u>Service Population</u>, by telephone with the Foreigners Department or at the Population Department reception desk.

The service is of course available for any enquiries via etrangers@auderghem.brussels or by telephone on 02/676.48.13, preferably in the afternoon.