



UNITED STATES EMBASSY FREETOWN, SIERRA LEONE
IMMIGRANT VISA UNIT
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MEDICAL EXAM INSTRUCTIONS

Prior to visa approval, each applicant for an Immigrant Visa must undergo a medical examination by an approved physician. Visa applicants are responsible for arranging an examination by the approved physician listed below before the scheduled visa interview. The U.S. Embassy in Freetown has one approved physician.

Dr. Sylvester Nicol, M.D.
Davidson Nicol Medical Center
3 Bright Lane, Cole Farm
Off Wilkinson Road, Freetown
Telephone: 076 998 855
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We will **NOT** conduct your Immigrant Visa interview until we have the results of the medical examination for each applicant. Applicants must bring their vaccination records to the medical examination. You can obtain any additional required vaccinations or immunizations from the examining physician. The costs for these vaccinations are **in addition** to the fees for the exam, listed below. The fees are as follows:

Physical Exam

0yr – 2yrs	Le 380,000
2yrs – 15yrs	Le 380,000
15yrs and above	Le 380,000

Other Charges

1) Chest X-Ray	Le 180,000
2) TST Testing	Le 100,000
3) Syphilis screening and confirmatory Testing	Le 100,000
4) Documentation of immunization	Le 50,000
5) Vaccination Administration	Le 50,000

Applicants should discuss methods of payment with the physician at the time they schedule their appointment. The National Social Security and Insurance Trust does not cover the costs of immigrant visa medical examinations. An additional fee of Le 651,000 for specimen collection by EcoMed and Le 521,000 for diagnosis by Akailab in Ghana may be required. The physician will notify you if these additional fees are necessary.