



Travel Documents not accepted for travel to Germany

Please be advised that the following travel documents are not valid for entry into Germany - even if in possession of a valid German residence permit! Immigration officials at the airport will therefore not accept them. This also applies to Airside Transit when travelling to a third country.

In order to avoid delays or a potential denial of entry, it is recommended that travelers check their respective entry requirements and obtain the appropriate documents well in advance of the travel date.

People who hold one of the following documents and plan to travel to Germany should check with the German Embassy in Beirut or the German Border Police to determine the specific entry requirements on the following website:

https://www.bundespolizei.de/Web/DE/Service/Kontakt/08_Reiseanfrage/reiseanfrage_node.html

- **“République Libanaise Laissez-Passer”**
- **“Lebanese Travel Document for Palestinian Refugees”**
- **Lebanese "Document de Voyage pour les Refugies Palestiniens"**
- **Palestinian Authority Passport** (only valid if ID number starts with 4,8 or 9)
- **Egyptian “Travel Document for Palestinian Refugees”** (only valid if it includes a valid return permit and the holder has his/her residency in Egypt)

Here you can check in which European countries your travel document is recognized for entry:

https://home-affairs.ec.europa.eu/system/files/2023-04/part_i_travel_documents_issued_by_third_countries_and_territorial_entities_en_0.xlsx

Airlines allowing passengers without appropriate travel documents to board a flight to Germany or with Germany as a transit destination may be subject to penalties and fines by the German authorities.