

Ecuador Tourist Visa Extension Checklist

Use this checklist to extend your Ecuador tourist visa before your initial 90 days expire.

Step 1: Know What You'll Need
 □ Passport (with most recent Ecuador entry stamp) □ Color copy of your passport ID page □ Visa extension form (download from Government of Ecuador site or get a copy at Migracíon) □ Payment Receipt from the bank (ATM usually available at the bank)
Step 2: Migración Office (First Visit)
 ☐ Go to a Migración office (not Immigration) ♣ In Cuenca, the Migración office is located inside the airport. ☐ Submit passport for eligibility check ☐ Receive: ◆ Visa extension application form (if not completed in advance)
Payment ticket for the bank
Step 3: Pay the Visa Extension Fee
 ☐ Go to Banco del Pacífico (see address on payment slip) ☐ Pay the visa extension fee (1/3 of Ecuador's current monthly minimum wage) ☐ Receive bank receipt • Double-check passport number on the receipt • Store receipt safely
Step 4: Migración Office (Second Visit)
 □ Return to the Migración office with the 4 items listed in Step 1 □ Receive extension confirmation slip with your new authorized stay date • Take a photo of it as backup • Keep the slip with your passport
→ Final Notes
☐ Make sure you are applying before day 90 (I recommend going between days 80 – 85) ☐ If your Spanish is shaky, consider hiring a facilitator or bringing a translation app

This checklist is for general informational purposes and reflects my personal experience completing the process in Cuenca. The process is likely similar in other cities. Immigration rules and fees can change.