

**Consulate General of India
Munich**

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PRESS RELEASE ON CONSULAR SERVICES

In view of recent surge in COVID-19 infections in Bavaria and Baden-Wurttemberg and positive cases at CGI Munich, personal visits for **consular services to CGI Munich are being suspended immediately till further notice except in emergency cases.**

2. Updated guidelines for consular services in view of the Covid-19 pandemic are as follows:

- Applicants for Passport, Visa, OCI services and Misc. Consular services may send their applications for the required service by post to the Consulate. Documentary requirements and fee (payable through bank transfer) for the various services may be checked on the website of the Consulate at <https://www.cgimunich.gov.in/>.
- Indian nationals who intend to have their signature attested on Power of Attorney may seek prior appointment for visiting the Consulate in person by writing at **cons.munich@mea.gov.in**. They may also provide their telephone number for the Consular staff to contact them.
- As regards visa services, the categories allowed for travel to India may be seen at the link: <https://boi.gov.in/content/advisory-travel-and-visa-restrictions-related-covid-19-1>. Applicants are advised to apply for electronic visas at the portal of MHA directly in respect of following categories: Tourism, Business, Conference Medical, Medical-Attendant visas. For other categories, applicants may note that visas are being issued for **essential travel only**. Detailed procedure on visa is on the website of the Consulate.
