

## TYPES OF RESIDENCE PERMITS FOR PERMANENT STAY IN SPAIN

A permanent residence permit is the issued for a period of 5 years or more and gives the right to live and work throughout Spain (in some situations, even outside the country). There are the following residence permits in Spain for permanent residence:

### *1. Long-term residence permit in Spain.*

Issued to foreign citizens who are not citizens of the EU, European Economic Area or Switzerland, as well as relatives of citizens of any of the previous countries, but who legally reside in Spain permanently for 5 years. In this case, the resident card is the issued for 5 years and gives the right to work in Spain.

### *2. Long-term residence permit - EU.*

Issued to foreign citizens who are not citizens of the EU, European Economic Area or Switzerland, as well as relatives of citizens of any of the previous countries, but who reside legally in Spain permanently for 5 years (two years if they already had a card EU blue). In this case, the resident card is the issued for 5 years, it allows you to live and work in Spain and in other EU countries.

### *3. Permanent residence permit in Spain for relatives of EU citizens.*

This residence permit is the issued to foreigners who are members of the family of an EU citizen, after having lived in Spain for at least 5 years. In this case, the resident card is valid for 10 years.

For more information, you can contact our office or send a request to the email address.

