By appointment only



Call 0117 941 5040

If you have recently been granted Refugee Status we can help with:

- benefit applications,
- · applying for housing,
- bank accounts, integration loans

If you are destitute after being refused asylum or immediately after being granted refugee status we can provide some financial support.

We can try to trace your family overseas if you have lost contact.

If you have a 'Family Reunion' visa for a member of your family we may be able to organise and pay for travel to the UK.

Unit 19, Easton Business Centre, Felix Road, Easton, BS5 0HE

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Call 0117 955 5038 or email info@brigstowe.org

We support migrants and asylum seekers who are living with or affected by HIV in Bristol and the surrounding areas. Advice and information on issues including housing, finance, community care, legal services, education and training, and charges for care. Practical and emotional support.

Brigstowe Project, 176-178 Easton Road Easton, Bristol, BS5 0ES

Support for asylum seekers and newly granted refugees in Bristol

Available from the voluntary sector



Services are free and confidential

Drop in



Monday 9.30 am to 12 pm

English classes; hot drinks, snacks. **12.30 to 3 pm**: Refugee 'My future' project.

Tuesday 9.30am to 3pm

English classes, maths class, hot drinks, hot lunch, games, arts table, donated food. Red Cross, The Haven (medical support); Albany Solicitors (free immigration and asylum advice).

Tolentino Hall, Lawfords Gate, Bristol BS5 0RE



Monday 12 to 3pm

Hot lunch, advice and information, English classes and games.

We offer a free place to stay and support to destitute asylum seekers. (You can be referred to BHN ONLY through Bristol Refugee Rights).

Easton Family Centre, Beaufort Street, Easton, BS5 0SQ

Drop in



Wednesday 10 am to 12.30pm

English classes, AID (Advocacy and Information Desk help with solicitors, housing and money problems), barber.

Thursday 10 am to 3 pm

Hot lunch, computer class, AID, barber. Red Cross, The Haven (medical support), sign up for Bike project.

Friday 10 am to 12.30 pm English classes.

All three days we have drinks, snacks, games, arts, free shop (clothes and household items) and crèche.

Welcome Centre at Malcolm X
Community Centre, City Road, St Pauls,
Bristol, BS2 8YH



Signing Support

Tuesday & Wednesday 9.30 am to 1 pm We can be with you when you sign and try to help you if you are detained.

Patchway Police Station (volunteers wear a butterfly badge)

Drop in



Tuesday 10 am to 3 pm

WOMEN ONLY: English classes, advice and information, hot lunch, Somali/Arabic interpreters, different activities.

Malcolm X Community Centre, City Road, St Pauls, Bristol, BS2 8YH

b.friend

Befriending service for asylum seekers and refugees who feel lonely and are finding life tough. Meet with a volunteer every week or two and visit a café, talk and practice your English, go for a walk, learn how to use public transport, enjoy sports or explore Bristol together.

You can be referred to Sam Sayer, Manager of b.friend by the other agencies on this leaflet.