By appointment only



If you have recently been granted refugee status or other protection-based Leave to Remain, we can help with benefit and integration loan applications. applying for or finding housing, opening bank accounts, and other needs.

If you are destitute after being refused asylum or immediately after being granted Leave to Remain, we can provide some financial support. If you are a ASR woman and feel helpless we can also help you.

We can try to trace your family 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. We can help you plan for your family's arrival and help with benefits and housing applications.

Unit 19, Easton Business Centre, Felix Road, Easton, BS5 0HE, Call 0117 941 5040



One-to-one social support for asylum seekers and refugees who are experiencing loneliness. Meet weekly with a volunteer to 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.

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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, Easton Community Centre, Kilburn Street, Bristol, BS5 6AW, Call 0117 955 5038

Drop in



Monday 9.30 am to 12.30 pm

English classes; destitution fund, hot drinks, snacks.

Tuesday 9.30am to 2pm

English classes; hot lunch, games, arts table, donated food. The Haven Osteopath and Somatic movement class for women.

We run a mentoring project which provides one-toone emotional and practical support.

Tolentino Hall, Lawford's Gate, Bristol BS5 0RE Call 0117 9040479

Support in Bristol for asylum seekers, refugees and migrants

from the voluntary sector



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Services are free and confidential

Drop in



Monday 11am to 3 pm Warm welcome, Hot lunch, ESOL classes, games for all. HELP/advocacy team ONLY for destitute asylum seekers. Referrals for accommodation for destitute asylum seekers ONLY with form from Bristol Refugee Rights.

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



Welcome and Advice Services including:

- Asylum Support Project
- Interpreters
- Destitution Support
- English classes
- Crèche for pre-school children
- Arts table, sewing, repairs, barber and table tennis
- Pride Without Borders group for LGBT+
- Young People's Project

Wednesday 10 - 12.30

Thursday 10 - 3 with hot lunch, computer class, Bike Project sign up, Red Cross drop in, The Haven appointments, massage and Food Bags.

Friday 10 - 12.30 pm

At Malcolm X Community Centre, City Road, St Paul's, Bristol, BS2 8YH. Call 0117 914 5480 or 0117 954 0446 (Advice)

Drop in – Women Only



Tuesday 10 am to 3 pm English classes, Advice and Information, hot lunch, Arabic, Somali & Mandarin community workers, Art & Crafts, Yoga, Herbalists without Borders, workshops, and many more activities

Malcolm X Community Centre, City Road, St Paul's, Bristol, BS2 8YH



One-to-one maternity support for asylum-seekers, refugees and those with uncertain immigration status.

We provide birth partners who offer practical and emotional support throughout pregnancy and birth.

Friday 12pm to 3pm Drop-in hub

For expectant and new mothers (up until baby is 1 year old)

We offer: yoga sessions, a hot lunch, parenting skills and baby bundles including nappies, toiletries & baby clothes.

The Salvation Army Citadel, 6 Ashley Rd, Bristol BS6 5NL. Call 07766 372 064



Signing Support

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

Patchway Police Station (volunteers wear a butterfly badge)



Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 11am to 3pm Provides free living essentials from toiletries and clothes to small items of furniture to help in need refugees and asylum seekers live more comfortably. 5-7 Waverley Rd, Redland, BS6 6ES

The Haven

A specialist health clinic for asylum seekers and refugees in Bristol for those who have not yet registered with a doctor (By appointment only).

Montpelier Health Centre, Bath Buildings, BS6 5PT. 0117 970 3887