

# INFORMATION FOR ASYLUM SEEKERS

## Specialist advice and support

There are several organisations in the local area which can provide you with **specialist advice and support** in relation to your claim for asylum. They exist **specifically** to help asylum seekers and refugees and are the **best qualified** to deal with any questions or problems relating to matters of asylum.



### Kirklees Asylum Support Services

Kirklees Asylum Support Services tries to house people with others from their country of origin, help them register with a doctor, find schools for their children and access local amenities.

**Address:** 19 Clare Hill,  
Huddersfield,  
HD1 5BS

**Phone:** 01484 223 443

### The Refugee Council, Leeds

Covers issues such as advice on asylum issues and the National Asylum Support Service system, assistance for clients at the end of the asylum process and signposting to services such as housing, legal advice, education, training and health care.

**Address:** Asylum Support Service,  
19 Clare Hill,  
Huddersfield,  
HD1 5BS

**Phone:** 0113 386 2210

### Kirklees Refugees And Friends Together (KRAFT)

Offers support to refugees and asylum seekers in areas including welfare and legal advice, education and training guidance, social activities and cultural activities.

**Address:** St Thomas's Community Centre  
Manchester Road,  
Longroyd Bridge, Huddersfield  
HD1 3HU

**Phone:** 01484 429 695

**TIME AT THE MP'S ADVICE SURGERY IS VERY LIMITED AND IT IS THEREFORE **NOT** THE APPROPRIATE PLACE TO REVIEW YOUR ASYLUM DOCUMENTATION.**

### Cultures United

Cultures United is a centre shared by people from small ethnic communities.

**Phone:** 01484 559 191

**YOUR MP AND HIS CONSTITUENCY STAFF CAN ASSIST YOU WITH YOUR APPLICATION IN **LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES ONLY**.**

If you are awaiting a decision on your claim for asylum, **YOUR MP CANNOT SPEED UP THE PROCESS BY WRITING TO THE HOME OFFICE.**

If you are detained prior to deportation, your MP will be able to make further representation on your behalf **ONLY IN VERY LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES.**