



NRPF Connect Data Report 2022/23

East of England

What is the NRPF Connect data report 2022/23?

This data report collates and analyses the data recorded by councils in the East of England using NRPF Connect in the 2022/23 financial year. It provides a snapshot of referrals made and the support provided by social care services around the UK for people with no recourse to public funds (NRPF). The data is used to inform policy recommendations.

What is NRPF Connect?

NRPF Connect is the national database and case management tool for councils to record details of households with NRPF that are being provided with accommodation and/or financial support by social services, hosted by the NRPF Network.

What support is recorded on NRPF Connect?

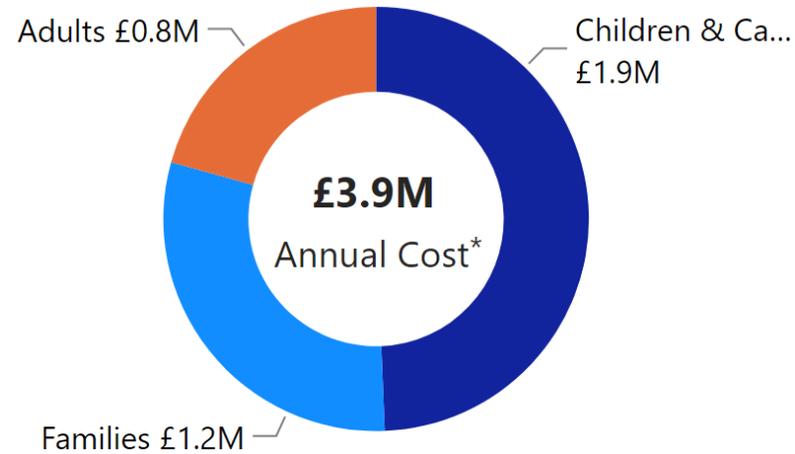
Councils can provide accommodation and financial support to people who are excluded from claiming benefits and mainstream housing assistance when statutory duties are engaged under social care legislation. Local authorities across the UK record the social care services they provide to families, adults with care needs, and care leavers with no recourse to public funds (NRPF). You can read more about NRPF support on the [NRPF Network website](#).

Notes on the data

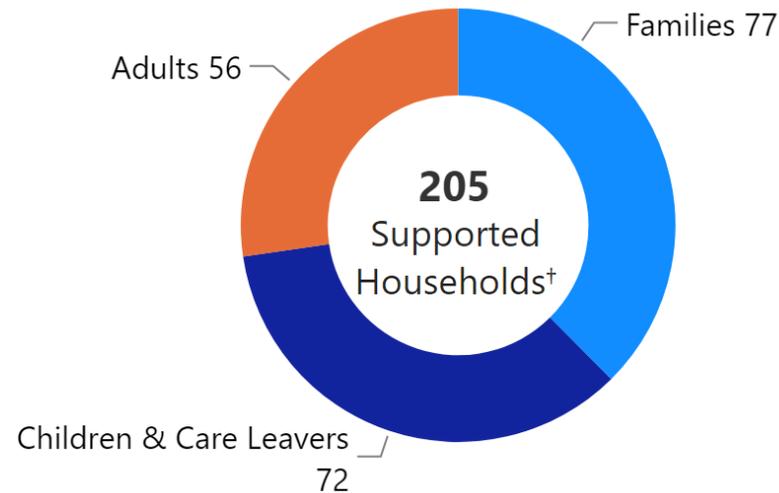
- "Adults" refers to adults with care needs provided with support under S18(1) Care Act 2014, S19(1) Care Act 2014, S12 Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968, P7 Housing Act 1996, S1 Localism Act 2011, or S117 Mental Health Act 1983.
- "Families" refers to families with a child in need with support under S17 Children Act 1989 or S22 Children (Scotland) Act 1995.
- "Children and care leavers" refers to looked after children and young people leaving care supported under Children (Leaving Care) Act 2000, S20 Children Act 1989, S25 Children (Scotland) Act 1995, or S29 & S30 Children (Scotland) Act 1995.
- "Support costs" relate to accommodation and financial support (subsistence) costs only, and do not include staffing or other costs incurred by councils delivering support to NRPF households.
- Data was last downloaded from NRPF Connect on 05/12/2023

Key

- * - Weekly cost at end of quarter/year x 52
- † - For supported cases open at end of quarter/year
- ‡ - Those awaiting a first immigration check have been removed from the summary



Support ended due to grant of Leave to Remain	
Adults	Families
47%	69%



Average days on support†	
Adults	Families
918	544

Adults with care and support needs

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Hertfordshire	Luton	Norfolk
Southend on Sea		

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New referrals	29	35	42	57	163
New households taken on for support	3	6	4	2	15
Supported households closed	5	2	(Blank)	7	14

Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Average number of days on support†	896	922	949	918
Households supported for 1000 days†	14	15	19	16
1000 day households as % of total†	26%	26%	31%	29%

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Supported households†	53	57	61	56
Dependents of supported households†	6	6	7	7
Total weekly cost †	£16.2K	£17.6K	£18.6K	£15.5K
Average annual cost per household†*	£15.9K	£16.0K	£15.8K	£14.4K
Total annual cost†*	£843.6K	£914.4K	£965.6K	£805.8K

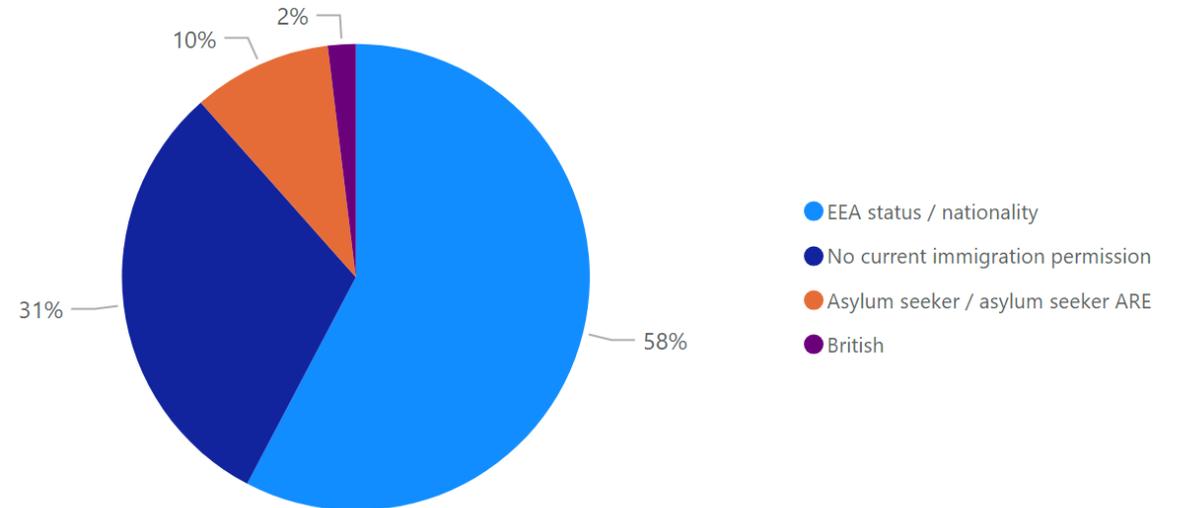
Immigration status - financially supported as of 31 March 2023

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	4%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	5%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	4	7%
British	British	1	2%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	2	4%
EEA national	EEA status / nationality	6	11%
EEA national - no record on HO systems	EEA status / nationality	3	5%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	6	11%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	12	21%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	1	2%
No record held by Home Office	No current immigration permission	3	5%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	5	9%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	8	14%
Total		56	100%

Summary of immigration status - supported as of 31 March 2023†

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
EEA status / nationality	30	58%
No current immigration permission	16	31%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	5	10%
British	1	2%
Total	52	100%

Summary of immigration status - supported as of 31 March 2023†



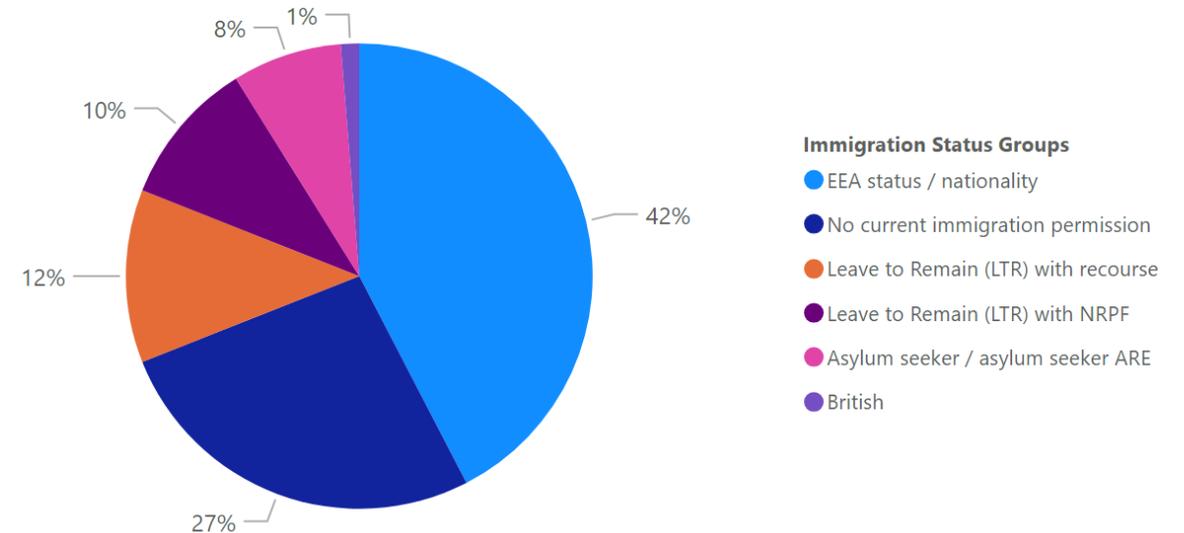
Immigration status - all referrals for the year

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	7	4%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	1%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	1%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	1%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	5	3%
British	British	2	1%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	11	7%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	6	4%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	25	15%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	25	15%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	4	2%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	3	2%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	9	6%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	10	6%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	1%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	5	3%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	1	1%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	8	5%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	33	20%
Total		163	100%

Immigration status - all referrals for the year‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
EEA status / nationality	67	42%
No current immigration permission	42	27%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	19	12%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	16	10%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	12	8%
British	2	1%
Total	158	100%

Immigration status - all referrals for the year‡



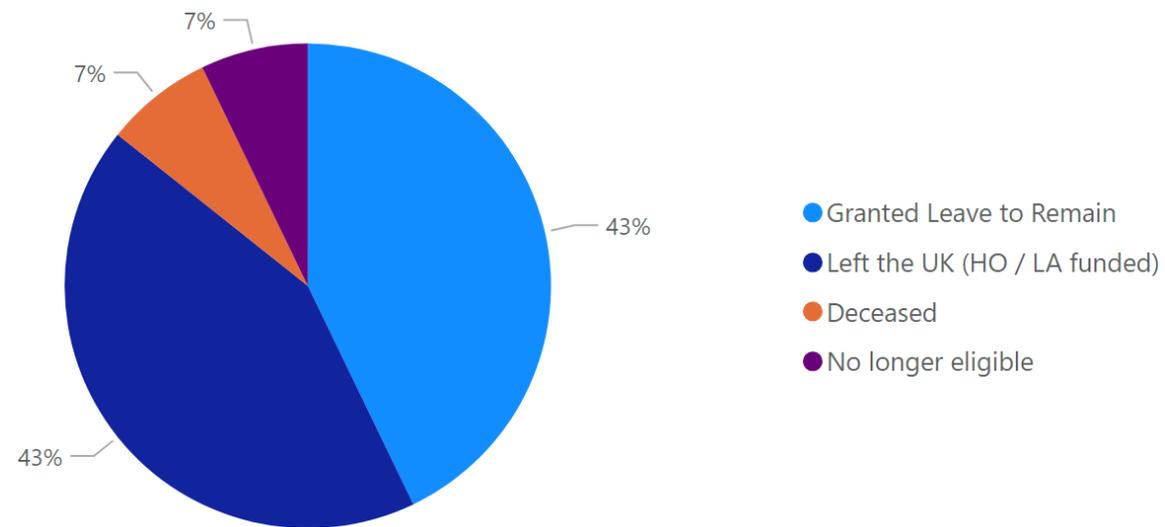
Closure reason - all closures in the year

Reason for closure	Count	Percentage	Avg days on support
Granted Leave to Remain	6	43%	1229
Left the UK (HO / LA funded)	6	43%	528
Deceased	1	7%	1874
No longer eligible	1	7%	2289
Total	14	100%	1051

Onward referral for those no longer eligible

Referral	Count	Avg days on support
Referred to borough where ordinary resident	1	2289
Total	1	2289

Closure reason - all closures in the year



Families with Children in Need

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Bedford	Essex	Hertfordshire
Luton	Norfolk	Southend on Sea
Thurrock		

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New referrals	46	49	45	96	236
New households taken on for support	19	20	14	23	76
Supported households closed	10	9	21	29	69

Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Average number of days on support†	557	564	639	544
Households supported for 1000 days†	14	17	20	16
1000 day households as % of total†	18%	19%	24%	21%

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Supported households†	79	90	83	77
Dependents of supported households†	133	155	139	133
Total weekly cost †	£21.0K	£25.5K	£25.1K	£22.5K
Average annual cost per household†*	£13.8K	£14.7K	£15.8K	£15.2K
Total annual cost†*	£1.1M	£1.3M	£1.3M	£1.2M

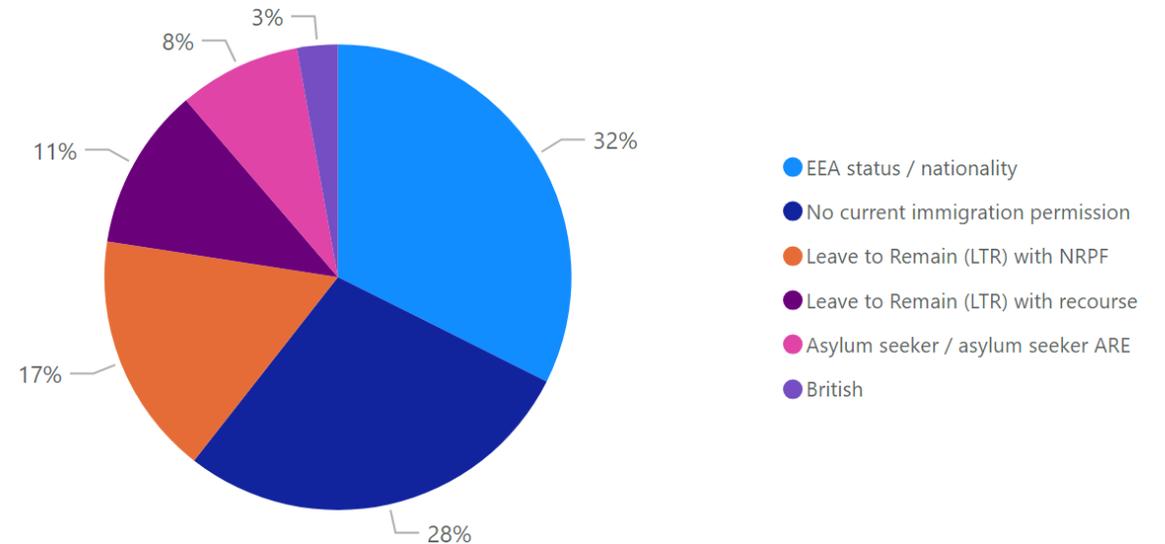
Immigration status - financially supported as of 31 March 2023

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	1%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	5	6%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	6	8%
British	British	2	3%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	6	8%
EEA national	EEA status / nationality	2	3%
EEA national - no record on HO systems	EEA status / nationality	1	1%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	2	3%
Family member of EEA national	EEA status / nationality	1	1%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	10	13%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	1	1%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	3%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	4	5%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	6	8%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	5%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	3	4%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	17	22%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	3	4%
Total		77	100%

Summary of immigration status - supported as of 31 March 2023†

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
EEA status / nationality	23	32%
No current immigration permission	20	28%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	12	17%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	8	11%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	6	8%
British	2	3%
Total	71	100%

Summary of immigration status - supported as of 31 March 2023†



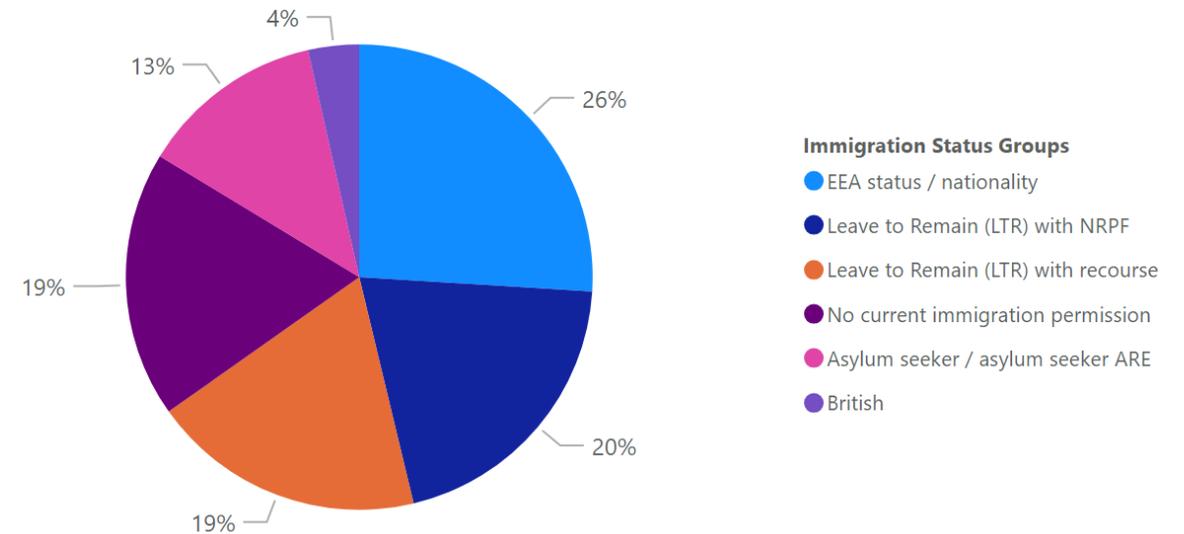
Immigration status - all referrals for the year

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	12	5%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	1%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	14	6%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	0%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	9	4%
British	British	8	3%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	11	5%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	3	1%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	27	11%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	18	8%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	5	2%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	10	4%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	31	13%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	19	8%
Humanitarian Protection	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	6	3%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	15	6%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	4	2%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	22	9%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	16	7%
Total		236	100%

Immigration status - all referrals for the year‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
EEA status / nationality	59	26%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	46	20%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	43	19%
No current immigration permission	42	19%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	29	13%
British	8	4%
Total	227	100%

Immigration status - all referrals for the year‡



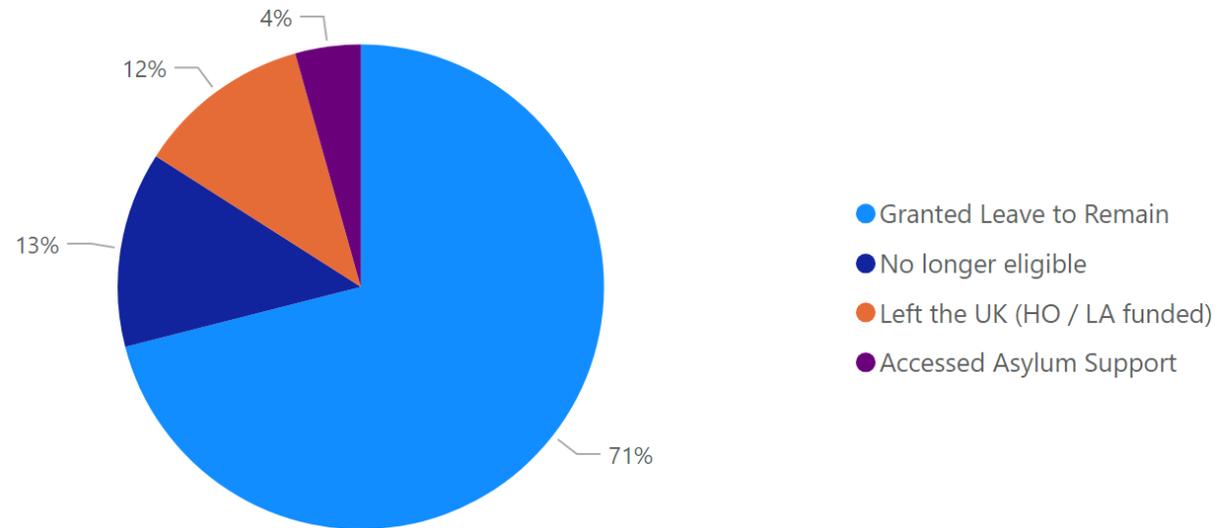
Closure reason - all closures in the year

Reason for closure	Count	Percentage	Avg days on support
Granted Leave to Remain	49	71%	473
No longer eligible	9	13%	74
Left the UK (HO / LA funded)	8	12%	482
Accessed Asylum Support	3	4%	210
Total	69	100%	410

Onward referral for those no longer eligible

Referral	Count	Avg days on support
Referred to borough where ordinary resident	4	93
Support accessed through friends / family	4	46
Mainstream benefits and housing services	1	106
Total	9	74

Closure reason - all closures in the year



Looked after Children and Care Leavers

Local authorities uploading financial data:

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Bedford

Norfolk

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New households taken on for support	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)
New households added	24	2	2	1	29
Households closed	29	7	6	4	46

Open Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Open households†	230	222	213	209
Open households under age of 18†	16	13	10	8
Open households aged 18-20†	138	126	124	114
Open households aged 21-24†	76	83	79	87

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Financially supported households†	83	78	75	72
Total weekly cost†	£43.5K	£39.9K	£37.8K	£37.0K
Average annual cost per household†*	£27.2K	£26.6K	£26.2K	£26.7K
Total annual cost†*	£2.3M	£2.1M	£2.0M	£1.9M

Immigration status - open cases as of 31 March 2023

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	1	0%
EEA national	EEA status / nationality	2	1%
EEA national - no record on HO systems	EEA status / nationality	1	0%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	1	0%
Humanitarian Protection	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	1%
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	121	58%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	8	4%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	10	5%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	0%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	3	1%
No record held by Home Office	No current immigration permission	8	4%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	1%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	1	0%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	21	10%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	1	0%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	16	8%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	1	0%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	2	1%
UASC leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	6	3%
Total		209	100%

Summary of immigration status - open cases as of 31 March 2023

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	155	75%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	27	13%
No current immigration permission	19	9%
EEA status / nationality	6	3%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	0%
Total	208	100%

Summary of immigration status - open cases as of 31 March 2023

