

Support for Migrant Families Web Tool

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Use this web tool to find out if migrant families can get help with housing and financial support when they have no recourse to public funds (NRPF).

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About the tool

You can use this tool if you are a person needing help, an adviser, or a local authority practitioner considering an application for social services support.

You will need information about the person's immigration status and will be provided with information about whether the person:

- may be able to claim benefits and social housing
- may be able to get help from social services
- might need to seek immigration advice

Support for migrant families

This tool has been created in partnership between the [NRPF Network](#) and [COMPAS](#) with funding from the Legal Education Fund.

Find out where migrant families can get help with housing and financial support when they have no recourse to public funds (NRPF).

Support Options
Find out what help may be available

Start

You can use this tool if you are a person needing help, adviser, or local authority practitioner considering an application for social services support. You will need information about the person's immigration status.

Please note:

It will take around 10-15 mins to complete the tool.

The tool will generate guidance based on the answers you provide. It does not provide a guarantee that any form of help will be provided as this will be subject to assessment by the support provider.

For voluntary sector advisers and local authority practitioners, the tool will direct you to more detailed guidance.

Whilst every effort will be taken to keep the content up to date, the law changes regularly and people should seek appropriate advice where this is recommended.

The tool does not ask for confidential information, nor keep any record of personal details.

You will be able to email the advice provided to yourself but your email address will not be stored.

The advice provided about help from social services is based on English legislation with references to the equivalent legislation that applies in Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.

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A project led by the [Global Exchange on Migration and Diversity](#) at the Centre on Migration, Policy and Society (COMPAS), University of Oxford. The Global Exchange provides opportunities for knowledge exchange and identifying practical solutions to challenges identified by migration research.

Use this tool to find out if a person:

- May be able to claim benefits and social housing
- May be able to get help from social services
- Might need to seek immigration advice

Additional resources

For more information please visit the [NRPF Network](#)

For detailed guidance for local authority practitioners please visit the [NRPF Network](#)

[Assessing and supporting children and families who have no recourse to public funds \(NRPF\)](#)

[How to make an appeal to a public funds decision](#)

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For detailed guidance for local authority practitioners please visit NRPF Network, Assessing and supporting children and families who have no recourse to public funds (NRPF)

www.nrpfnetwork.org.uk/Documents/Practice-Guidance-Families.pdf

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