



# NRPF Connect Data Report 2024/25

East of England

## What is the NRPF Connect data report 2024/25?

This data report collates and analyses the data recorded by councils in the East of England region using NRPF Connect in the 2024/25 financial year. It provides a summary 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?

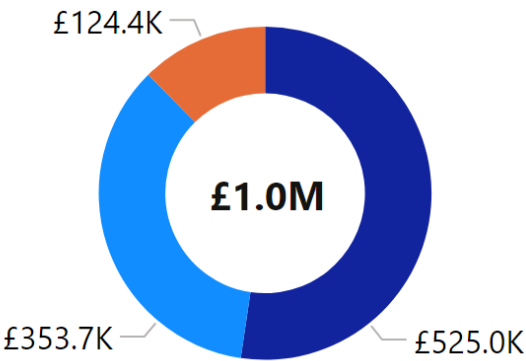
Councils can provide accommodation and financial support to people who are excluded from claiming benefits and mainstream housing assistance when statutory duties are engaged under social care legislation. Local authorities across the UK record the social care services they provide to families, adults 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

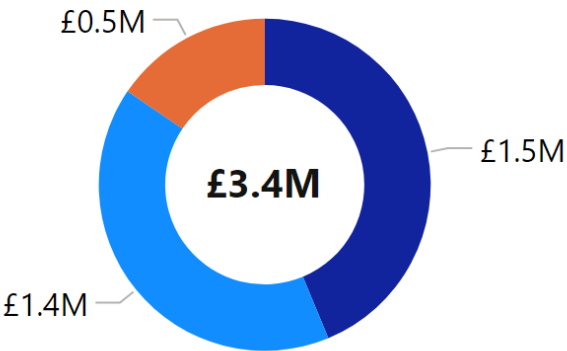
- “Adults” refers to adults with care needs provided with support under S18(1) Care Act 2014, S19(1) Care Act 2014, S12 Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968, S35 Social Services & Well-being (Wales) Act 2014, P7 Housing Act 1996, S1 Localism Act 2011, or S117 Mental Health Act 1983.
- “Families” refers to families with a child in need with support under S17 Children Act 1989, S22 Children (Scotland) Act 1995, or S37 Social Services & Well-Being (Wales) Act 2014.
- “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, S29 & S30 Children (Scotland) Act 1995, or Part 6 Social Services & Well-Being (Wales) Act 2014
- “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 29/07/2025
- “Year-to-date” figures cover the time period from the start of the financial year to the end of the reported quarter.

## Key

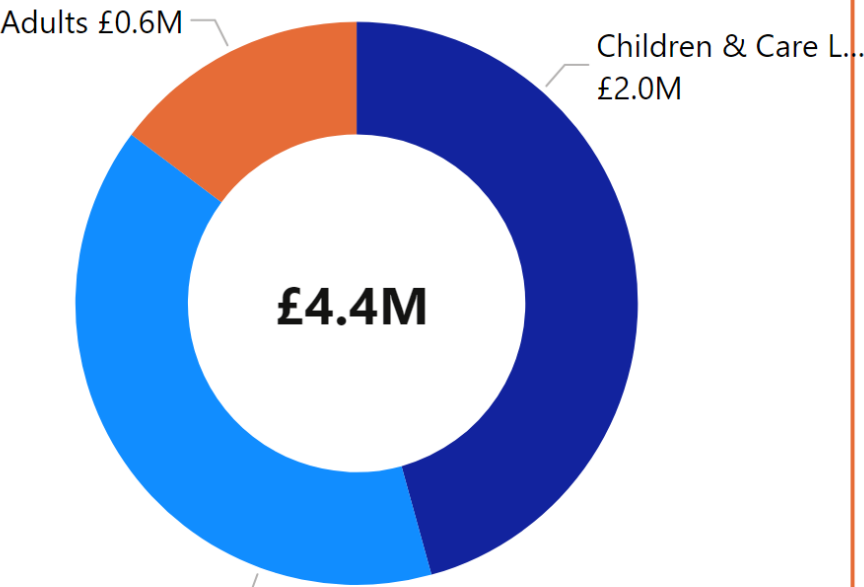
‡ - Those awaiting a first immigration check have been removed from the summary



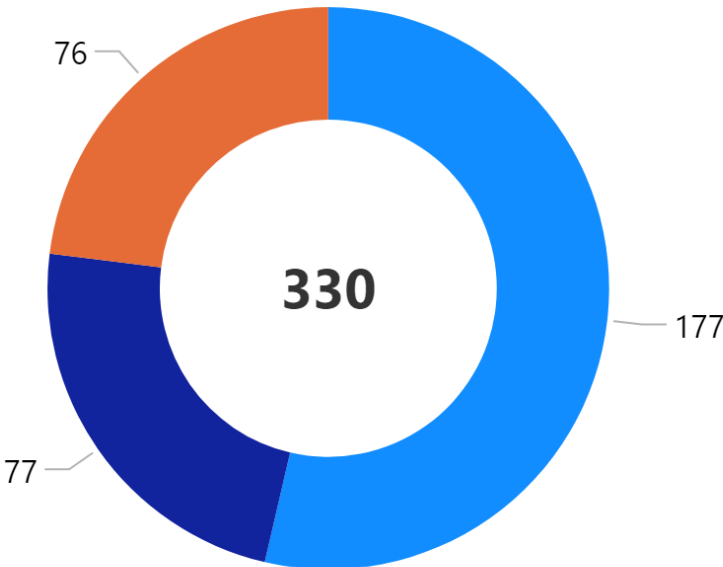
Person Related Costs



Property Related Costs



Total Annual Cost



Supported Households

- Families
- Children & Care Leavers
- Adults

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# Adults with care and support needs





## All cases

Average number of days on support

**1381**

## 1,000 Day Cases

Households supported for 1000 days

**41**

1000 day households as % of total

**54%**

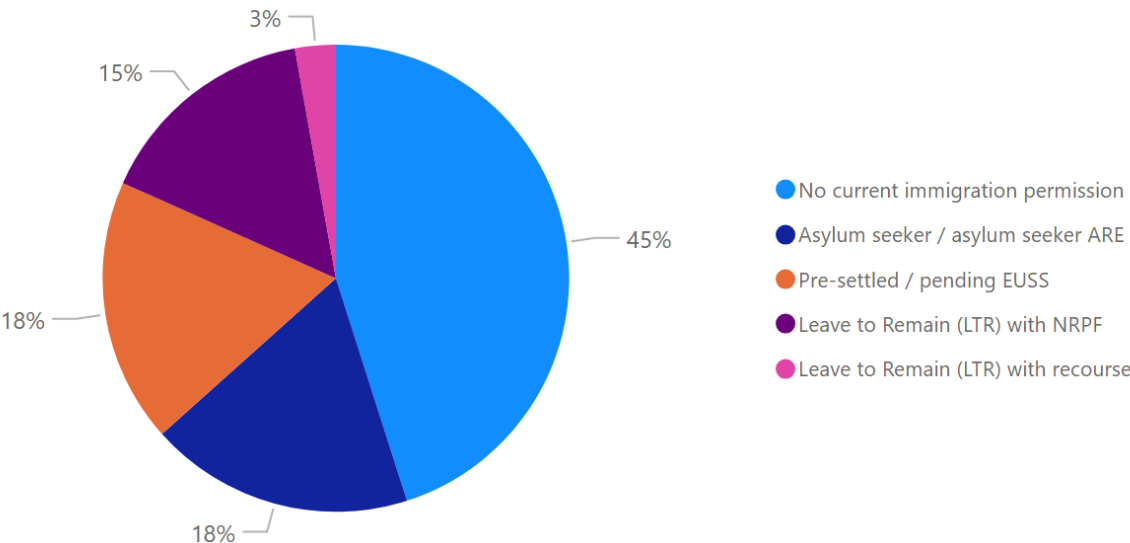
## Immigration status - financially supported in 2024/25

| Immigration Status                                        | Immigration Status Groups           | Count     | Percentage     |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| Awaiting first immigration check                          | Awaiting first immigration check    | 5         | 6.58%          |
| EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present | No current immigration permission   | 2         | 2.63%          |
| EEA national                                              | No current immigration permission   | 2         | 2.63%          |
| EEA national - no record on HO systems                    | No current immigration permission   | 1         | 1.32%          |
| EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021             | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 1         | 1.32%          |
| EUSS application submitted in time                        | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 1         | 1.32%          |
| EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021               | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 7         | 9.21%          |
| Humanitarian Protection                                   | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1         | 1.32%          |
| Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum              | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 8         | 10.53%         |
| Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum        | No current immigration permission   | 4         | 5.26%          |
| Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF                          | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 1         | 1.32%          |
| Limited leave with NRPF (other)                           | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 10        | 13.16%         |
| Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum                        | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 4         | 5.26%          |
| Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum                  | No current immigration permission   | 10        | 13.16%         |
| Port Case                                                 | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 1         | 1.32%          |
| Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)                             | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 4         | 5.26%          |
| Refugee Status                                            | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1         | 1.32%          |
| Status not confirmed                                      | No current immigration permission   | 13        | 17.11%         |
| <b>Total</b>                                              |                                     | <b>76</b> | <b>100.00%</b> |

## Summary of immigration status - supported in 2024/25†

| Immigration Status Groups           | Count     | Percentage     |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| No current immigration permission   | 32        | 45.07%         |
| Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 13        | 18.31%         |
| Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 13        | 18.31%         |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 11        | 15.49%         |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 2         | 2.82%          |
| <b>Total</b>                        | <b>71</b> | <b>100.00%</b> |

## Summary of immigration status - supported in 2024/25†



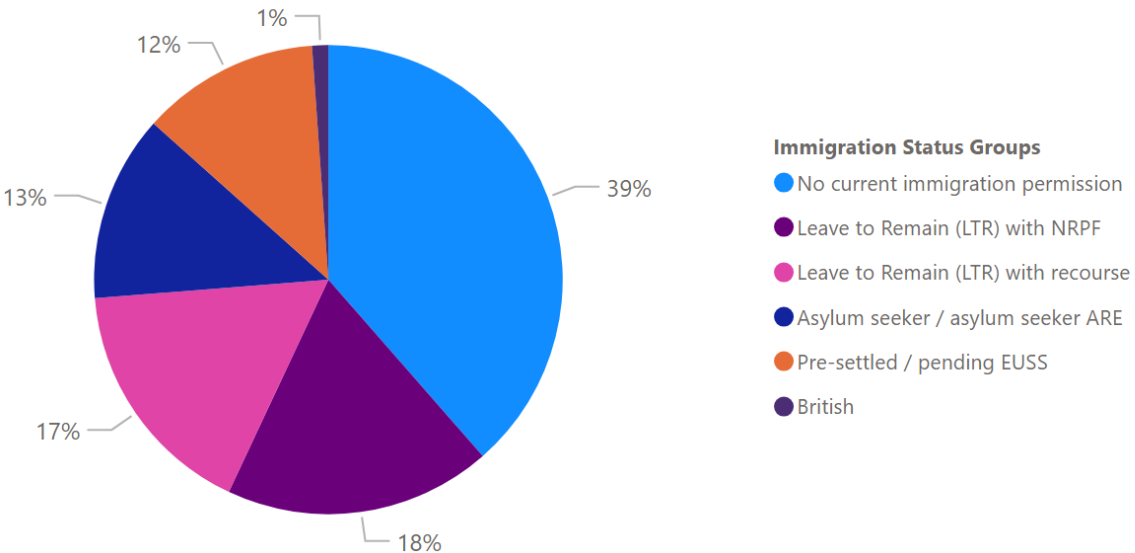
Immigration status - all referrals in 2024/25

| Immigration Status                                          | Immigration Status Groups           | Count | Percentage |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum                | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 9     | 5.00%      |
| In Country Asylum Seeker                                    | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 4     | 2.22%      |
| Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum                        | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 5     | 2.78%      |
| Port Case                                                   | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 5     | 2.78%      |
| Awaiting first immigration check                            | Awaiting first immigration check    | 1     | 0.56%      |
| British                                                     | British                             | 2     | 1.11%      |
| Hong Kong BN(O) Visa                                        | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF                            | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 6     | 3.33%      |
| Limited leave with NRPF (other)                             | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 26    | 14.44%     |
| DDV Concession                                              | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Humanitarian Protection                                     | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 2     | 1.11%      |
| Indefinite Leave                                            | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 6     | 3.33%      |
| Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route) | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)         | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 7     | 3.89%      |
| Refugee Status                                              | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 6     | 3.33%      |
| Settled status ILR (EUSS)                                   | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 7     | 3.89%      |
| EEA national                                                | No current immigration permission   | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum          | No current immigration permission   | 16    | 8.89%      |
| Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum                  | No current immigration permission   | 17    | 9.44%      |
| Status not confirmed                                        | No current immigration permission   | 35    | 19.44%     |
| EUSS application submitted in time                          | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 5     | 2.78%      |
| Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)                               | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 17    | 9.44%      |
| Total                                                       |                                     | 180   | 100.00%    |

Immigration status - all referrals in 2024/25†

| Immigration Status Groups           | Count | Percentage |
|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| No current immigration permission   | 69    | 38.55%     |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 33    | 18.44%     |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 30    | 16.76%     |
| Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 23    | 12.85%     |
| Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 22    | 12.29%     |
| British                             | 2     | 1.12%      |
| Total                               | 179   | 100.00%    |

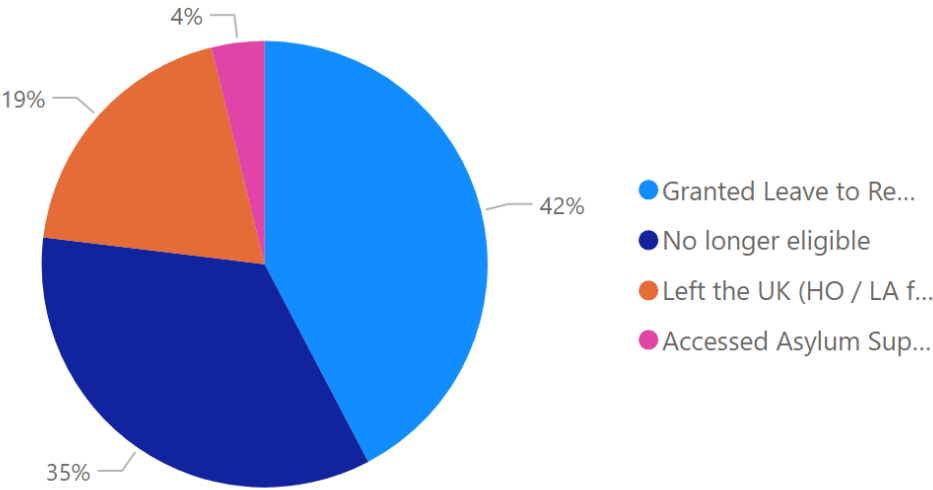
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| Closure reason - all closures in 2024/25 |       |            |                     |
|------------------------------------------|-------|------------|---------------------|
| Reason for closure                       | Count | Percentage | Avg days on support |
| Granted Leave to Remain                  | 11    | 42%        | 2999                |
| No longer eligible                       | 9     | 35%        | 1298                |
| Left the UK (HO / LA funded)             | 5     | 19%        | 316                 |
| Accessed Asylum Support                  | 1     | 4%         | 1172                |
| Total                                    | 26    | 100%       | 1824                |

| Onward referral for those no longer eligible |       |            |
|----------------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Referral                                     | Count | Percentage |
| Support accessed through friends / family    | 4     | 44%        |
| Referred to borough where ordinary resident  | 3     | 33%        |
| Employment                                   | 1     | 11%        |
| NRM accommodation                            | 1     | 11%        |
| Total                                        | 9     | 100%       |

Closure reason - all closures in 2024/25

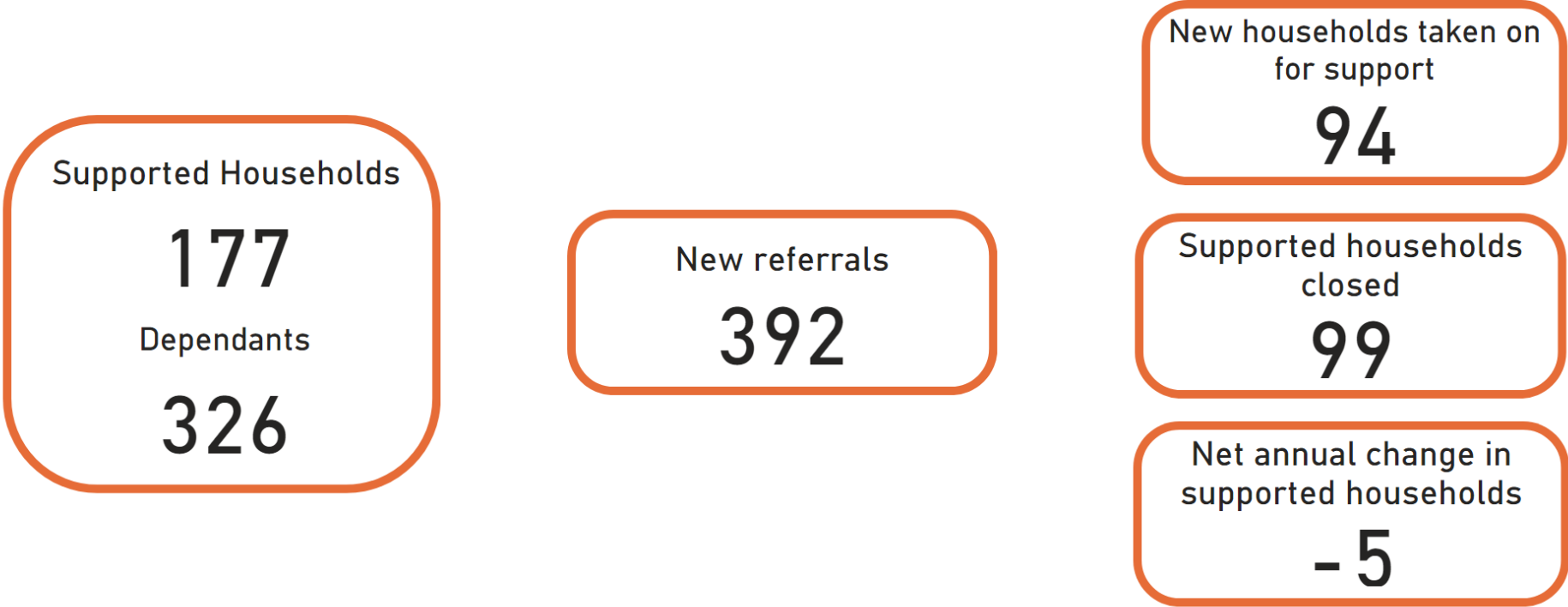


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# Families with Children in Need





## All cases

Average number of days on support

**425**

## 1,000 Day Cases

Households supported for 1000 days

**23**

1000 day households as % of total

**13%**

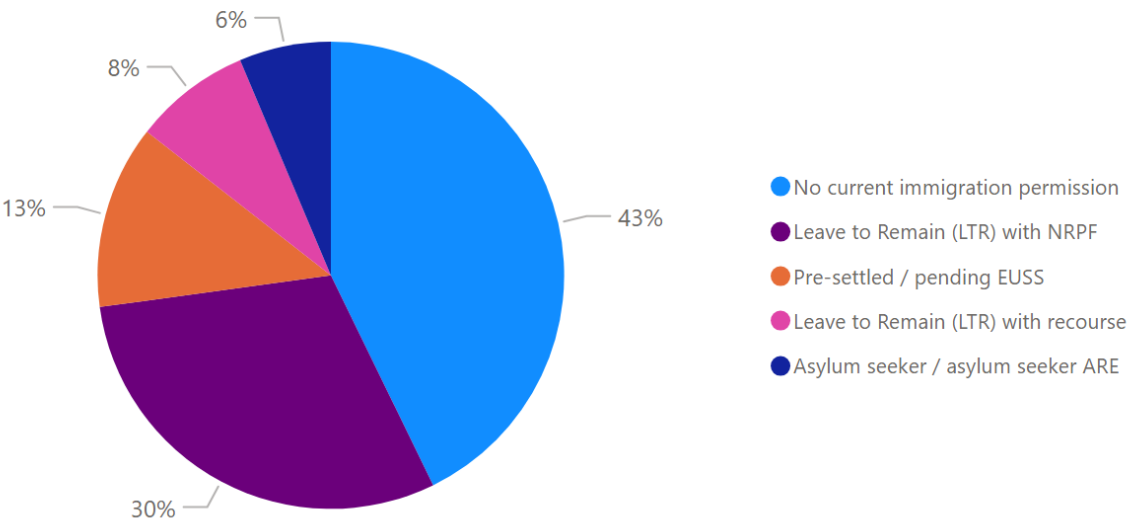
Immigration status - financially supported in 2024/25

| Immigration Status                                          | Immigration Status Groups           | Count | Percentage |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum                | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 2     | 1.13%      |
| In Country Asylum Seeker                                    | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum                        | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 7     | 3.95%      |
| Port Case                                                   | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Awaiting first immigration check                            | Awaiting first immigration check    | 4     | 2.26%      |
| Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF                            | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 3     | 1.69%      |
| Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)                     | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 7     | 3.95%      |
| Limited leave with NRPF (other)                             | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 42    | 23.73%     |
| DDV Concession                                              | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 4     | 2.26%      |
| Discretionary leave - trafficking                           | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Indefinite Leave                                            | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route) | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 3     | 1.69%      |
| Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)         | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 2     | 1.13%      |
| Refugee Status                                              | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 2     | 1.13%      |
| Settled status ILR (EUSS)                                   | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1     | 0.56%      |
| EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present   | No current immigration permission   | 3     | 1.69%      |
| EEA national - no record on HO systems                      | No current immigration permission   | 1     | 0.56%      |
| Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum          | No current immigration permission   | 3     | 1.69%      |
| Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum                  | No current immigration permission   | 35    | 19.77%     |
| Status not confirmed                                        | No current immigration permission   | 32    | 18.08%     |
| EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021               | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 3     | 1.69%      |
| Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)                               | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 19    | 10.73%     |
| Total                                                       |                                     | 177   | 100.00%    |

Summary of immigration status - supported in 2024/25†

| Immigration Status Groups           | Count | Percentage |
|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| No current immigration permission   | 74    | 42.77%     |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 52    | 30.06%     |
| Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 22    | 12.72%     |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 14    | 8.09%      |
| Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 11    | 6.36%      |
| Total                               | 173   | 100.00%    |

Summary of immigration status - supported in 2024/25†



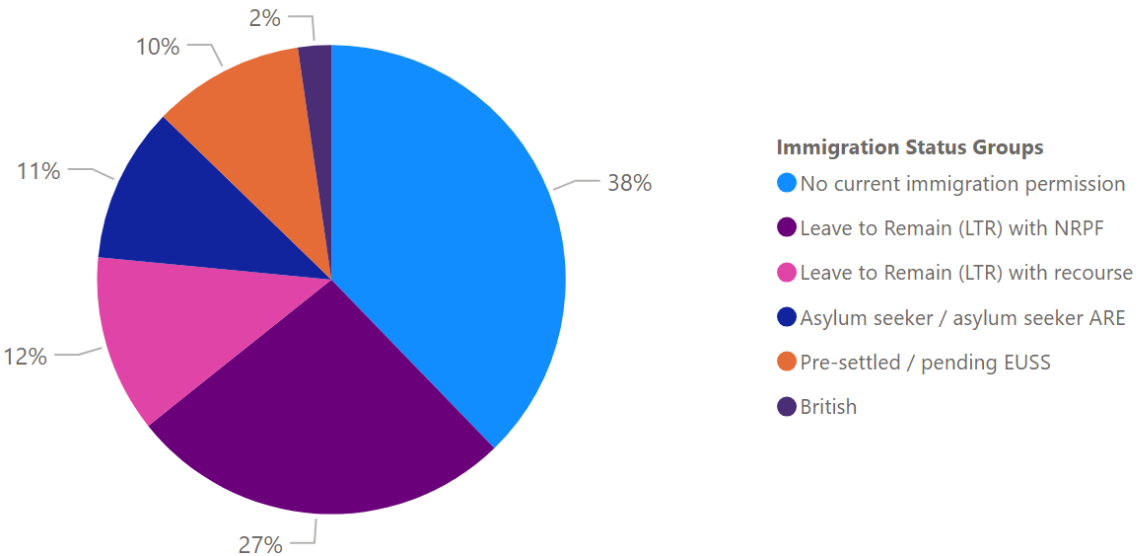
Immigration status - all referrals in 2024/25

| Immigration Status                                          | Immigration Status Groups           | Count | Percentage |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum                | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 18    | 4.59%      |
| In Country Asylum Seeker                                    | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 5     | 1.28%      |
| Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum                          | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 14    | 3.57%      |
| Port Case                                                   | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 5     | 1.28%      |
| British                                                     | British                             | 9     | 2.30%      |
| Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF                            | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 2     | 0.51%      |
| Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)                     | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 12    | 3.06%      |
| Limited leave with NRPF (other)                             | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 90    | 22.96%     |
| DDV Concession                                              | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 6     | 1.53%      |
| Discretionary leave - trafficking                           | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 1     | 0.26%      |
| Indefinite Leave                                            | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 9     | 2.30%      |
| Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route) | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 4     | 1.02%      |
| Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)         | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 13    | 3.32%      |
| Refugee Status                                              | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 5     | 1.28%      |
| Settled status ILR (EUSS)                                   | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 10    | 2.55%      |
| EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present   | No current immigration permission   | 2     | 0.51%      |
| Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum          | No current immigration permission   | 5     | 1.28%      |
| Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum                    | No current immigration permission   | 35    | 8.93%      |
| Status not confirmed                                        | No current immigration permission   | 106   | 27.04%     |
| EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021               | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 3     | 0.77%      |
| EUSS application submitted in time                          | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 3     | 0.77%      |
| EUSS family member permit                                   | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 1     | 0.26%      |
| Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)                               | Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 34    | 8.67%      |
| Total                                                       |                                     | 392   | 100.00%    |

Immigration status - all referrals in 2024/25†

| Immigration Status Groups           | Count | Percentage |
|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| No current immigration permission   | 148   | 37.76%     |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 104   | 26.53%     |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 48    | 12.24%     |
| Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 42    | 10.71%     |
| Pre-settled / pending EUSS          | 41    | 10.46%     |
| British                             | 9     | 2.30%      |
| Total                               | 392   | 100.00%    |

Immigration status - all referrals in 2024/25†



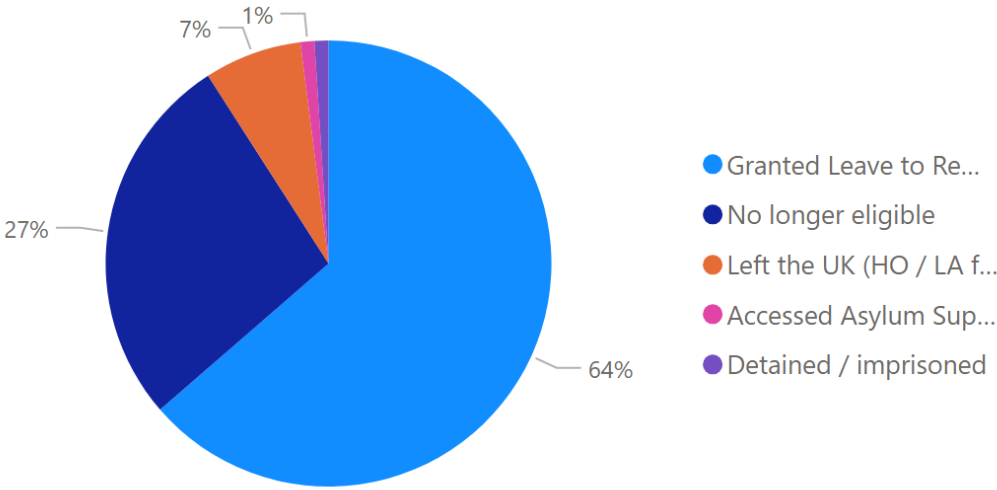
Closure reason - all closures in 2024/25

| Reason for closure           | Count | Percentage | Avg days on support |
|------------------------------|-------|------------|---------------------|
| Granted Leave to Remain      | 63    | 64%        | 430                 |
| No longer eligible           | 27    | 27%        | 530                 |
| Left the UK (HO / LA funded) | 7     | 7%         | 251                 |
| Accessed Asylum Support      | 1     | 1%         | 112                 |
| Detained / imprisoned        | 1     | 1%         | 694                 |
| Total                        | 99    | 100%       | 444                 |

Onward referral for those no longer eligible

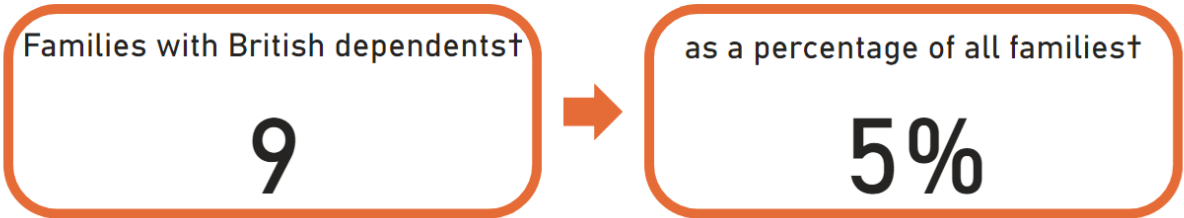
| Referral                                    | Count | Percentage |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|------------|
| Support accessed through friends / family   | 9     | 33%        |
| Mainstream benefits and housing services    | 7     | 26%        |
| Referred to borough where ordinary resident | 6     | 22%        |
| Employment                                  | 4     | 15%        |
| Support accessed through VCS                | 1     | 4%         |
| Total                                       | 27    | 100%       |

Closure reason - all closures in 2024/25

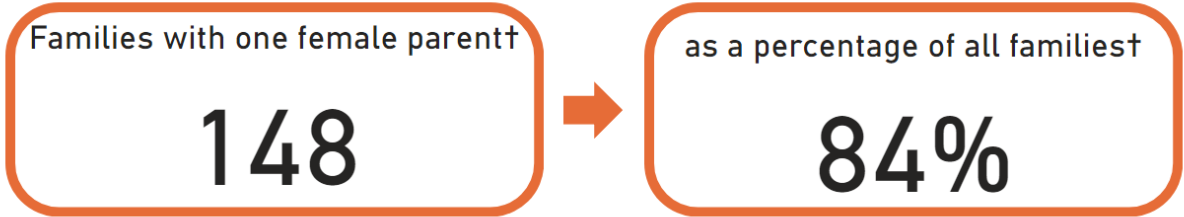
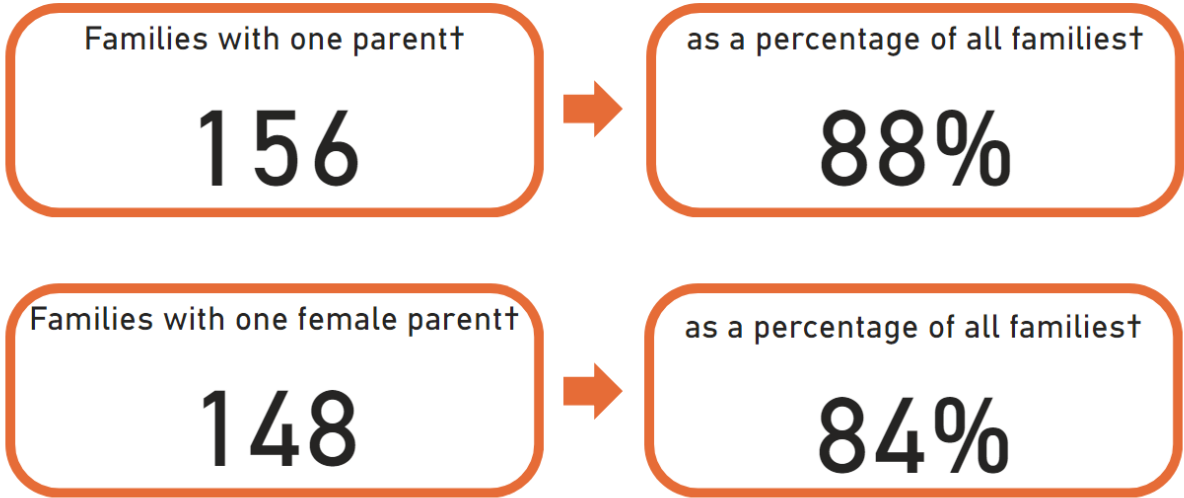


Following requests from our members, we have calculated the following figures:

## Families with British Dependents



## Single Parent Families



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|              |                 |               |       |         |
|--------------|-----------------|---------------|-------|---------|
| Bedford      | Essex           | Hertfordshire | Luton | Norfolk |
| Peterborough | Southend on Sea | Thurrock      |       |         |

# Looked after Children and Care Leavers

## Caseload changes

New cases

48

New cases taken on for support

18

Cases closed

35

## Open Cases

Open cases under age of 18

103

Total open cases

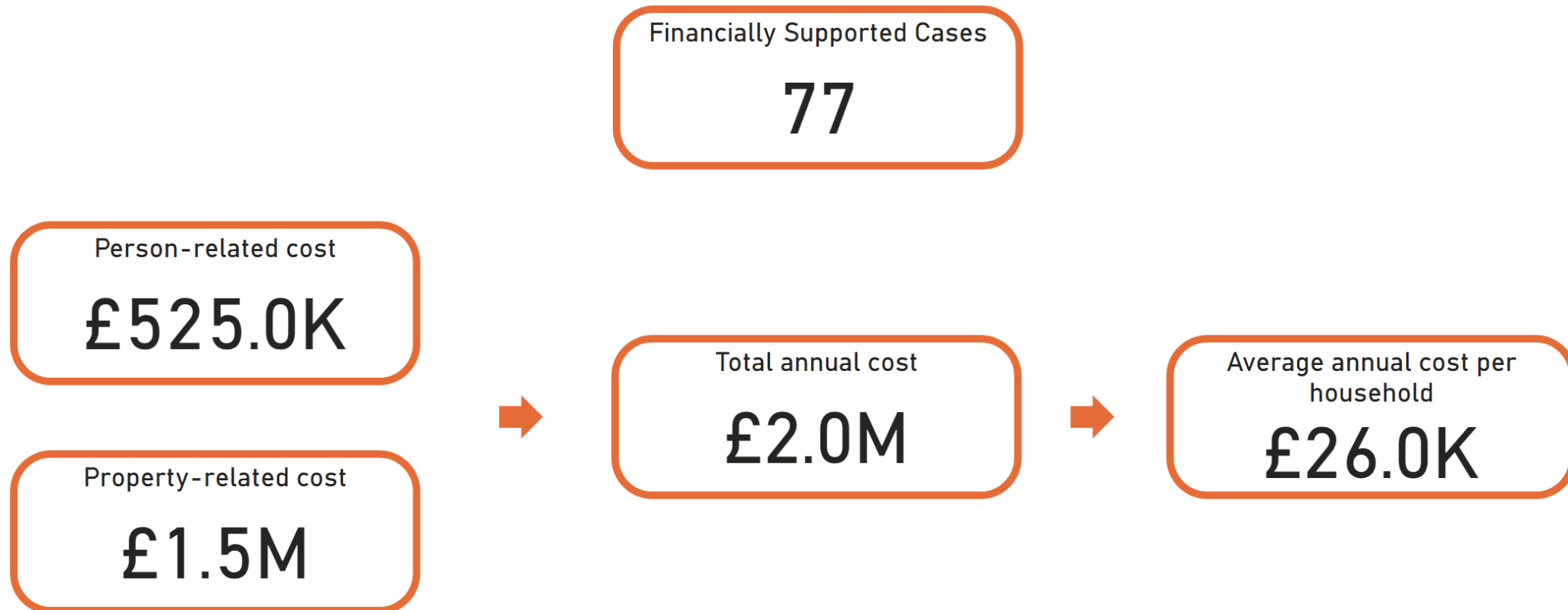
341

Open cases aged 18-20

172

Open cases aged 21-24

66



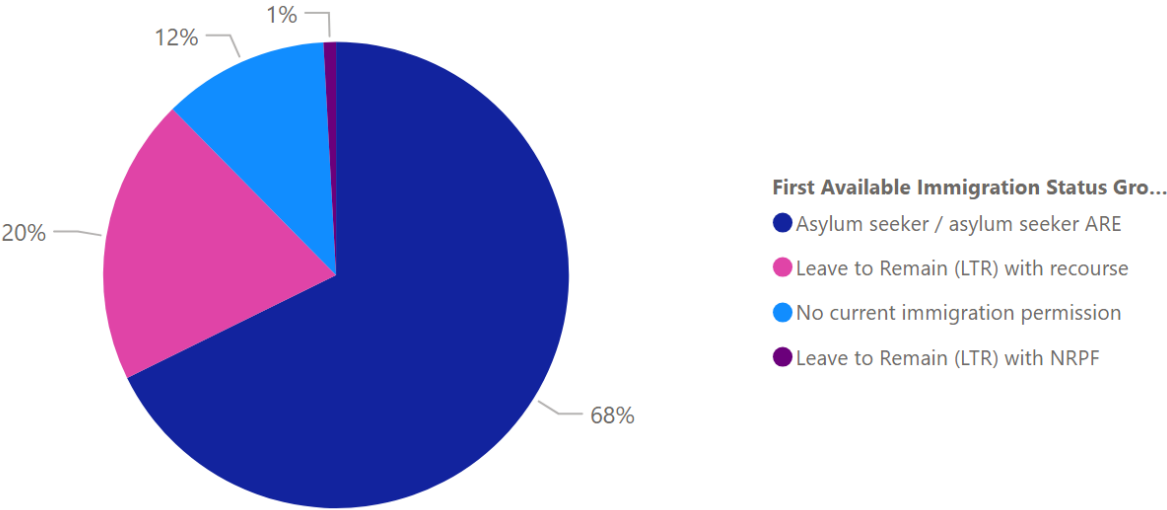
## Immigration status - open cases in 2024/25

| Immigration Status                                  | Immigration Status Groups           | Count      | Percentage     |
|-----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum        | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 155        | 43.30%         |
| In Country Asylum Seeker                            | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 55         | 15.36%         |
| Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum                | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 6          | 1.68%          |
| Port Case                                           | Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 19         | 5.31%          |
| Awaiting first immigration check                    | Awaiting first immigration check    | 11         | 3.07%          |
| Limited leave with NRPF (other)                     | Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 3          | 0.84%          |
| Humanitarian Protection                             | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 3          | 0.84%          |
| Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other) | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 7          | 1.96%          |
| Refugee Status                                      | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 54         | 15.08%         |
| UASC leave                                          | Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 5          | 1.40%          |
| EEA national                                        | No current immigration permission   | 1          | 0.28%          |
| EEA national - no record on HO systems              | No current immigration permission   | 1          | 0.28%          |
| Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum  | No current immigration permission   | 10         | 2.79%          |
| No record held by Home Office                       | No current immigration permission   | 14         | 3.91%          |
| Status not confirmed                                | No current immigration permission   | 14         | 3.91%          |
| <b>Total</b>                                        |                                     | <b>358</b> | <b>100.00%</b> |

## Summary of immigration status - open cases in 2024/25†

| Immigration Status Groups           | Count      | Percentage     |
|-------------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE   | 235        | 67.72%         |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse | 69         | 19.88%         |
| No current immigration permission   | 40         | 11.53%         |
| Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF     | 3          | 0.86%          |
| <b>Total</b>                        | <b>347</b> | <b>100.00%</b> |

## Summary of immigration status - open cases in 2024/25†



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