



# NRPF Connect Data Report 2023/24

West Midlands

## What is the NRPF Connect data report 2023/24?

This data report collates and analyses the data recorded by councils in the West Midlands using NRPF Connect in the 2023/24 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?

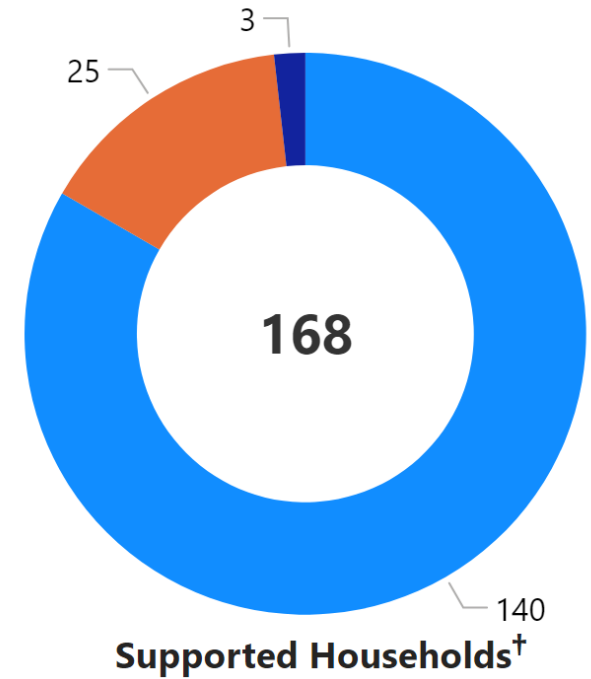
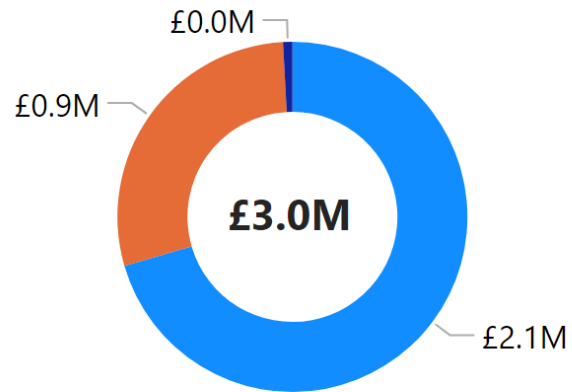
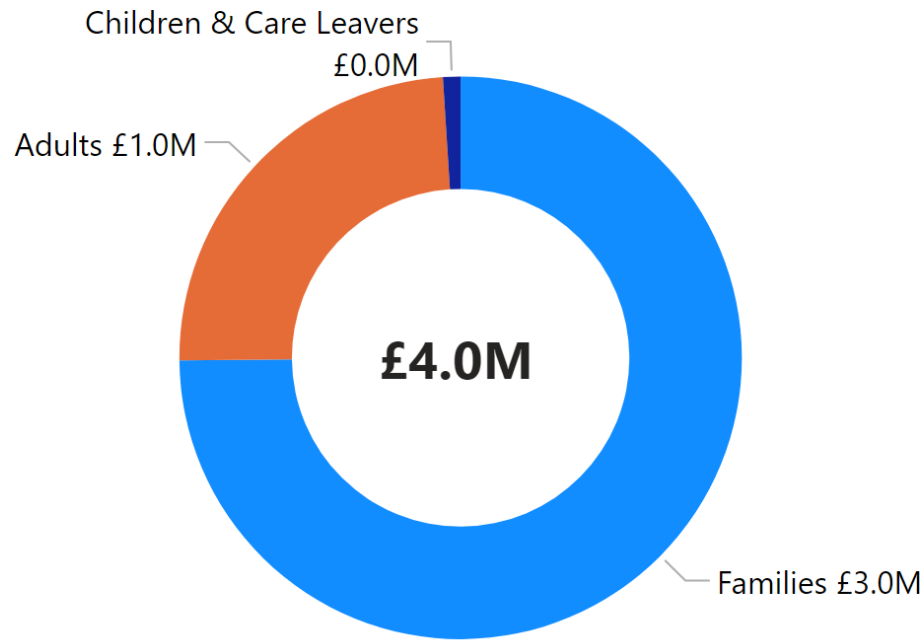
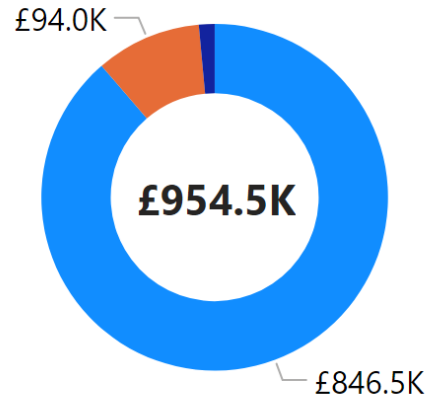
Councils can provide accommodation and financial support to people who are excluded from claiming benefits and mainstream housing assistance when statutory duties are engaged under social care legislation. Local authorities across the UK record the social care services they provide to families, adults 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 29/07/2024

## 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



Property Related Costs

- Families
- Children & Care Leavers
- Adults

9 local authority subscribers

# Adults with care and support needs

## Local authorities uploading financial data:

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Birmingham	Coventry	Stoke
Walsall	Wolverhampton	

## Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New referrals	36	53	56	40	185
New households taken on for support	2	5	3	3	13
Supported households closed	3	2	1	6	12

## Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Average number of days on support†	881	862	883	992
Households supported for 1000 days†	7	7	8	10
1000 day households as % of total†	30%	27%	29%	40%

## Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Supported households†	23	26	28	25
Dependents of supported households†	1	1	1	1
Annual person-related cost†*	£75.8K	£79.9K	£81.8K	£94.0K
Annual property-related cost†*	£847.7K	£902.7K	£1.0M	£866.3K
Total annual cost†*	£923.5K	£982.6K	£1.1M	£960.3K
Average annual cost per household†*	£37.8K	£37.8K	£38.7K	£38.4K

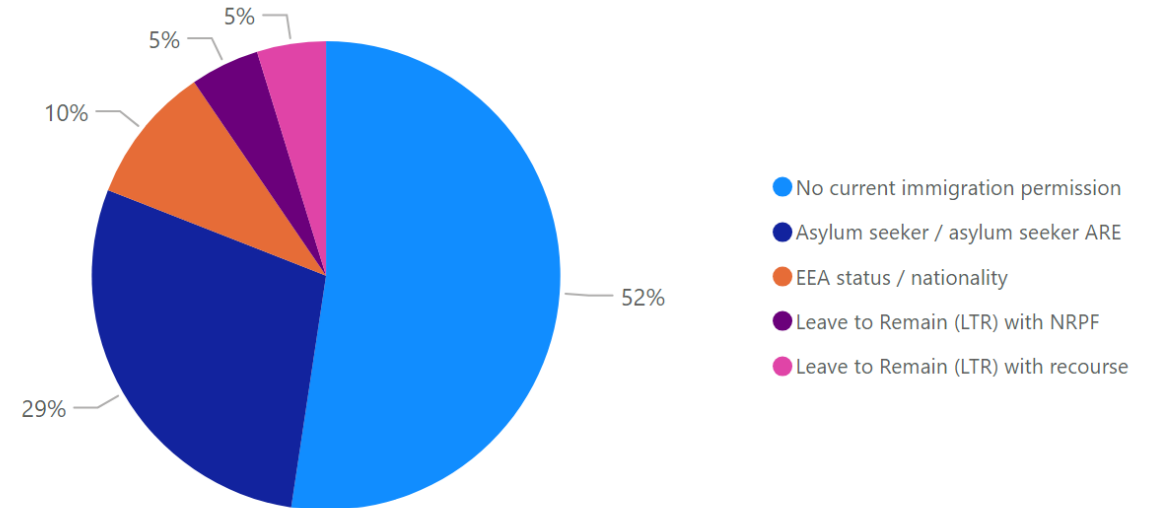
## Immigration status - financially supported as end Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	8.00%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	12.00%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	4.00%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	4	16.00%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	1	4.00%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	1	4.00%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	4.00%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	4.00%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	8	32.00%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	3	12.00%
<b>Total</b>		<b>25</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	6	28.57%
EEA status / nationality	2	9.52%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	4.76%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	4.76%
No current immigration permission	11	52.38%
<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡



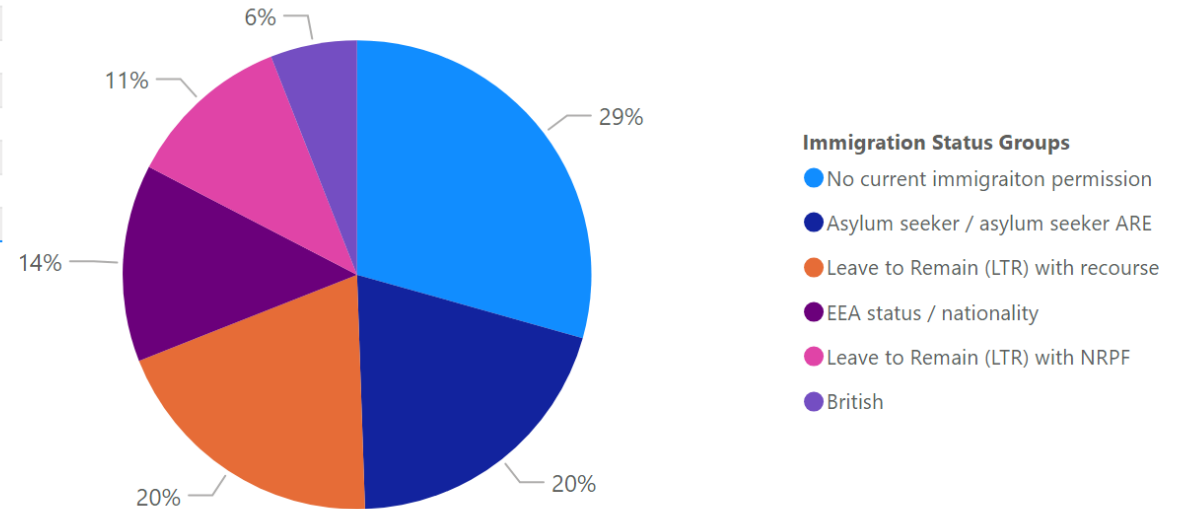
## Immigration status - all referrals for the year

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	24	12.97%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	11	5.95%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	1.08%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	1	0.54%
British	British	11	5.95%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	2	1.08%
EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	2	1.08%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	17	9.19%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	4	2.16%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	7	3.78%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	4	2.16%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	10	5.41%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	2.16%
Discretionary Leave (DL) - other	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.54%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	12	6.49%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.54%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (following COC)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	1.08%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	2.16%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	12	6.49%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	1	0.54%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	24	12.97%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	29	15.68%
<b>Total</b>		<b>185</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Immigration status - all referrals for the year†

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
No current immigration permission	54	29.35%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	37	20.11%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	36	19.57%
EEA status / nationality	25	13.59%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	21	11.41%
British	11	5.98%
<b>Total</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Immigration status - all referrals for the year†



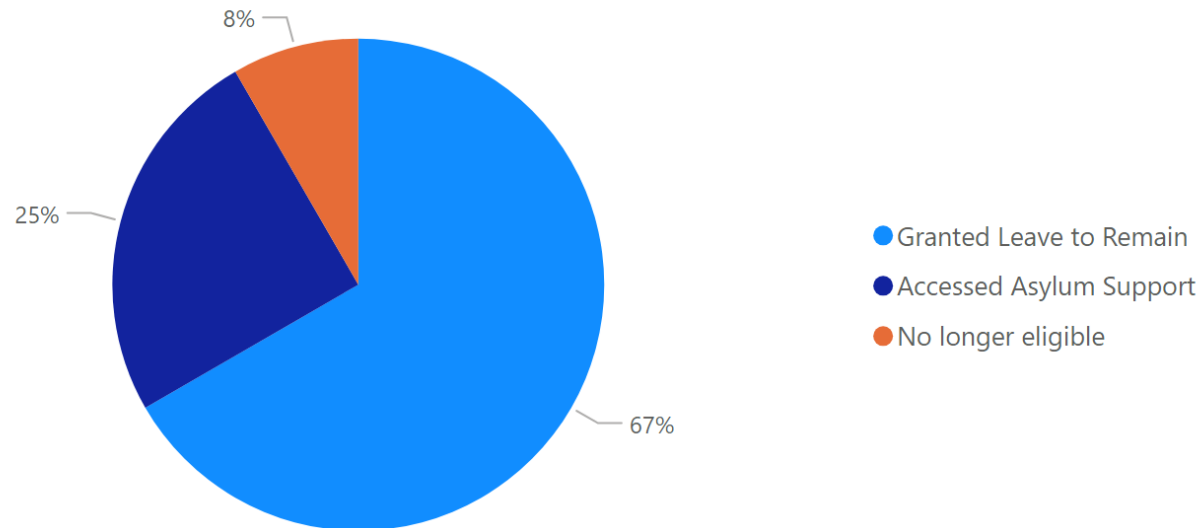
Closure reason - all closures in the year

Reason for closure	Count	Percentage	Avg days on support
Granted Leave to Remain	8	67%	1040
Accessed Asylum Support	3	25%	148
No longer eligible	1	8%	866
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>803</b>

Onward referral for those no longer eligible

Referral	Count	Avg days on support
Support accessed through friends / family	1	866
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>866</b>

Closure reason - all closures in the year





# Families with Children in Need

## Local authorities uploading financial data:

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Birmingham	Coventry	Dudley
Sandwell	Stoke	Walsall
Warwickshire	Wolverhampton	

## Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New referrals	79	57	59	70	265
New households taken on for support	18	25	28	22	93
Supported households closed	52	30	20	11	113

## Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Average number of days on support <sup>†</sup>	580	556	563	543
Households supported for 1000 days <sup>†</sup>	24	19	22	24
1000 day households as % of total <sup>†</sup>	20%	16%	17%	17%

## Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Supported households <sup>†</sup>	123	120	128	140
Dependents of supported households <sup>†</sup>	208	220	232	254
Annual person-related cost <sup>†*</sup>	£706.1K	£685.0K	£757.5K	£846.5K
Annual property-related cost <sup>†*</sup>	£1.6M	£1.7M	£1.9M	£2.1M
Total annual cost <sup>†*</sup>	£2.3M	£2.4M	£2.6M	£3.0M
Average annual cost per household <sup>†*</sup>	£18.0K	£19.2K	£19.7K	£21.3K

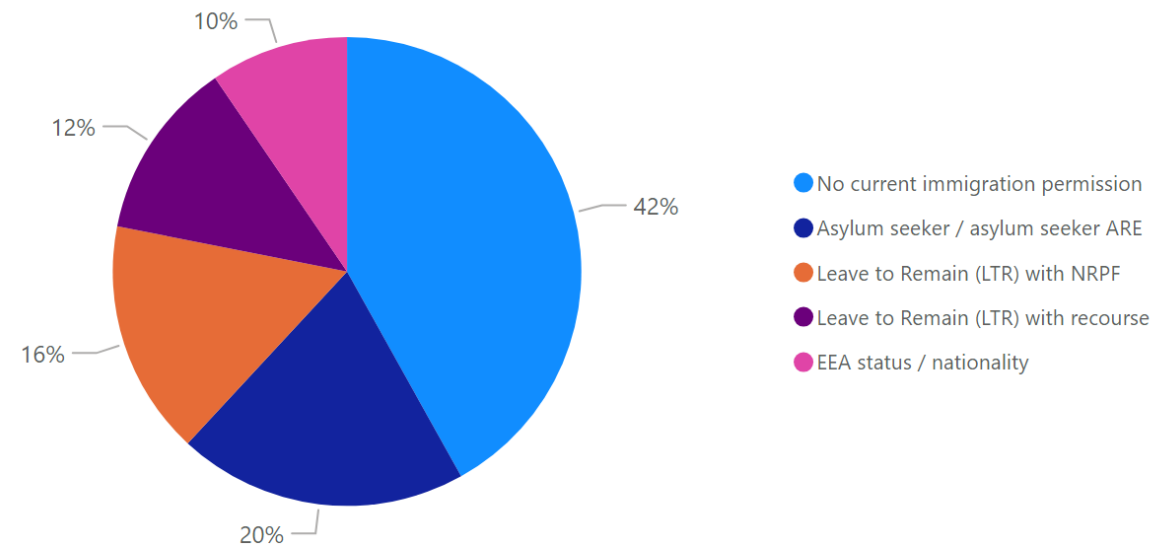
## Immigration status - financially supported as end Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	4	3.03%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	15	11.36%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	1.52%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	27	20.45%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	1	0.76%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	1	0.76%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	8	6.06%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	3	2.27%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	0.76%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	13	9.85%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	3.03%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	5	3.79%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	3.03%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	1	0.76%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	34	25.76%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	9	6.82%
<b>Total</b>		<b>132</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	21	20.00%
EEA status / nationality	10	9.52%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	17	16.19%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	13	12.38%
No current immigration permission	44	41.90%
<b>Total</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡



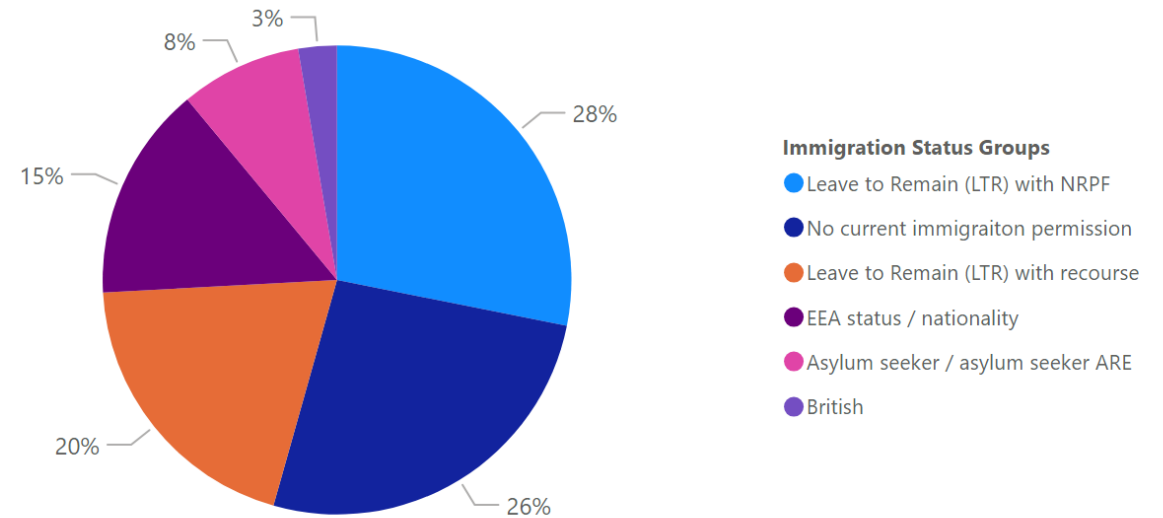
## Immigration status - all referrals for the year

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	10	3.77%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	0.38%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	9	3.40%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	0.75%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	2	0.75%
British	British	7	2.64%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	4	1.51%
EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	4	1.51%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	26	9.81%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	5	1.89%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	6	2.26%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	19	7.17%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	49	18.49%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	14	5.28%
Discretionary Leave (DL) - other	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.38%
Humanitarian Protection	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.38%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	6	2.26%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	10	3.77%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (following COC)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	6	2.26%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	9	3.40%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	5	1.89%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	1	0.38%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	49	18.49%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	19	7.17%
<b>Total</b>		<b>265</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Immigration status - all referrals for the year‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	74	28.14%
No current immigration permission	69	26.24%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	52	19.77%
EEA status / nationality	39	14.83%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	22	8.37%
British	7	2.66%
<b>Total</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Immigration status - all referrals for the year‡



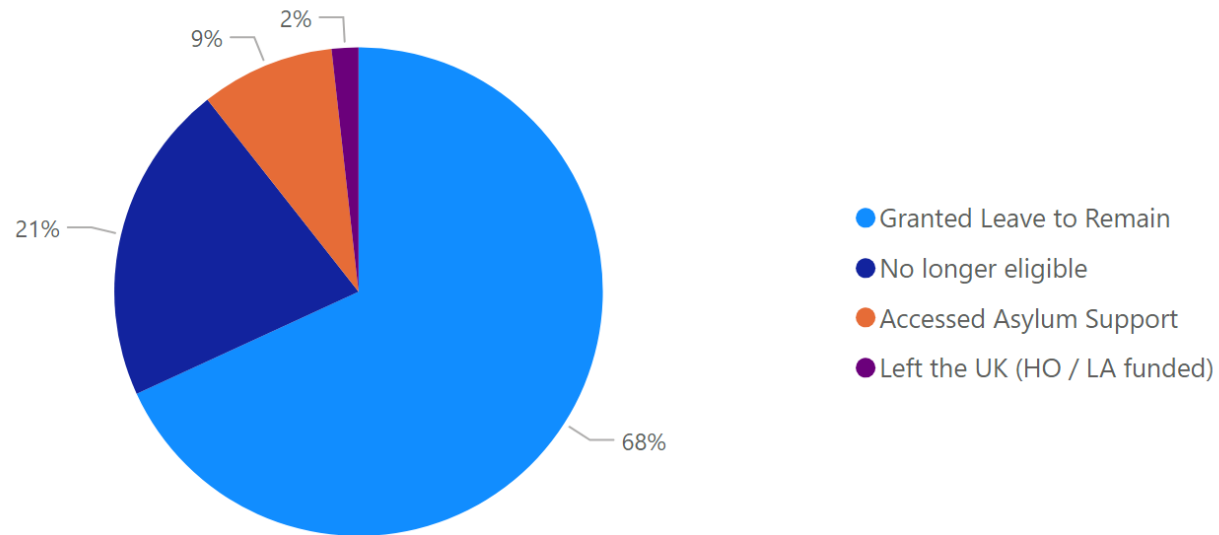
Closure reason - all closures in the year

Reason for closure	Count	Percentage	Avg days on support
Granted Leave to Remain	77	68%	728
No longer eligible	24	21%	215
Accessed Asylum Support	10	9%	274
Left the UK (HO / LA funded)	2	2%	192
<b>Total</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>570</b>

Onward referral for those no longer eligible

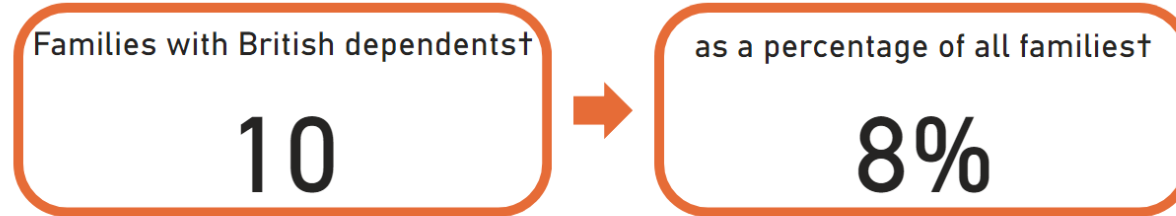
Referral	Count	Avg days on support
Mainstream benefits and housing services	10	288
Support accessed through friends / family	9	117
Referred to borough where ordinary resident	4	165
Employment	1	565
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>215</b>

Closure reason - all closures in the year

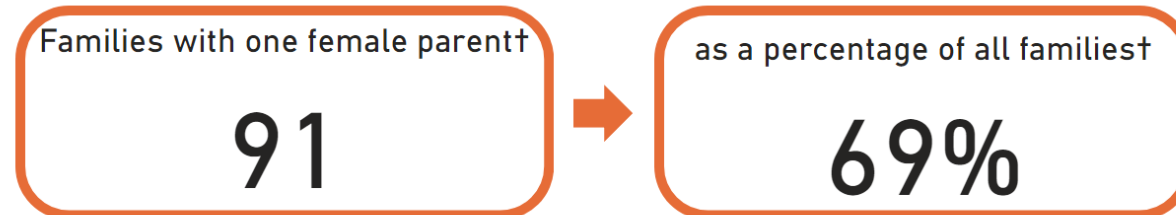
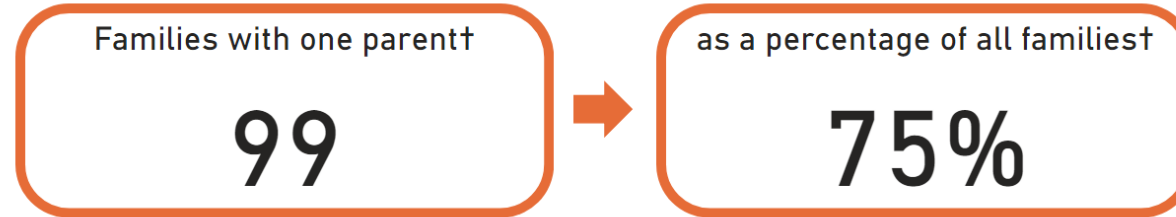


Following requests from our members, we have calculated the following figures:

## Families with British Dependents



## Single Parent Families



# Looked after Children and Care Leavers

Local authorities uploading financial data:

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Birmingham

Telford and Wrekin

## Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New cases taken on for support	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)
New cases	2	15	5	12	34
Cases closed	8	2	9	5	24

## Open Cases

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Open cases <sup>†</sup>	51	57	54	61
Open cases under age of 18 <sup>†</sup>	(Blank)	2	2	8
Open cases aged 18-20 <sup>†</sup>	10	13	12	16
Open cases aged 21-24 <sup>†</sup>	41	42	40	43

## Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Financially supported cases <sup>†</sup>	4	4	4	3
Annual person-related cost <sup>†*</sup>	£20.88K	£20.88K	£20.88K	£14K
Annual property-related cost <sup>†*</sup>	£36.18K	£36.18K	£36.18K	£25.99K
Total annual cost <sup>†*</sup>	£57.06K	£57.06K	£57.06K	£39.99K
Average annual cost per case <sup>†*</sup>	£11.11K	£14.27K	£14.27K	£14.27K



## Immigration status - open cases as end Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	1	1.64%
EEA national	EEA status / nationality	1	1.64%
EEA national - no record on HO systems	EEA status / nationality	1	1.64%
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	29	47.54%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	2	3.28%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	3.28%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	1.64%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1.64%
No record held by Home Office	No current immigration permission	4	6.56%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	7	11.48%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	3	4.92%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	1	1.64%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	6.56%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	2	3.28%
UASC leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	3.28%
<b>Total</b>		<b>61</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Summary of immigration status - open cases as end Q4

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	38	63.33%
No current immigration permission	11	18.33%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	7	11.67%
EEA status / nationality	3	5.00%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	1.67%
<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

## Summary of immigration status - open cases as end Q4

