



NRPF Connect Data Report Q4 2025/26

East Midlands

What is the NRPF Connect data report Q4 2025/26?

This data report collates and analyses the data recorded by councils in the East Midlands region using NRPF Connect in the fourth quarter of the 2025/26 financial year. It provides a summary of referrals made and the support provided by social care services 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?

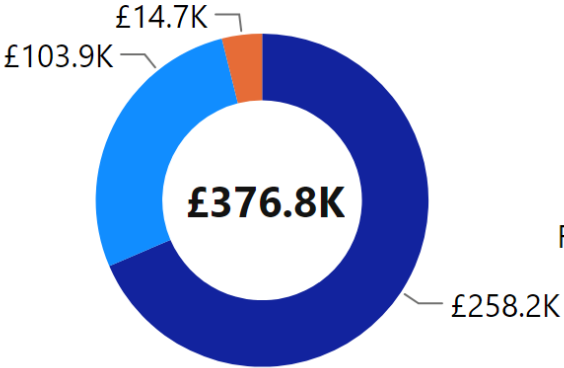
Councils can provide accommodation and financial support to people who are excluded from claiming benefits and mainstream housing assistance when statutory duties are engaged under social care legislation. Local authorities across the UK record the social care services they provide to families, adults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

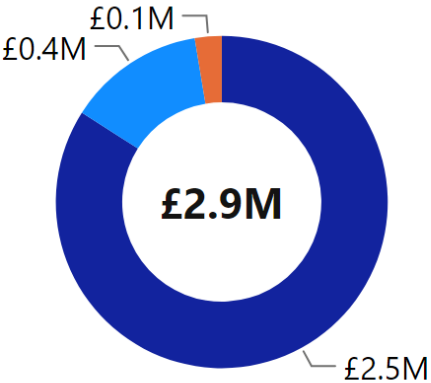
- “Adults” refers to adults with care needs provided with support under S18(1) Care Act 2014, S19(1) Care Act 2014, S12 Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968, P7 Housing Act 1996, S1 Localism Act 2011, S117 Mental Health Act 1983, or S35 Social Services & Well-being (Wales) Act 2014.
- “Families” refers to families with a child in need with support under S17 Children Act 1989, S22 Children (Scotland) Act 1995, S37 Social Services & Well-being (Wales) Act 2014 or P2 of the Housing (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 P6 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.
- The case closure reason “Left the UK” refers to self funded, local authority funded, and voluntary Home Office funded departures.
- “Year-to-date” figures cover the time period from the start of the financial year to the end of the reported quarter.
- Data was last downloaded from NRPF Connect on 27/07/2026

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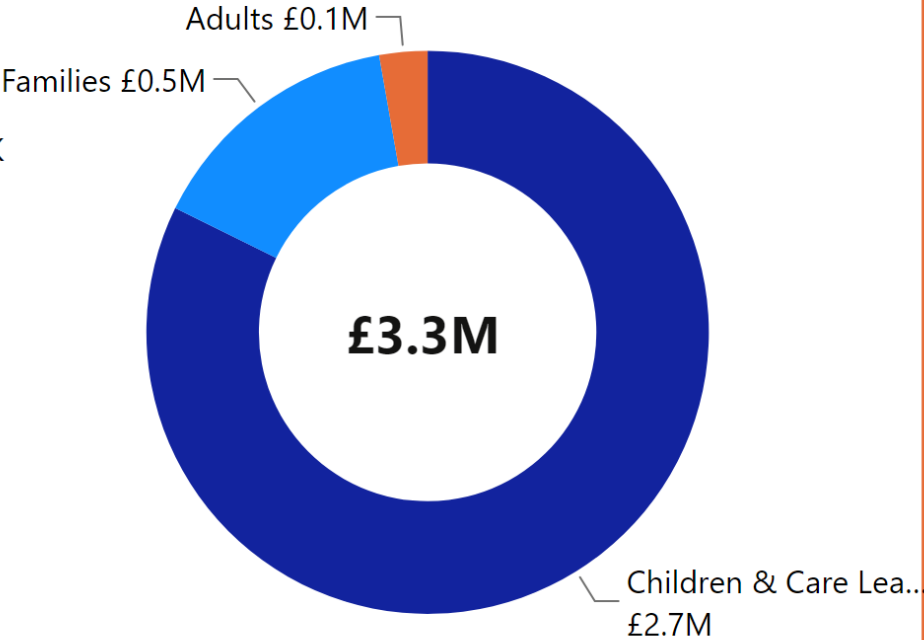
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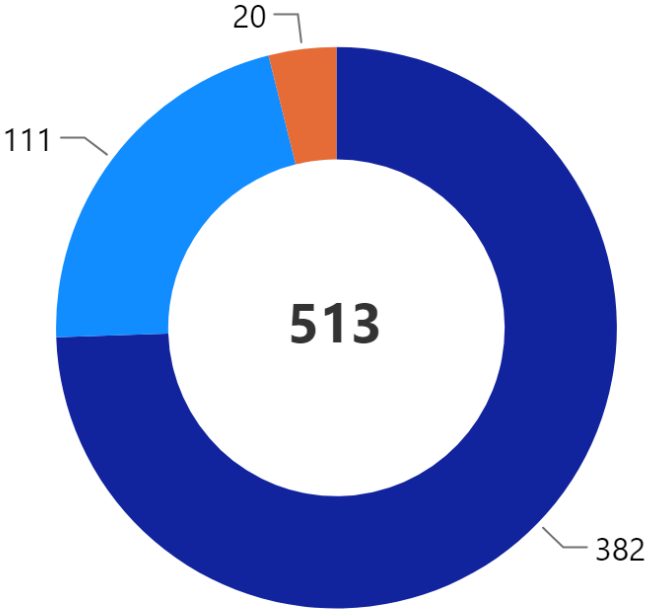
Person Related Costs



Property Related Costs



Total Quarterly Cost



Supported Households

- Families
- Children & Care Leavers
- Adults

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Adults with care and support needs

Local authorities uploading financial data:

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Derby Leicester

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
New referrals	18	10	15	20	63
New households taken on for support	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	1	1
Supported households closed	2	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	2

Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
Average number of days on support	1362	1575	1667	1673	1540
Households supported for 1000 days	8	9	10	11	11
1000 day households as % of total	38%	47%	53%	55%	50%

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
Supported households	21	19	19	20	22
Dependents of supported households	0	0	0	1	1
Person-related cost	£21.8K	£15.0K	£15.0K	£14.7K	£66.5K
Property-related cost	£87.2K	£83.2K	£80.8K	£76.5K	£327.7K
Total quarterly cost	£109.0K	£98.2K	£95.8K	£91.2K	£394.2K
Average quarterly cost per household	£5.2K	£5.2K	£5.0K	£4.6K	£17.9K

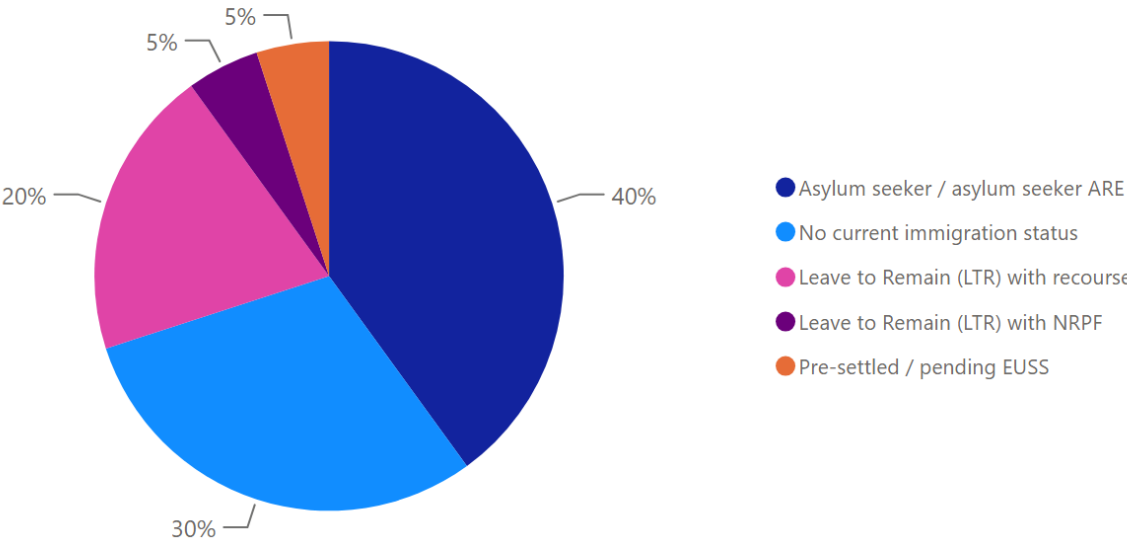
Immigration status - financially supported in Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	10.00%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	5	25.00%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	5.00%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	5.00%
Discretionary Leave (DL) - other	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	5.00%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	3	15.00%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration status	4	20.00%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration status	2	10.00%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	5.00%
Total		20	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - supported in Q4

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	8	40%
No current immigration status	6	30%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	20%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	5%
Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	5%
Total	20	100%

Summary of immigration status - supported in Q4



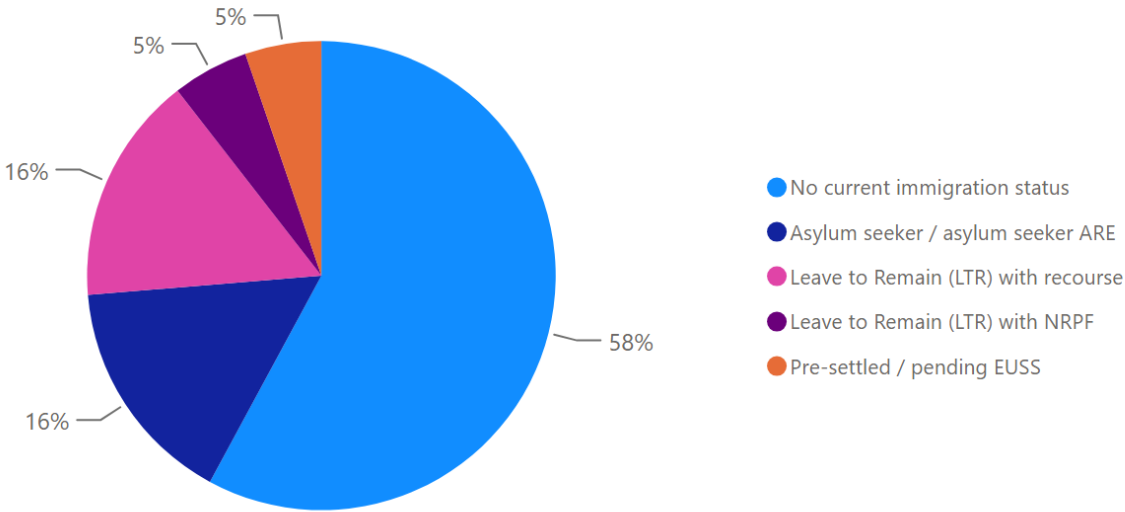
Immigration status - all referrals in Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	10.00%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	5.00%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	1	5.00%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	5.00%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	5.00%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	5.00%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	5.00%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration status	2	10.00%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration status	9	45.00%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	5.00%
Total		20	100.00%

Immigration status - all referrals in Q4‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
No current immigration status	11	58%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	16%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	3	16%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	5%
Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	5%
Total	19	100%

Immigration status - all referrals in Q4‡



Case Closure Reasons - Adults with care and support needs

Closure reason - all closures in Q4

Reason for closure	Count	Percentage	Avg days on support
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Onward referral for those no longer eligible

Referral	Count	Percentage
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Closure reason - all closures in Q4

Families with Children in Need

Local authorities uploading financial data:

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- Derby
- Leicester
- Leicestershire
- Northamptonshire
- Nottingham
- Nottinghamshire

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
New referrals	69	56	54	70	249
New households taken on for support	26	15	19	18	78
Supported households closed	11	24	13	21	69

Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
Average number of days on support	423	428	475	502	439
Households supported for 1000 days	13	11	12	13	17
1000 day households as % of total	12%	10%	11%	12%	11%

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
Supported households	107	111	106	111	159
Dependents of supported households	204	208	202	201	300
Person-related cost	£99.9K	£103.1K	£110.3K	£103.9K	£417.2K
Property-related cost	£391.7K	£391.5K	£401.4K	£390.3K	£1.6M
Total quarterly cost	£491.6K	£494.6K	£511.7K	£494.2K	£2.0M
Average quarterly cost per household	£4.6K	£4.5K	£4.8K	£4.5K	£12.5K

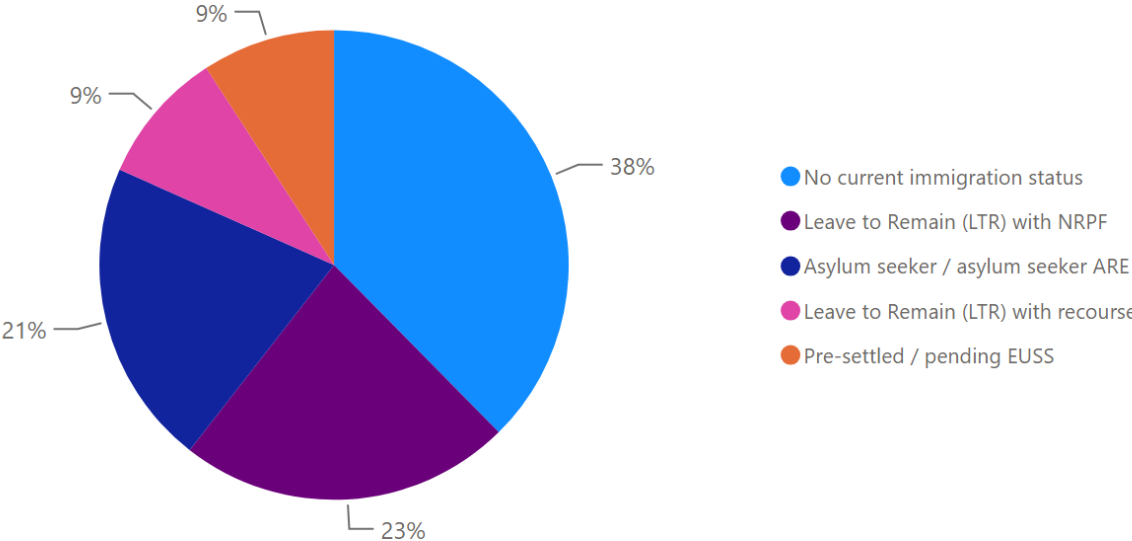
Immigration status - financially supported in Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	12	10.81%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	1.80%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	6	5.41%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	2.70%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	2	1.80%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	0.90%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	3	2.70%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	21	18.92%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.90%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	5	4.50%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	3	2.70%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.90%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration status	29	26.13%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration status	12	10.81%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	9	8.11%
Valid EUSS application submitted in time	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	0.90%
Total		111	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - supported in Q4†

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
No current immigration status	41	38%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	25	23%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	23	21%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	10	9%
Pre-settled / pending EUSS	10	9%
Total	109	100%

Summary of immigration status - supported in Q4†



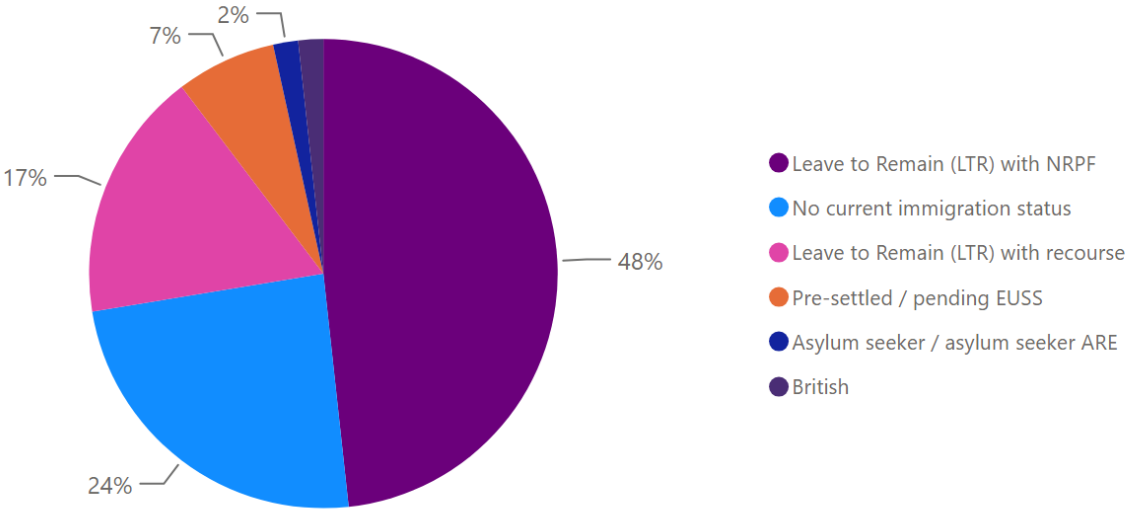
Immigration status - all referrals in Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	1.43%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	12	17.14%
British	British	1	1.43%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	1.43%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	2.86%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	25	35.71%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1.43%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	3	4.29%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1.43%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	5	7.14%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration status	5	7.14%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration status	9	12.86%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	3	4.29%
Valid EUSS application submitted in time	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	1.43%
Total		70	100.00%

Immigration status - all referrals in Q4‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	28	48%
No current immigration status	14	24%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	10	17%
Pre-settled / pending EUSS	4	7%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	2%
British	1	2%
Total	58	100%

Immigration status - all referrals in Q4‡



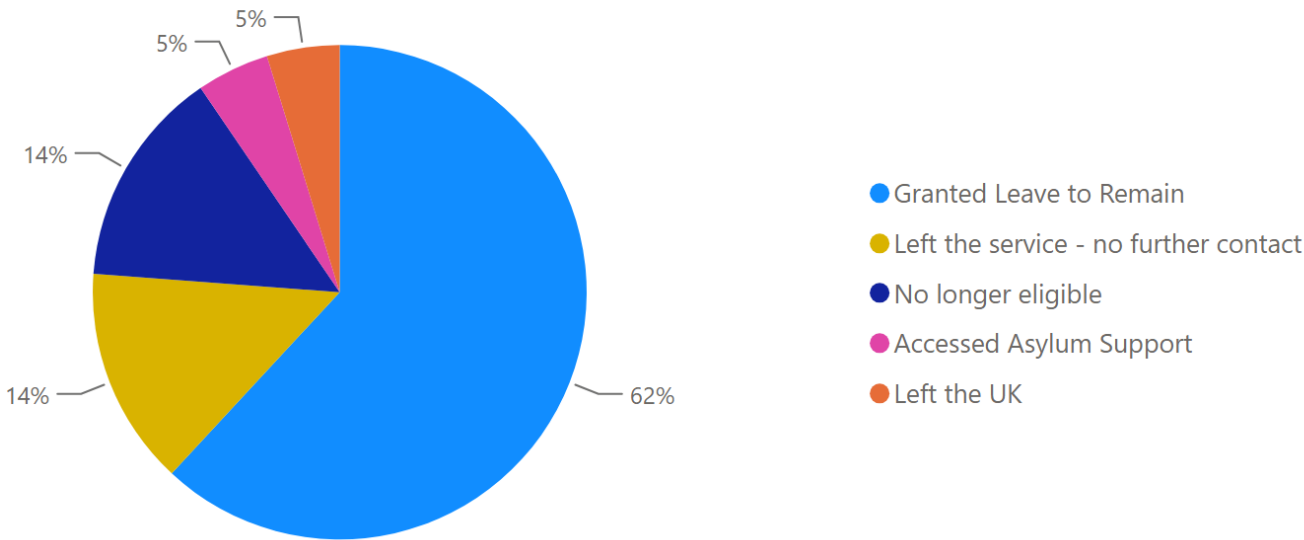
Closure reason - all closures in Q4

Reason for closure	Count	Percentage	Avg days on support
Granted Leave to Remain	13	62%	393
Left the service - no further contact	3	14%	132
No longer eligible	3	14%	180
Accessed Asylum Support	1	5%	52
Left the UK	1	5%	199
Total	21	100%	300

Onward referral for those no longer eligible

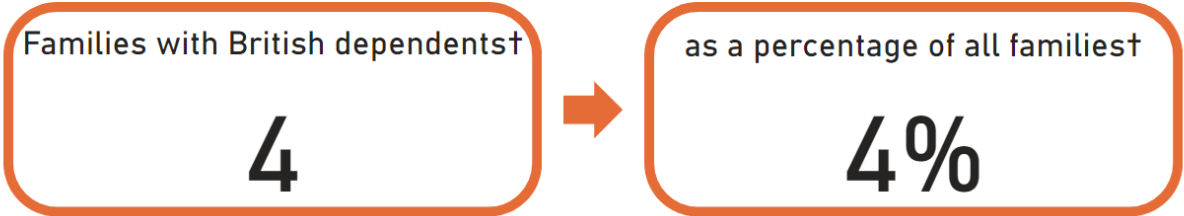
Referral	Count	Percentage
Support accessed through friends / family	2	67%
Mainstream benefits and housing services	1	33%
Total	3	100%

Closure reason - all closures in Q4

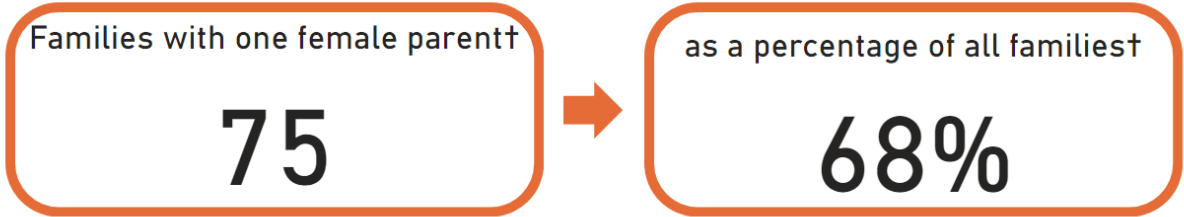
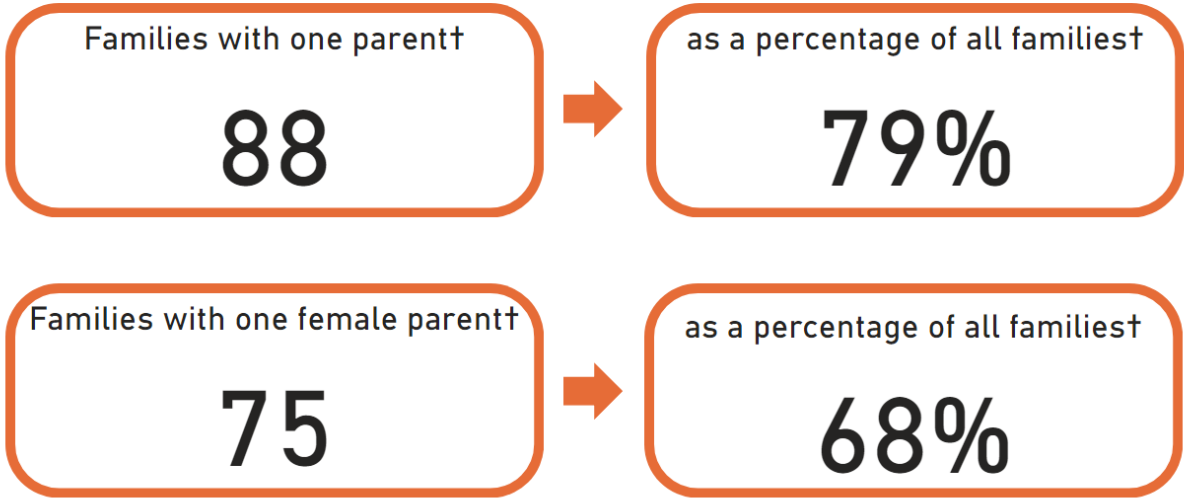


Following requests from our members, we have calculated the following figures:

Families with British Dependents



Single Parent Families



Looked after Children and Care Leavers

Local authorities uploading financial data:

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- Leicester
- Leicestershire
- Northamptonshire
- Nottingham
- Nottinghamshire

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
New cases taken on for support	72	25	14	2	113
New cases	42	61	27	22	150
Cases closed	1	16	3	1	21

Open Cases

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
Open cases	852	887	946	713	960
Open cases under age of 18	189	72	302	43	280
Open cases aged 18-20	385	408	348	416	397
Open cases aged 21-24	278	276	296	254	283

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Year-to-date
Financially supported cases	353	377	380	382	395
Person-related cost	£212K	£228K	£252K	£258K	£954.9K
Property-related cost	£1.87M	£2.19M	£2.4M	£2.46M	£8.9M
Total cost	£2.09M	£2.42M	£2.65M	£2.72M	£9.9M
Average cost per case	£5.91K	£6.41K	£6.93K	£7.11K	£25.0K

Immigration Status of Supported Households - Children and Care Leavers

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Immigration status - open cases in Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	320	37.51%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	57	6.68%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	5	0.59%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	63	7.39%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration check	216	25.32%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	0.12%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	0.12%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	0.23%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.12%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	0.47%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	9	1.06%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	0.47%
EEA national	No current immigration status	1	0.12%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration status	19	2.23%
No record held by Home Office	No current immigration status	8	0.94%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration status	1	0.12%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration status	139	16.30%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	0.12%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	Pre-settled / pending EUSS	1	0.12%
Total		853	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - open cases in Q4†

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	445	70%
No current immigration status	168	26%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	18	3%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	4	1%
Pre-settled / pending EUSS	2	0%
Total	637	100%

Summary of immigration status - open cases in Q4†

