



NRPF Connect Data Report 2023/24

East of England

What is the NRPF Connect data report 2023/24?

This data report collates and analyses the data recorded by councils in the East of England region 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?

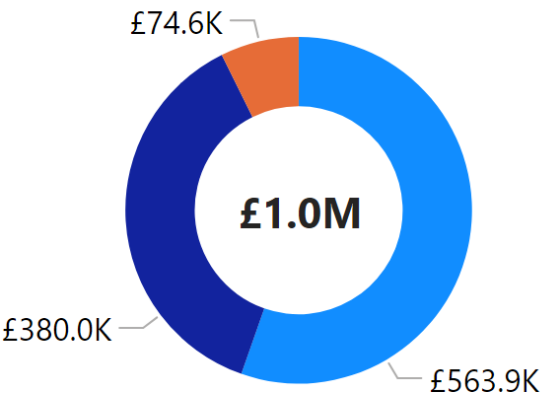
Councils can provide accommodation and financial support to people who are excluded from claiming benefits and mainstream housing assistance when statutory duties are engaged under social care legislation. Local authorities across the UK record the social care services they provide to families, adults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

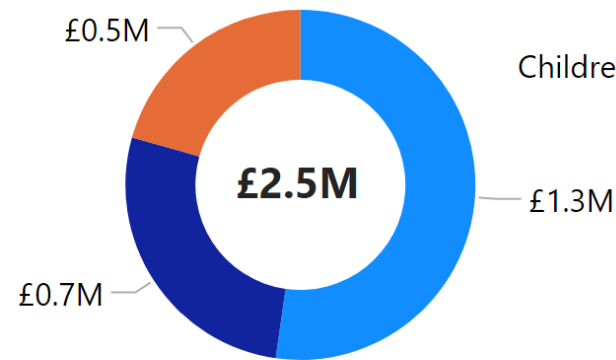
- "Adults" refers to adults with care needs provided with support under S18(1) Care Act 2014, S19(1) Care Act 2014, S12 Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968, P7 Housing Act 1996, S1 Localism Act 2011, or S117 Mental Health Act 1983.
- "Families" refers to families with a child in need with support under S17 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

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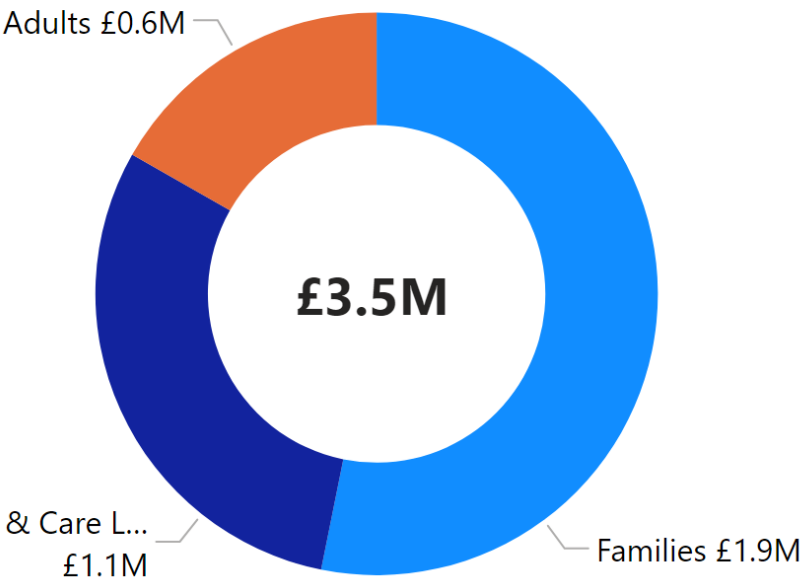
- * - Weekly cost at end of quarter/year x 52
- † - For supported cases open at end of quarter/year
- ‡ - Those awaiting a first immigration check have been removed from the summary



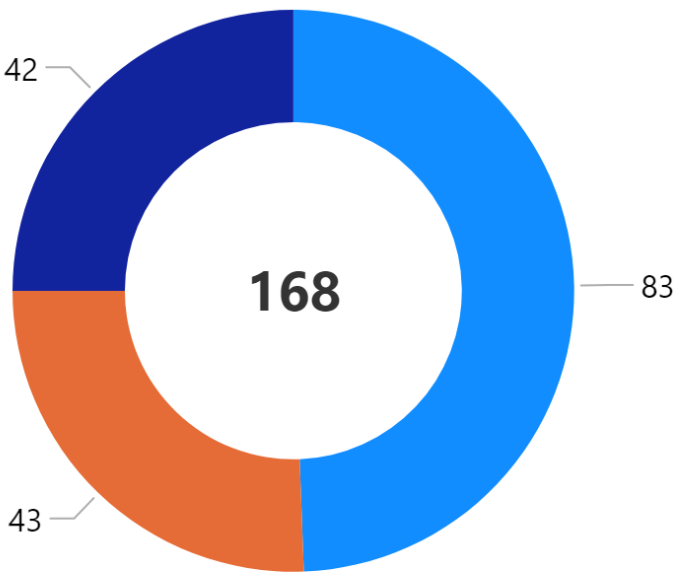
Person Related Costs



Property Related Costs



Total Annual Cost*



Supported Households†

- Families
- Children & Care Leavers
- Adults

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Adults with care and support needs

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Hertfordshire

Luton

Norfolk

Southend on Sea

Thurrock

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New referrals	26	49	57	50	182
New households taken on for support	1	3	2	4	10
Supported households closed	8	9	5	5	27

Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Average number of days on support†	1K	1K	1K	1K
Households supported for 1000 days†	15	16	19	22
1000 day households as % of total†	28%	34%	43%	51%

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Supported households†	53	47	44	43
Dependents of supported households†	8	7	5	5
Annual person-related cost†*	£214.2K	£215.6K	£213.8K	£74.6K
Annual property-related cost†*	£570.0K	£535.5K	£514.8K	£514.2K
Total annual cost†*	£784.2K	£751.1K	£728.6K	£588.8K
Average annual cost per household†*	£13.4K	£16.0K	£16.6K	£13.7K

Immigration Status of Supported Households - Adults with care and support needs

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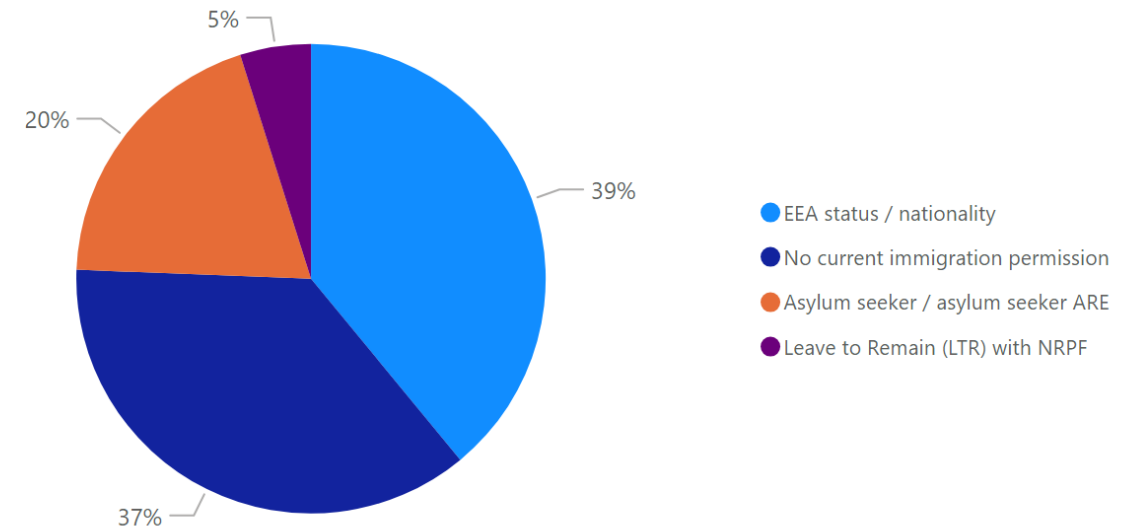
Immigration status - financially supported as end Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	5	11.90%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	7.14%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	1	2.38%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	2	4.76%
EEA national	EEA status / nationality	2	4.76%
EEA national - no record on HO systems	EEA status / nationality	1	2.38%
EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	1	2.38%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	7	16.67%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	3	7.14%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	4.76%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	1	2.38%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	7	16.67%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	7	16.67%
Total		42	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	8	19.51%
EEA status / nationality	16	39.02%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	4.88%
No current immigration permission	15	36.59%
Total	41	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡



Immigration Status of Referred Households - Adults with care and support needs

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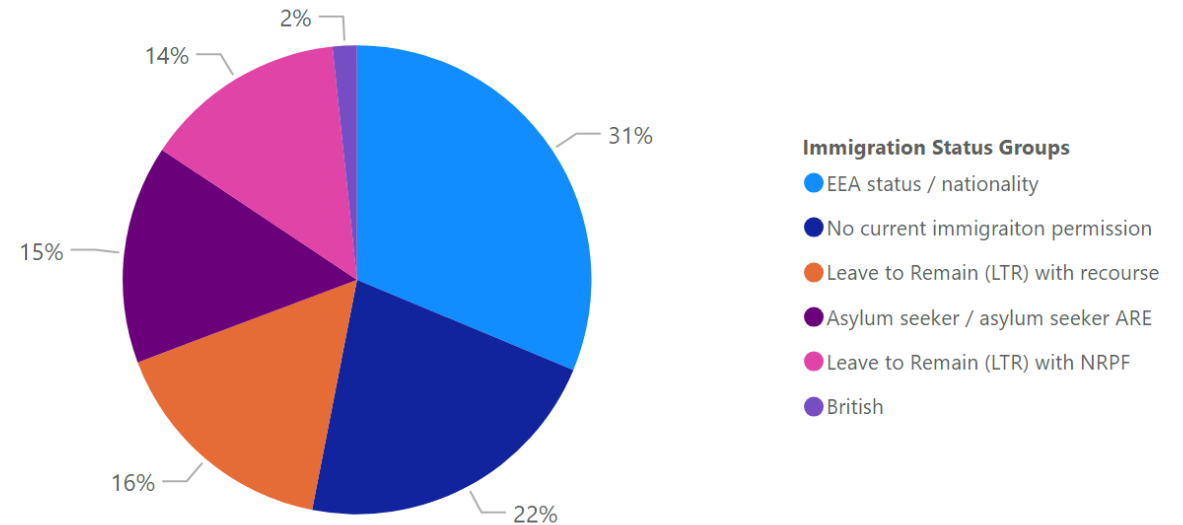
Immigration status - all referrals for the year

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	16	8.79%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	4	2.20%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	4	2.20%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	1.65%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	3	1.65%
British	British	3	1.65%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	8	4.40%
EEA family permit	EEA status / nationality	1	0.55%
EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	5	2.75%
EUSS application submitted in time	EEA status / nationality	2	1.10%
EUSS application submitted pre-30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	1	0.55%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	22	12.09%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	17	9.34%
Hong Kong BN(O) Visa	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	1	0.55%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	6	3.30%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	3	1.65%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	15	8.24%
Humanitarian Protection	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.55%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	7	3.85%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	0.55%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	6	3.30%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	14	7.69%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	4	2.20%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	15	8.24%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	20	10.99%
Total		182	100.00%

Immigration status - all referrals for the year‡

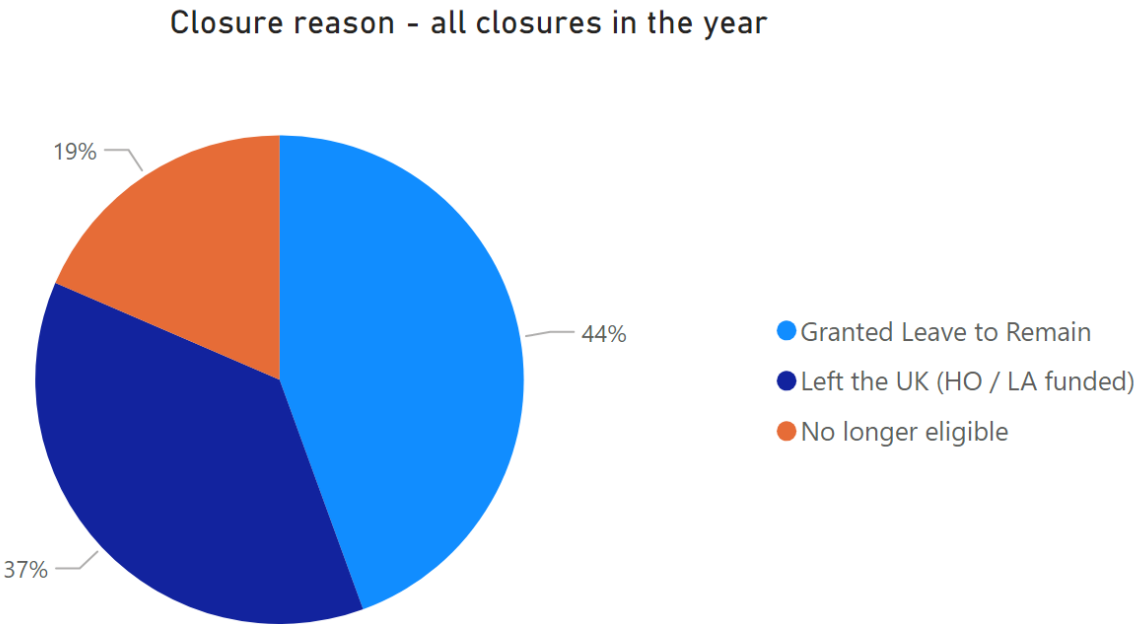
Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
EEA status / nationality	56	31.28%
No current immigration permission	39	21.79%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	29	16.20%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	27	15.08%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	25	13.97%
British	3	1.68%
Total	179	100.00%

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	12	44%	1093
Left the UK (HO / LA funded)	10	37%	747
No longer eligible	5	19%	904
Total	27	100%	930

Onward referral for those no longer eligible		
Referral	Count	Avg days on support
Employment	3	1169
Referred to borough where ordinary resident	1	1007
Support accessed through friends / family	1	5
Total	5	904



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	86	101	72	84	343
New households taken on for support	28	23	19	18	88
Supported households closed	23	21	21	20	85

Time on support

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Average number of days on support†	459	487	545	596
Households supported for 1000 days†	14	16	16	22
1000 day households as % of total†	16%	18%	19%	27%

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Supported households†	85	87	85	83
Dependents of supported households†	144	141	140	149
Annual person-related cost†*	£555.0K	£559.0K	£552.8K	£563.9K
Annual property-related cost†*	£1.3M	£1.1M	£1.3M	£1.3M
Total annual cost†*	£1.8M	£1.7M	£1.9M	£1.9M
Average annual cost per household†*	£19.0K	£19.6K	£20.5K	£22.1K

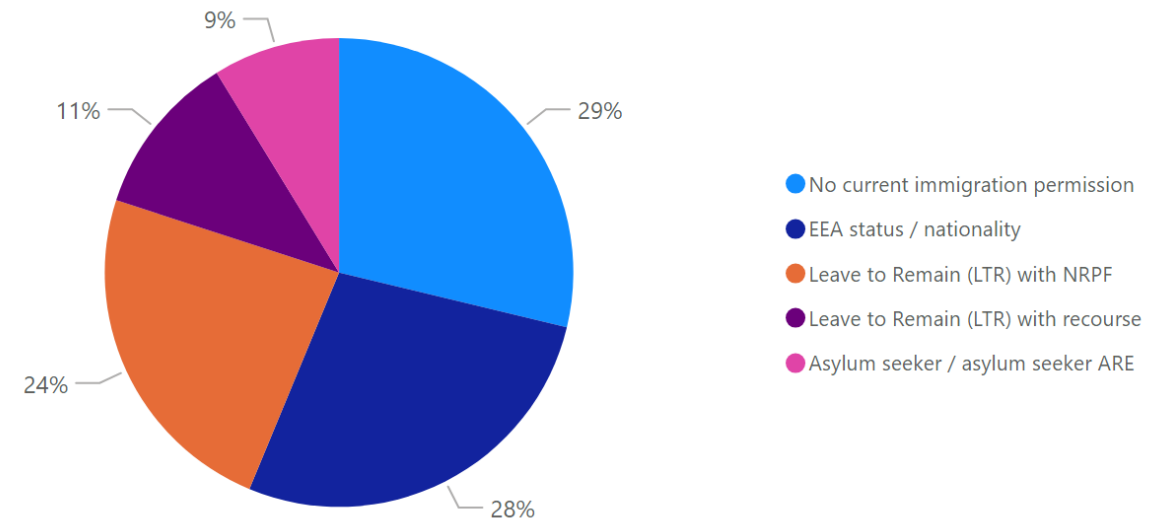
Immigration status - financially supported as end Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	2	2.41%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	4	4.82%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	1	1.20%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	3	3.61%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	4	4.82%
EEA national - no record on HO systems	EEA status / nationality	1	1.20%
EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	2	2.41%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	13	15.66%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	2	2.41%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	2.41%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	3	3.61%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	14	16.87%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	2.41%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1.20%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	3	3.61%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	1	1.20%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	2.41%
Overstayer / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	21	25.30%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	2	2.41%
Total		83	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	7	8.75%
EEA status / nationality	22	27.50%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	19	23.75%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	9	11.25%
No current immigration permission	23	28.75%
Total	80	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - supported as end Q4‡



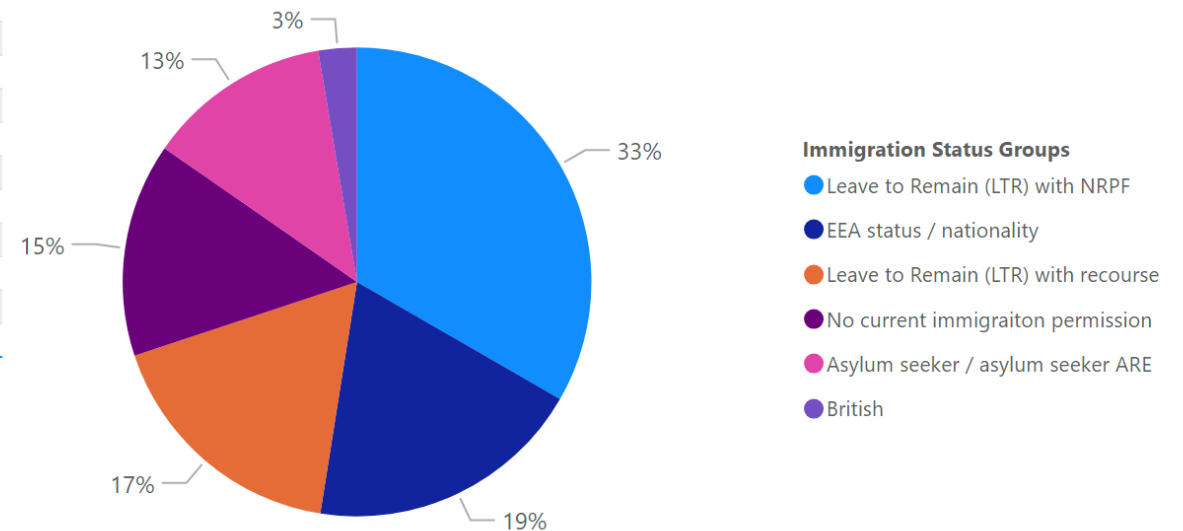
Immigration status - all referrals for the year

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	26	7.58%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	8	2.33%
Overstay / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	6	1.75%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	0.87%
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	4	1.17%
British	British	9	2.62%
EEA / family member (resident Dec 20)- unlawfully present	EEA status / nationality	8	2.33%
EEA family permit	EEA status / nationality	2	0.58%
EUSS application submitted after 30 June 2021	EEA status / nationality	9	2.62%
EUSS family member permit	EEA status / nationality	1	0.29%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	37	10.79%
Settled status ILR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	8	2.33%
Leave to Enter as visitor - NRPF	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	8	2.33%
Limited leave with NRPF (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	17	4.96%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	88	25.66%
DDV Concession	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	14	4.08%
Discretionary Leave (DL) - other	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	0.58%
Indefinite Leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	6	1.75%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (10 year route)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	11	3.21%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (following COC)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	4	1.17%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	15	4.37%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	7	2.04%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	5	1.46%
Overstay / Breach - did not claim asylum	No current immigration permission	24	7.00%
Status not confirmed	No current immigration permission	21	6.12%
Total		343	100.00%

Immigration status - all referrals for the year†

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	113	33.33%
EEA status / nationality	65	19.17%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	59	17.40%
No current immigration permission	50	14.75%
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	43	12.68%
British	9	2.65%
Total	339	100.00%

Immigration status - all referrals for the year†



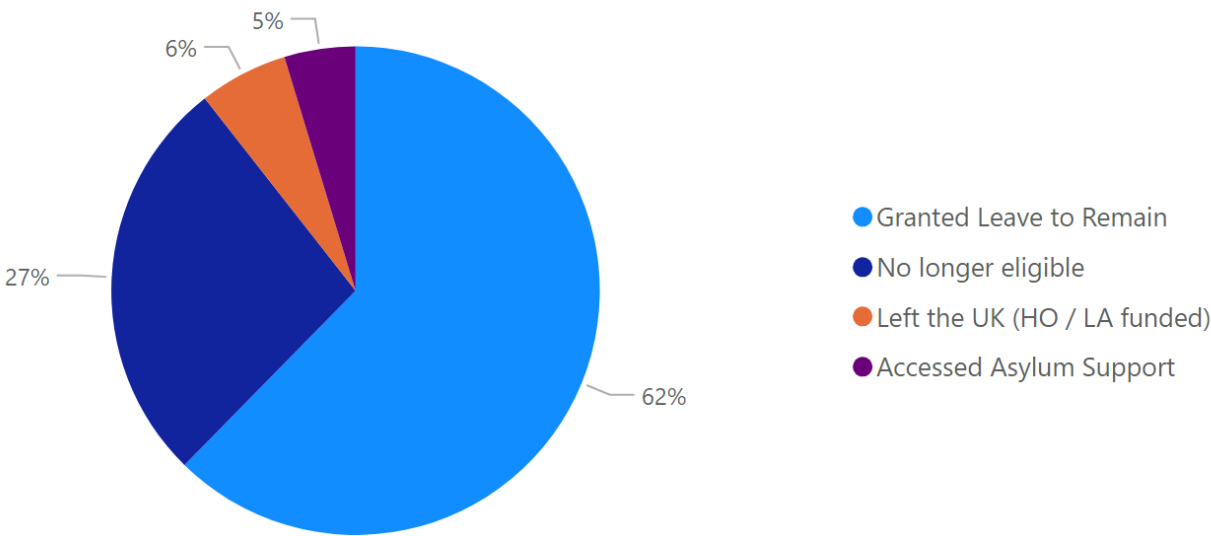
Closure reason - all closures in the year

Reason for closure	Count	Percentage	Avg days on support
Granted Leave to Remain	53	62%	294
No longer eligible	23	27%	211
Left the UK (HO / LA funded)	5	6%	314
Accessed Asylum Support	4	5%	461
Total	85	100%	280

Onward referral for those no longer eligible

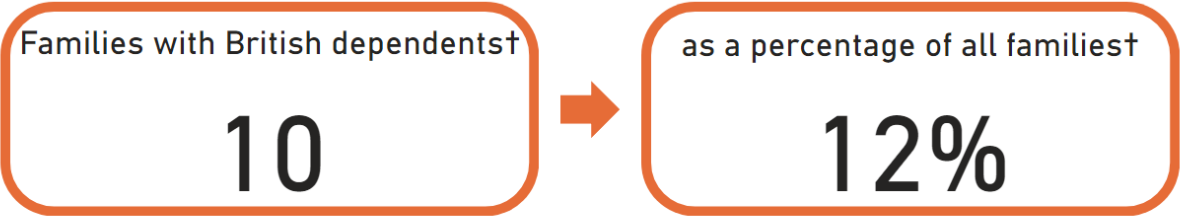
Referral	Count	Avg days on support
Support accessed through friends / family	9	201
Referred to borough where ordinary resident	7	100
Employment	3	598
Mainstream benefits and housing services	3	80
NRM accommodation	1	313
Total	23	211

Closure reason - all closures in the year

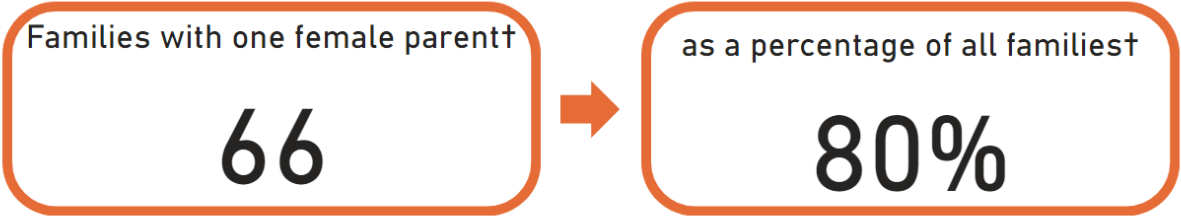
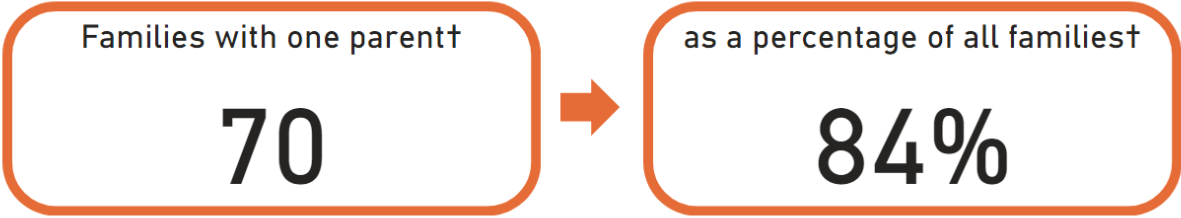


Following requests from our members, we have calculated the following figures:

Families with British Dependents



Single Parent Families



Looked after Children and Care Leavers

Local authorities uploading financial data:

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Bedford

Norfolk

Referrals and Supported Households

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
New cases taken on for support	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)	(Blank)
New cases	3	27	134	1	165
Cases closed	31	8	9	4	52

Open Cases

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Open cases [†]	176	190	311	306
Open cases under age of 18 [†]	8	15	78	62
Open cases aged 18-20 [†]	95	98	159	167
Open cases aged 21-24 [†]	73	77	74	77

Support Costs

	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Financially supported cases [†]	48	45	44	42
Annual person-related cost ^{†*}	£392.04K	£384K	£384.05K	£380.01K
Annual property-related cost ^{†*}	£745.96K	£699.5K	£697.27K	£675.89K
Total annual cost ^{†*}	£1.14M	£1.08M	£1.08M	£1.06M
Average annual cost per case ^{†*}	£26.67K	£23.66K	£24.03K	£24.53K

Immigration status - open cases as end Q4

Immigration Status	Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Awaiting first immigration check	Awaiting first immigration status check	1	0.33%
EEA national	EEA status / nationality	1	0.33%
EEA national - no record on HO systems	EEA status / nationality	1	0.33%
Humanitarian Protection	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	2	0.65%
Illegal entrant / Deception - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	140	45.75%
Illegal entrant / Deception - did not claim asylum	No current immigraiton permission	10	3.27%
In Country Asylum Seeker	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	40	13.07%
Limited leave with NRPF (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	0.65%
Limited leave with recourse to public funds (other)	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	8	2.61%
No record held by Home Office	No current immigraiton permission	7	2.29%
Overstayer / Breach - claimed asylum	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	3	0.98%
Port Case	Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	16	5.23%
Pre-settled status LTR (EUSS)	EEA status / nationality	1	0.33%
Refugee Status	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	57	18.63%
Status not confirmed	No current immigraiton permission	9	2.94%
UASC leave	Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	8	2.61%
Total		306	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - open cases as end Q4‡

Immigration Status Groups	Count	Percentage
Asylum seeker / asylum seeker ARE	199	65.25%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with recourse	75	24.59%
No current immigraiton permission	26	8.52%
EEA status / nationality	3	0.98%
Leave to Remain (LTR) with NRPF	2	0.66%
Total	305	100.00%

Summary of immigration status - open cases as end Q4‡

