

Who are we?

The professional advisory service for migrants (Beratungsfachdienst für MigrantInnen) is a consultation center which advocates their representation of interest. The Service is being directed by an organized institution named *Diakonisches Werk Potsdam e.V.* which is commissioned by the Protestant Church. The very center of our work is to help all humankind, fully independently of any statuses of residence, citizenships, religious beliefs, gender, age or ethical beliefs.

Our purposes:

With their help, we intend to support migrants and we stand up:

- to help them assert their Rights
- to support them in taking part in the cultural and social life, so that they are able to live independently and with dignity
- to support them in difficult living circumstances
- to help them seeking a life perspective
- to assist them strengthen their independence and responsibilities
- counteracting racist and discriminating tendencies
- to help citizens and institutions to get or deepen a better understanding for the migrants' situation

Supporters:



LAND
BRANDENBURG Federal Ministry of Labour, Social- and Family
Affairs of the State of
Brandenburg

What do we offer:



The Passport

The Passport is the most noble part of the human being. It also does not come into existence in such a simple fashion as a human being does.

A human being can come into the world anywhere, in the most careless way and for no good reason, but a passport never can. When it is good, the passport is also recognized for this quality, whereas human being, no matter how good, can go unrecognized.

-Bertolt Brecht

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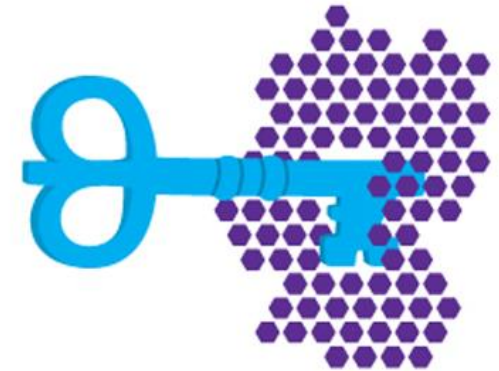
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Individual Case Counselling

In Potsdam and City of Brandenburg a.d.H.

Target Group / Audience:

Refugees with an unsecured residence title

- » during the process of asylum
- » being granted the status of toleration (Duldung)
- » in irregular situation of residence
- » in case of hardship (Härtefallverfahren)

People with a right to stay

- » with a humanitarian residence permit
- » recognized refugees and their families
- » for ethnic German immigrants (spätausgesiedelte Personen)

Forms of offers:

Advice for the following subjects

- » Asylum procedure
- » Questions concerning the residency
- » Dublin procedure
- » Case of hardship procedures (Härtefallverfahren)
- » Particular vulnerability
- » Schooling, Work, Language, Qualification
- » Questions concerning family reunion

Contact to

- » Lawyers
- » Human rights organizations
- » Specialized counselling centres

Office hours and contact options

Potsdam

Beratungsfachdienst für MigrantInnen

Rudolf-Breitscheid-Straße 64 (rear building)
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Tuesdays: 09.00 – 12.00 and 13.00 – 16.00

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Appointments outside the consultation hours can be arranged!

Advice and Training for Others

In Potsdam and City of Brandenburg a.d.H.

Target Group / Audience:

- » People working in community accommodations and Community apartments (Wohnungsverbänden)
- » Social services and people working in the social fields on migration-specific questions
- » Citizens engaged in voluntary work
- » Autonomous migrant organizations
- » People working in housing associations
- » Welcoming initiatives
- » District projects
- » Parish communities
- » and others

Forms of offers:

- » Advice for subject-specific questions
- » Collegial advice for individual cases
- » Specialist support of volunteers
- » Offer of training and information events
- » Networking support
- » Intercultural opening support