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IMMIGRATION AND BORDERS
SERVICE

HOSTING IN PORTUGAL







RIGHTS

After the application for international protection you may benefit, in case of economic deprivation, from support to accommodation and satisfaction of basic needs such as:

- Food
- Clothing
- Transport

In case you wish to benefit from this support you should inform SEF and, in that case, forwarded to the Accommodation Centre for Refugees of Bobadela managed by the Portuguese Refugee Council.

In addition, the right to health care within the National Health Care, as well as access to education, in case of a minor, and in the same conditions as of the Portuguese nationals.





In addition, the right to work after the decision of admissibility of the provisional residence permit.

Also, you may benefit from employment and vocational training programs and measures if you are within the abovementioned situation.

The material conditions for hosting are provided partially in species or through a monthly financial support.

You have the right to benefit from free legal advice, to be provided by the Portuguese Refugee Council, in any phase of the asylum procedure.

You may authorise the Portuguese Refugee Council to follow and intervene, under the Asylum Law, within the corresponding procedure.

OBLIGATIONS

While benefiting from material conditions for hosting provided by the Portuguese Government, you should:

- Stay into the Portuguese territory;
- Do not leave your place of residence without informing SEF and the hosting body;
- Comply with the obligations of attending the Immigration and Borders Service whenever needed;
- Provide every information requested;
- Inform with truth about your financial resources.

The non-compliance of these obligations may determine the reduction or termination of the material conditions for hosting.