**Referral to Bristol Hospitality Network (BHN)

Who we can help

BHN supports people who have been refused asylum or have had their case ‘withdrawn’ by the Home Office, and are who are homeless and destitute.

How we can help

Depending on the person’s individual situation, we may be able to**
● put them on our waiting list for temporary accommodation with BHN (with a local host family, or
 in our shared men’s house)
● assist them with understanding their asylum situation, the reasons they’ve been refused, and
 their options
● assist with finding evidence for Further Submissions
● assist with finding legal representation if we can find evidence for Further Submissions

**Who we do not host

We don’t host people who have a current asylum claim and / or are entitled to Home Office accommodation** (s98, s95, s4, Schedule 10), but we may be able to help with information, advice and advocacy.

We don’t host people who are entitled to accommodation within the NRM.

We are unlikely to be able to host people who have very high support needs or who have behaviour which would make it unsafe for hosts. However we may be able to offer support with a new claim.

We don’t host children.

**How to refer**

1. Complete this form, and email it to us: laura@bhn.org.uk AND elinor@bhn.org.uk

2. Ask the person to come and see us at our **Monday drop-in between 11 and 1**
3. Ask them to bring with them **any papers or documents they have** which might relate to
 their asylum claim.

**Referrer**
Your name (referrer) email

Organisation phone no
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**The person you’re referring:**
first names family name

phone number date of birth gender

country of origin language

GP practice

Please tick or circle -

Staying with friends sofa surfing sleeping out

Other:

**Any current physical or mental health difficulties you know of**

**Anything else we should be aware of (eg learning difficulties, convictions, addiction, specialist support)?**

 **Do you have any concerns about safeguarding, or risk to or from this person? Please detail**

**Are they already getting advice about their asylum or housing situation from another organisation? If so, which one?**

**Do they have a solicitor? Yes No If yes, are they private or legal aid

Solicitor’s name and company

Do you have any confirmation of whether the solicitor is intending to make Further Submissions or a Fresh Claim, or has advised that they will not be doing this?**

 **How long has the person been in the UK?

How long have they been in Bristol?**

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 **Come and see us on Monday at 11

Bristol Hospitality Network
Easton Christian Family Centre
Beaufort Street BS5 0SQ

Off Stapleton Road, near to Easton Leisure Centre****laura@bhn.org.uk****elinor@bhn.org.uk**