Asylum Seekers' Support Policy

House Of Rainbow CIC



Members of House Of Rainbow CIC seeking asylum will have access to all the services provided by the organisation free of charge. This may also include a support letter to the Home Office for their asylum claim, at the discretion of the governing Board of Directors.

Length period of membership and persons known to the organisation would be at the discretion of management to determine qualification.

To qualify for this letter, the following requirements must be met:

- They must identify and be visible as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Intersex and or Queer.
- They must be a registered member and or service user, (there is an application process).
- They must be living in the United Kingdom and or outside their country of origin at the time of request for asylum seekers' support.

- They must attend a short interview with any of the Directors of House Of Rainbow CIC to discuss their application for asylum.
- They must provide dated correspondence from the Home Office and or Authorised Immigration Officer about their asylum case.
- They must actively engage with the House Of Rainbow CIC community, online and offline. This could be through frequently attending events, engaging with the organisations programmes.
- Legally volunteering for House Of Rainbow CIC, where your landing conditions and legal status permits you to do so.
- Recipients of other services provided at House Of Rainbow CIC includes sexual health information, referrals and personal management such as housing, counselling, therapy, wellness etc.

Please note that all requests for 'Asylum Support Letter' must be sent to <u>info@houseofrainbow.org</u> and must allow up to 8 weeks for the completion of the process.

Signed:

Management

18th August 2020