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# An invitation to get involved with the CFSurrey Sanctuary Seekers Fund

Surrey has a long history of providing sanctuary to those fleeing conflict and persecution. CFSurrey has provided funding to groups opening their hearts and homes over the last few years. We are now launching a new pooled fund that will aim to particularly address **Access to Justice for Sanctuary Seekers.**

CFSurrey is launching the Surrey Sanctuary Seekers Fund to ensure that displaced individuals can access expert legal advice, regardless of their financial circumstances.

We invite you to get involved in helping us to ensure that anyone finding themselves in Surrey can access impartial legal advice, regardless of their dire financial circumstances.



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## Bridging the justice gap for Sanctuary Seekers

Legal support can be life-changing - but for many sanctuary seekers in Surrey, it is simply out of reach. Cuts to Legal Aid and the closure of the Surrey Law Centre have left a critical gap in access to specialist legal advice, particularly for complex immigration cases.

Vulnerable individuals, who have fled unimaginable trauma, are now facing uncertainty and isolation without the guidance they desperately need.

At CFSurrey, we believe no one should be left without hope. That's why we're launching the Surrey Sanctuary Seekers Fund - a dedicated initiative to provide grant funding and pro bono support for displaced people in our county. By partnering with local and national organisations, including the University of Surrey, we aim to create sustainable solutions that ensure access to justice for all.

### How you can help:



#### Join our Giving Circle

Pledge £1,000-£10,000 per annum for three years and get involved with funding decisions.



#### Make a one-off donation

Any contribution will support this vital work.



#### Offer pro bono support

Get in touch if you have expertise to offer pro bono support.

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