



HOPE e. V.

Hilfe zur Orientierung und Problem Evaluation für Asylsuchende e. V.

HOPE e. V. is a non-profit making non-governmental organisation.

Our mission is to help refugees and immigrants to get a first orientation about the German society. We also aim to evaluate problems refugees and immigrants may face in Germany. Some of our members came to Germany as refugees and would like to help other refugees with their experiences. We aim to offer help to reduce language barriers.

We started to provide information on our homepage (www.hope-asyl.org) about Germany in **English, Arabic** and as many other languages as possible.

On our homepage you can find useful links to information papers in PDF format about different topics.

Under "Information about Germany" you can find links to a lot of **German Laws (only in English)** provided by the German government (<http://www.hope-asyl.org/information-about-germany/german-law/>). In the subcategory "**Information about Asylum Procedure**" you find links to flyers which provide basic information of the asylum procedure provided by the Federal Ministry for Migration and Refugees (BAMF) in **Arabic, Dari, English, Farsi, Tigrinia and German**. (<http://www.hope-asyl.org/information-about-germany/information-about-asylum-procedure/>).

Many immigrants and refugees have difficulties to communicate with medical doctors, to understand the diagnosis and the therapy they are undergoing (even with the assistance of an interpreter). To help refugees and immigrants to understand basics of the **German Health Care System** we provide links to many publications about different diseases and medical therapies in as many languages as possible. You find them under the bottom "**Medicine**" on our homepage. (<http://www.hope-asyl.org/medicine/>).

IMPORTANT: To get the information you may need **you must know your diagnosis.** Please ask your doctor or your interpreter to write down the diagnosis for you.

To improve the situation for refugees in Germany **we need the assistance of graduated refugees.**

When you would like to help your people to learn to help themselves and when you have time to assist us on volunteer basis (e.g. by planning and carry out workshops for refugees or translate information paper) please do not hesitate to contact us. We need your assistance to assist your people.

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