Our Aims

To provide the advice people need for the problems they face.

To improve the policies and practices that affect peoples lives.

Our principles

The Citizens Advice service provides *free, independent, confidential* and *impartial advice* to everyone on their rights and responsibilities.

We value diversity, promote equality and challenge discrimination.

What happens at the Citizens Advice office?

You'll be offered a short session with an assessor, who will identify the most appropriate way for us to help you. This could be giving you the information you need to solve your problem yourself. Or it could be **making an appointment** to discuss your problem further **in person, by telephone or by email.** Sometimes we might direct you to a different organisation that is better placed to help.

Follow us online

Our Website www.snscab.org.uk



Information is available on a range of advice topics at www.citizensadvice.org.uk

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Need Advice?

Free

- Confidential
 - Impartial
 - Help 🖲

How we can help

Our service is free, confidential and open to everyone in the community. Staff are trained to advise on virtually any issue, including:

Welfare Benefits

Money and Credit Problems

Employment

Consumer Rights

Housing

Neighbourhood Disputes

Education and Healthcare

Immigration and Residency Queries (Hanley office only)

Human Rights

Family and Personal Issues

We won't tell you what to do but we will arm you with all the facts and possible outcomes of different options. That way you can make the decision that's right for you. If needed, we can also offer practical support such as help filling in forms, writing letters or negotiating with third parties.

Ways to get advice

- ${\sf Online via www.citizensadvice.org.uk} \\$
- $-\operatorname{Over}$ the telephone
- —Via email
- Face to Face

Our offices & drop-in advice hours

 Hanley
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 13—15 Cheapside, ST1 1HL
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 Monday 9.30 am — 1.30 pm
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Kidsgrove

Town Hall, Liverpool Road, Kidsgrove Stoke on Trent, **ST7 4EH Thursday** 10am — 1 pm

Newcastle under Lyme

25—27 Well Street Newcastle under Lyme, **ST5 1BP**

Monday 10 am — 1 pm Wednesday 10 am —1 pm

Biddulph

10 Tunstall Road, Biddulph, Staffordshire, **ST8 6HH**

Monday 10 am — 1 pm Wednesday 10 am — 1 pm Thursday 10 am — 1 pm

Immigration and Refugee & Asylum Services

Hanley office, 13—15 Cheapside, ST1 1HL

We have a limited number of tickets to give out each day on a first come first served basis so we recommend you arrive early.

Immigration drop in: Mon, Tue & Wed at 9.30 am (doors open at 9 am) Refugee & asylum drop in: Tue, Wed & Fri at 9.30 am (doors open at 9 am)



National Advice Line: 03 444 111 444 Local Advice Line: 0300 3309 062

Telephone advice lines are open:

Mon-Thu: 9 am — 5 pm and Fri: 9 am — 4 .30 pm

