

Do you want a volunteer to accompany you during a meeting with the authorities?

Contact DRC's Corps of Assessors and have a volunteer accompany you during meetings with, for example: the local authorities, the Immigration Service or the Family Court

An Assessor is a person who comes along for meetings with the authorities. The Assessor helps you:

- To get an overview of your case
- To understand what takes place during the meeting with the authorities. The Assessor does so by participating in the meeting and hearing what is being said
- To ask clarifying and elaborating questions
- To understand what the meeting means for you and your overall situation

An Assessor is not an interpreter, a lawyer, or a representative and is only participating as a support.

How do you get an Assessor?

Write an email to **bisidder@drc.ngo** or call **+45 60268002**. You can also fill out the form at **drc.ngo/frivillig/bisidder**. It is free, to have a volunteer accompany you!

The Assessor is under obligation to maintain confidentiality. This means that anything you say will be treated as confidential within the framework of the law.



How does the Assessor help you?



You call or write to us because you would like a volunteer to accompany you to a meeting. It could for example be a meeting with the local authorities, the Immigration Service or the Family Court.



We find a volunteer Assessor, who can accompany you. The volunteer will contact you within 1-3 working days after you have reached out to DRC's Corps of Assessors. You and the Assessor agree on when and where you can meet to prepare for the meeting with the authorities.

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When you meet with the Assessor, you will prepare for the meeting together. Among other things this includes that you go through the documents and forms that you will bring with you.



During the meeting with the authorities the Assessor will primarily stay in the background. You must explain your situation and answer the questions yourself. The Assessor will listen, take notes and assist you in asking clarifying and elaborating questions.

When the meeting has ended, you and the Assessor talk about how the meeting went, and what the next steps in the process will be.

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