

Claim Porto



About JRS Portugal

The Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS) is an international organization of the Catholic Church, founded in 1980, under the responsibility of the Society of Jesus. The mission of JRS is to “Accompany, Serve, and Advocate” for all refugees’ individuals, forcibly displaced people, and people who are migrants in particularly vulnerable situations. It is currently present in more than 50 countries worldwide.

In Portugal, JRS began its activities in 1992, and since then, its work with our users has developed in various areas. Notably, it includes socio-legal support and assistance in accessing different services, helping them exercise their rights and overcome obstacles in their process of regularization and integration into the Portuguese community.



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What is CLAIM?

CLAIM's (Local Support Centers for the Integration of Migrants) aim to support the integration of migrants individuals, offering a variety of essential services and support to facilitate their integration at the local level within Portuguese community.

CLAIM Porto

CLAIM Porto JRS is a response from JRS Portugal in the Northern Region, providing support for refugee's and migrants individuals. It began its activities in January 2022 and offers assistance throughout the entire process of welcoming and integrating migrants individuals. This includes individual consultations and follow-ups, as well as conducting information sessions on the rights and responsibilities of migrants individuals, foreigner law, asylum law, and Portuguese nationality.

Support services available at CLAIM Porto by JRS Portugal include:

- Psychosocial support (assessment and follow-up)
- Legal support
- Support and information for finding housing solutions
- Employability support
- Mental health support
- Support for initial learning of the Portuguese language

All supports benefit from JRS interpretation services, if needed.

Location:

Rua da Fábrica Social 17 4000-121 Porto
Transport: Metro Trindade and Faria de Guimarães

Hours:

9:30am to 1pm and from 2pm to 5:30pm (From Monday to Friday)

Appointment scheduling required!

Possibility of post-work hours appointments (from 5:30pm to 8pm)!

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