

CHILD FRIENDLY PRIVACY NOTICE

Housing – Refugee Resettlement

Introduction

A Privacy Notice tells you how we use personal information, so you know what happens with it when you give it to us. This is our Child Friendly Privacy Notice about the information we collect about you for Refugee Resettlement. A more detailed version of this Privacy Notice is online here: www.moray.gov.uk/privacynotices

Who we are

We are Moray Council, we offer lots of services to people who live in Moray. We help your school to function, make sure you have a local library service and provide care for people who need it.

What we do with your personal data

Personal data, or personal information, is information that can identify you, like your name, address or email address.

Some types of information we need to be extra careful with; like information relating to crimes and information known as 'special category data'. Special category data could be something like information about your health, or what religion you are.

Why we are collecting your personal data

Personal data will be collected about you so our Refugee Resettlement team can support your needs and look after you.

Personal data about you that we collect from other people

We (the Council) will work with other organisations to put in place plans to provide support and care for you. To do this we might collect information about you from someone else, such as the Scottish Government, the UK Government or another Council if you arrived in Moray from another area in the UK.

Personal data you give us about other people

If you have given us someone else's personal data, for example as an emergency contact, if you can please tell them you have given us their personal data and why.

Data Protection Law

We always make sure we follow legal rules when we use your information. The Council does this as part of our public task. We have a range of responsibilities under Acts like:

- the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- Section 20 of the Local Government in Scotland Act 2003
- Section 12 of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968

When we collect special category data, or information about crimes, we do this because we need the information to meet our duties under the above Acts, and the Housing (Scotland) Acts 1987 and 2001 and the Homelessness etc. (Scotland) Act 2003.

Who we share your information with

To do our work and to provide support to you, sometimes we have to share your personal data with other services in the Council (like your school, social work etc), or, your family, Police Scotland or your doctors (NHS Grampian). We are careful about how we do this and always follow the rules. There is a longer list of who we may share your information with on the more detailed Privacy Notice.

How long we keep your personal data

We only keep data for as long as we need it. Sometimes this might be years. We have a page on our website that tells you how long we keep different types of data:

www.moray.gov.uk/retentionschedules

We keep information in the UK.

Your rights

You have special rights about what we can do with your information. One of these is the right to know what we do with it (that's what this notice is for).

You also have the right to ask us what information we have about you, if we could stop using it, and, if we could delete it. You can ask us to correct your information if it is wrong.

If we cannot do as you ask then we will explain why, which could be because of legal rules.

If you want to ask about your rights, or make sure that we're following the rules, you can ask the Council's Data Protection Officer by sending an email to: IG@moray.gov.uk

There's an organisation called the Information Commissioner's Office. It is their job to make sure that everybody, including the Council, follows the rules and your personal data is properly looked after. You can phone them, write to them or contact them on their website:

Information Commissioner's Office

Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113 Website: <https://ico.org.uk/>