# EUAA Information and Documentation System (IDS)

*The EUAA Information and Documentation System (IDS) is a database that contains current and comprehensive information on the implementation of the Common European Asylum System (CEAS).*

The online platform presents the latest data and information on legislation, policies, practices and jurisprudence related to asylum and reception systems in 30 EU+ countries.
The harmonised, comparable information serves to inform evidence-based policymaking and improve national practices.



*IDS homepage*

## Access

The IDS platform is restricted to registered users from national asylum administrations in participating EU+ countries. The EUAA is working on creating a public resource, inspired by the IDS platform, to serve as a source of official, verified information on asylum and reception systems in Europe.

## Methodology

The EUAA collects information from national administrations and supplementary sources, including international organisations, civil society organisations, research institutes and academia. The information is analysed and included in relevant thematic sections for each country.

Updates are reviewed and validated by EU+ countries through the IDS Advisory Group Network, which comprises nominated national focal points. The Advisory Group also provides strategic guidance on the development of the database and approves the creation and deactivation of user accounts.

## Thematic scope of a country profile

The information is organised by thematic groups related to CEAS for each country and at the EU level. A summary of each recent development is available in English on the main country page, with related information and sources in the original language.

**Thematic sections available**

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**Right of assistance in case of refusal of protection or return decision**

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## Main feature: Comparative overviews

Each stage of the asylum process is described by country and at the EU level, enabling users to compare practices across the region. Users can generate a comparison of practices with report tables and thematic overviews under each thematic section at the EU level. These can be exported into Word and Excel files.

## Main feature: Recent developments database

A searchable database on recent developments in EU+ countries presents an overview of legislative, institutional and policy changes which are captured in IDS and reported in the EUAA's Asylum Report. Main developments can be searched by country, year, type of development and steps of the asylum procedure with search filters and metadata. Results of search can be exported into Word and Excel files.

## Contact

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