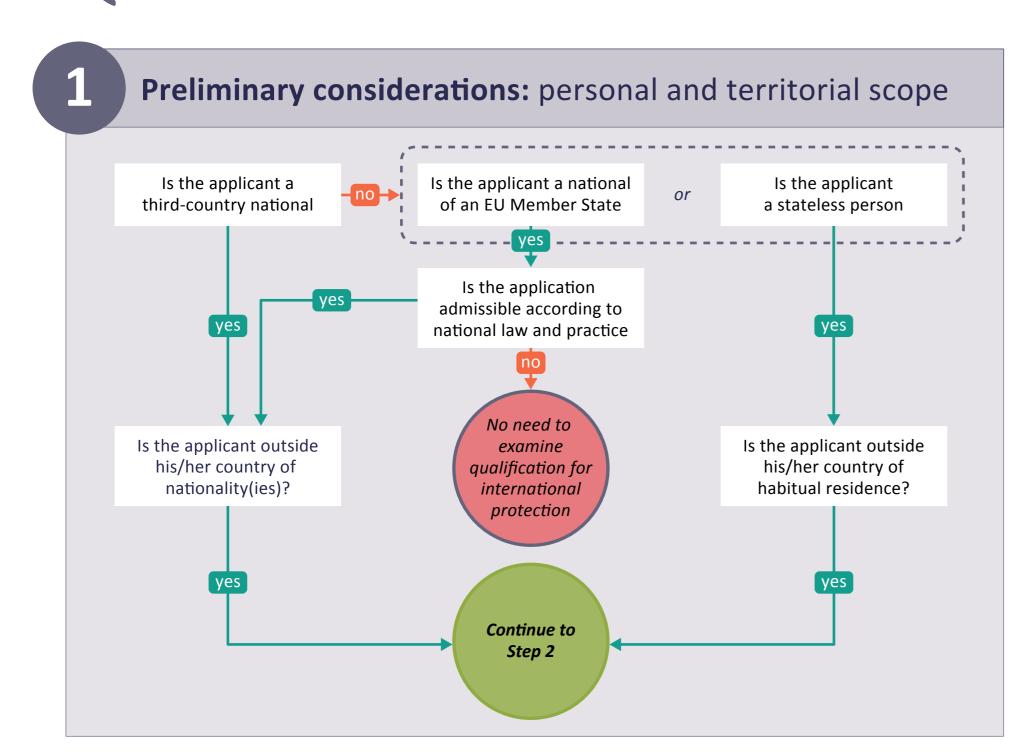
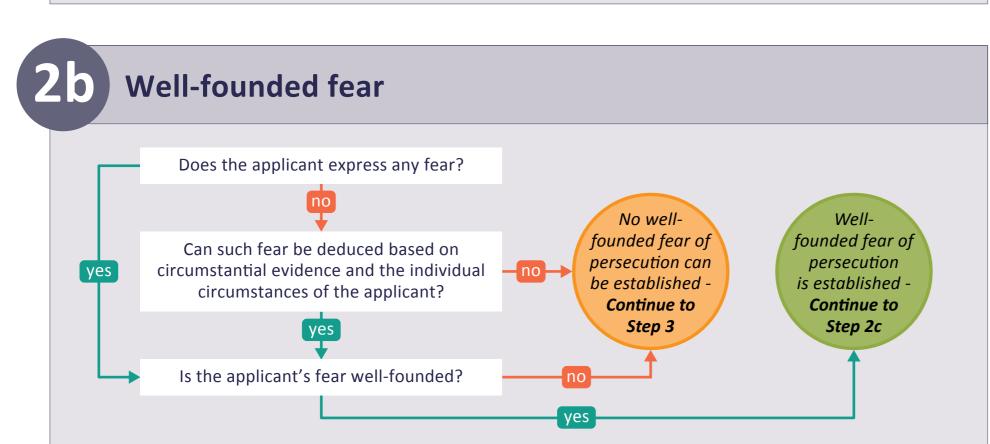
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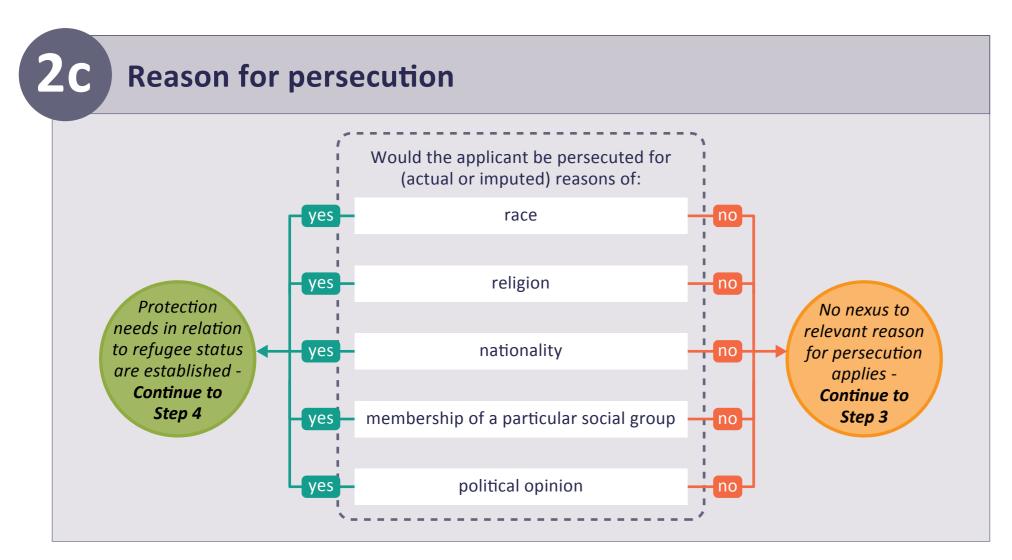
## Qualification for International Protection





## **Persecution** Is the treatment feared by the applicant a sufficiently severe violation of human rights, taking the form mentioned inter alia in Article 9(2) QD? **Treatment** Treatment Is the treatment a violation of a non-derogable qualifies does not qualify human right or a sufficiently severe violation of as persecution as persecution another basic human right? **Continue to Continue to** Step 2b Step 3 Can the treatment be considered as an accumulation of various measures, the consequences of which would affect the applicant in a similar manner?





## **General Remarks:**

- Qualification for refugee status should always be examined first
- Apply the legal provisions to the accepted material facts and the results of the risk assessment
- Remember that protection needs may also arise sur place
- Remember that actors of persecution and serious harm include: the State, parties or organisations controlling the State or a substantial part of its territory, and Non-State actors
- Examine each case individually objectively and impartially.

