

APPLICATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION

WHERE DO YOU APPLY?

To the Border Guard
When? As soon as you enter Italy

At the Police Headquarters of any Italian city
When? Within 48 hours from when you enter Italy

HOW DO YOU APPLY?

Fill in Form C3
 Together with a police officer and an interpreter

They will give you a **receipt** (cedolino) with which you can stay in Italy, keep it with caution!*

Waiting to be heard by the **territorial Commission (Hearing)**

*After a while you will get a **permit to apply for international protection**

WHERE CAN YOU LIVE WHILE YOU WAIT?

You can be hosted in a **Reception centre for asylum seekers**

You can **find a house** to live in **by yourself**, even by a friend or family member

Beware! If you decide to leave the **Reception centre**

You must immediately inform the **Police Headquarters** the **address** where you live

WHAT HAPPENS AFTER A WHILE?

The **Reception centre** operator will inform you **the day you have to go** to the territorial Commission

Go to the **territorial Commission** to share your story

You will receive a **letter** telling you **the day you have to go** to the territorial Commission

THE TERRITORIAL COMMISSION DECIDES WHAT YOU CAN OBTAIN:

Refugee Status

Subsidiary protection Status

Permission for **special protection**

Permission for **medical treatment**

You **CANNOT** have **international protection***

You may file an **APPEAL against this decision **within 30 days***