

What is the patronage?

The patronage aims at creating a privileged relationship between a group of 2 to 3 French citizens living in France and 1 to 2 asylum seekers currently lodging at Montpellier CAO.

Who are the patrons?

Volunteers concerned about the precarious living conditions of refugees and displaced people, and eager to offer some help

What do they do?

- **Help the refugees in gaining some autonomy**
 - Improve French speaking level through informal conversations
 - Offer to explore the city and its surroundings
 - Mutual cultural exchanges
 - Personal guidance with health procedures

- **Aware of the refugees' background, their personal stories and administrative situation**
 - Facilitate the mobilisation of the collective in the event of an emergency

The patronage is here to bring a moral and eventually administrative **support**, we are not accredited to resolve regulatory and legal situations, we can simply help in the facilitation of the procedures, helping with relaying information, listening and counselling, and allowing for a human exchange to take place.

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