



Hungarian Helsinki Committee

## Statistical data pertaining to asylum procedures conducted in one of the transit zones that were either initiated after 1 January 2019 or that were initiated before 1 January 2019 but are still pending on 3 February 2020

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**The average length of stay in the transit zones of this asylum-seeker population (altogether 379 persons),** represented by the HHC is **223 days**. This statistical average includes asylum-seekers who applied for asylum in 2018 but their asylum procedure was still pending on 3 February 2020, as well as those who applied for asylum in December 2019 and their asylum procedure is still pending, therefore the data is characterised by significant deviation.

Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in Q1 or before, but their asylum procedure is still pending on 3 February 2020	375 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in 2019 Q1 and received a final decision by 3 February 2020	343 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in 2019 Q2, but their asylum procedure is still pending on 3 February 2020	256 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in 2019 Q2 and either received a final decision or were transferred to an open reception facility during their asylum procedure or revoked their asylum application	135 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in 2019 Q3, but their asylum procedure is still pending on 3 February 2020	170 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in 2019 Q3 and either received a final decision or were transferred to an open reception facility during their asylum procedure or revoked their asylum application	116 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in 2019 Q4, but their asylum procedure is still pending on 3 February 2020	89 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who applied for asylum in 2019 Q4 and either received a final decision or were transferred to an open reception facility during their asylum procedure or revoked their asylum application	72 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of unaccompanied children whose asylum procedures were initiated in 2019 and were still pending on 3 February 2020	316 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of families with 4 or more children, whose asylum procedures were either initiated after 1 January 2019, or before 1 January 2019 but are still pending on 3 February 2020, calculated on 3 February 2020	244 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who were released to another facility in 2019 while their asylum procedure was pending	89 days
Average length of stay during the asylum procedure in one of the transit zones of those who received a final decision on the application in 2019	133 days

In none of the asylum procedures conducted in the transit zone in 2019 where the Hungarian Helsinki Committee provided legal representation did the asylum authority release the applicant within 28 days. **The shortest time** an asylum-seeker represented by the Hungarian Helsinki Committee had to stay in one of the transit zones until their release **was 57 days**. **The longest time** an asylum-seeker represented by the Hungarian Helsinki Committee has been staying in the transit zone in **their still pending asylum procedure is 523 (five hundred twenty three) days as of 3 February 2020**.