

Our impact in 2025

What your support helped us achieve

2025 wasn't always an easy year for HIAS+JCORE and the people we're proud to support. But amidst a backdrop of rising hate and a burgeoning far-right, we continued to build community, compassion and welcome every day. Here's a look at what we got up to...

Advocating

- Developed our Interfaith Refugee Network, and received national media coverage for our joint response to the Prime Minister's 'Island of Strangers' remark.
- Brought our message to 27 MPs, peers, and local councillors. Introduced our bespoke peer briefing service supporting legislation.
- Appeared 44 times in the media (more than double 2024).
- Ensured lived experience drove our work and introduced our new JUMP alumni advocacy group.

Mobilising

- Reached 1,000 people - and 25 groups across the UK - through Refugee Shabbat 2025
- Launched our Student Refugee Ambassador Programme with UJS, forging the next generation of Jewish activists.
- Awarded the inaugural 'Dubs Legacy Award for Emerging Leaders' and ran our first conference as HIAS+JCORE.

Supporting

- Worked with 94 young people and befrienders on our JUMP befriending project.
- Delivered 650 casework interventions, ran 25 community events and skills workshops, and facilitated over £17,000 in Hardship Support grants.

