



Human Rights Counseling Centers for Foreigners

For those who are not comfortable speaking Japanese, Legal Affairs Bureaus and District Legal Affairs Bureaus throughout Japan provide human rights counseling services.

Legal Affairs Bureaus and District Legal Affairs Bureaus throughout Japan

Weekdays (closed on New Year holidays) 9:00-17:00

English Chinese Korean Nepali Spanish

Filipino Portuguese Vietnamese Indonesian Thai

List of Legal Affairs Bureaus and District Legal Affairs Bureaus(in Japanese)

https://www.moj.go.jp/JINKEN/jinken03_00223.html



Besides Legal Affairs Bureaus and District Legal Affairs Bureaus, human rights counseling is provided at the places below.

Fukuoka-shi 1-1-1 Tenjin Chuo-ku Fukuoka-shi Fukuoka

[Location]Kokusai Hiroba, ACROS Fukuoka 3F

English Every 2nd Saturday of the month, 13:00-16:00

Takamatsu-shi 1-11-63 Ban-cho Takamatsu-shi Kagawa

[Location]I - pal Kagawa (Kagawa International Exchange Center) meeting room

English Chinese Korean Spanish

Portuguese Every 3rd Friday of the month, 13:00-15:00 (by appointment)

Matsuyama-shi 1-1 Dougoichiman Matsuyama-shi Ehime

[Location]Ehime Prefectural International Center (EPIC)

English Every 4th Thursday of the month, 13:30-15:30

※For counseling in foreign languages, feel free to use the Foreign-language Human Rights Hotline (Navi Dial) on the right-hand page.



Foreign-language Human Rights Hotline

The phone number (Navi Dial) below is available for human rights counseling for those who are unable to speak Japanese fluently. Feel free to consult with us by telephone from anywhere in Japan.

Foreign-language Human Rights Hotline (Navi Dial)

0570-090911

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※Your call will be directed to the nearest Bureau to you via a multilingual interpretation service company.
※Please make sure you dial the correct number.



Human Rights Counseling Services in foreign languages on the Internet

The Ministry of Justice has set up an Internet Human Rights Consultation Service on its website. This service provides human rights consultations from anywhere in Japan.

●Human rights counseling services in English on the Internet

<https://www.moj.go.jp/JINKEN/jinken21.html#01>



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英語版



You can consult about human rights issues in your language.

Information on Human Rights Counseling in Foreign Languages



Human Rights Bureau, Ministry of Justice
National Federation of Associations of Human Rights Volunteers

The troubles you encounter may be infringement of human rights.

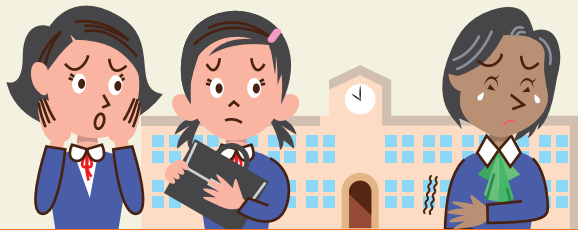
A hairdresser refused to cut your hair.



You were not allowed to rent an apartment.



Your child is bullied at school.



Different customs that are hard to accept.



Don't worry alone. Consult with us first.

[Face-to-face counseling]



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[Telephone counseling]



We offer telephone counseling through the Foreign-language Human Rights Hotline(Navi Dial).

[Counseling on the Internet]



We accept human rights inquiries in 10 languages on the Internet Human Rights Counseling Services.

We will find the best solution to your problem.

Conciliation

We mediate in discussions.



Instructions and recommendation to violators

We will demand the violator to improve the situation.



Advice and referrals

We make referrals to specialized agencies that can provide legal advices.

