

# BASIC LEGAL SYSTEM GERMANY

using the example Enzkreis



## Integration in Germany

#### **Institutions**

European level European Union

State level Office for Migration and Refugees
(Berlin) Ministry of Labour an Social Affairs

Ministry of Justice and Consumer Protection

Federal states level Ministry of Education and Culture

(Baden-Württemberg) Ministry of Economics, Labour and Housing

Ministry of Social Affairs and Integration

County level (Enzkreis) Job Centre

Immigration Authority

**Youth Department** 

**Employment Agency** 

Local level (municipalities)

Municipal administration / City Hall



# Legal Bases

#### State level

Institution	Law	Executive authority
Office for Migration and Refugees	Act on the Residence, Economic Activity and Integration of Foreigners in the Federal Territory (AufenthG)	Immigration Authority
Ministry of Labour an Social Affairs	Book Two of the Social Code (SGB II)	Job Centre
	Book Three of the Social Code (SGB III)	Employment Agency
Ministry of Justice and Consumer Protection	Asylum Seeker Benefits Act (AsylbLG)	Immigration Authority



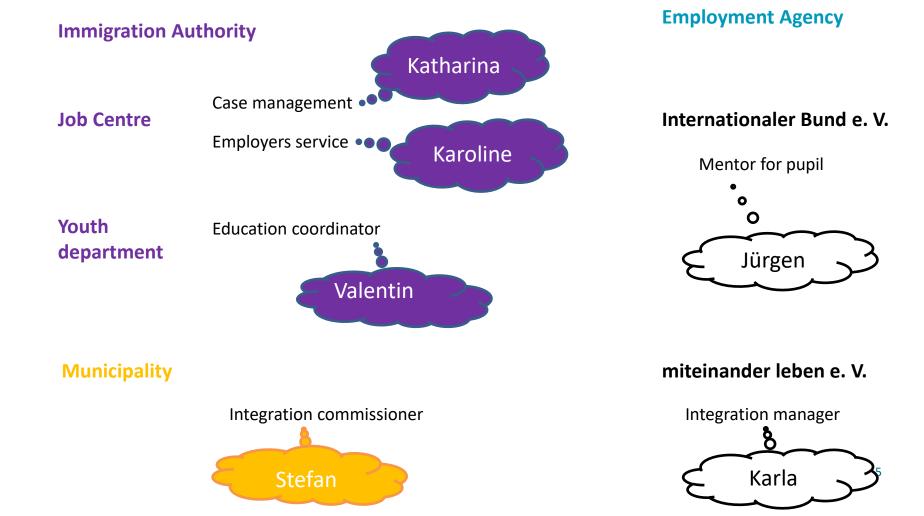
# Legal Bases

#### Federal State level

Ministry	Laws / Programs / Guidelines	Executive institution
Ministry of Education and Culture	School law Baden-Württemberg (SchG)	Schools
Ministry of Economics, Labour and Housing	Program "Integration through training – perspectives for refugees"	Association, e.g. Internationaler Bund e.V.
Ministry for Social Affairs and Integration	Funding guidelines of the Ministry for the promotion of integration management in cities, municipalities and counties	Association, e.g. miteinander leben e.V.
	Funding guidelines for the municipal coordination of educational offers for newly immigrated people	Youth department
	Promotion of social participation and integration (VwV Integration)	Municipal administration / City Hall 4



## County and municipal level





#### Residence permit

For people from abroad, who...

- want to do an apprenticeship / education / training on the job in Germany (§§ 16-17 Aufenthaltsgesetz)
- want to work in Germany (§§ 18-21 Aufenthaltsgesetz)
- can stay in Germany for international law, humanitarian or political reasons (§§ 22-26 Aufenthaltsgesetz)



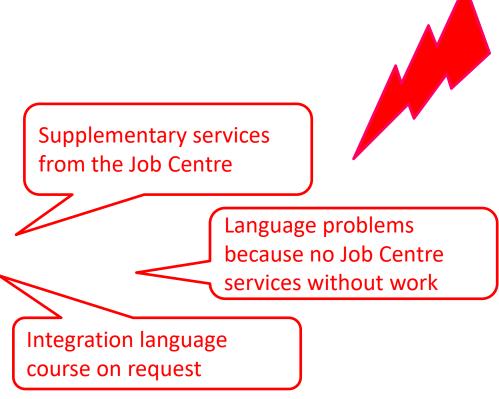
#### **EU** citizens

#### Residence > 3 months

- If they have a job or are self-employed
- If they have their own means of subsistence and health insurance cover

ver course on request

- If they have been in Germany for more than 5 years
- Relatives





#### Refugees

Arrival & registration

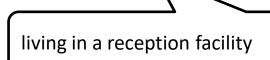
Getting informations about name, country of origin, date of birth, religion, language and ethnicity

take a photograph and finger prints

apply for asylum at the arrival centre directly

services in accordance with the Asylum Seekers Benefits Act

taken to a reception facility, apply for asylum in person lately



Application in person

Getting informations about personal details, place of residence, education or training, language skills and about how to come to Germany

receiving a temporary residence permit – *Aufenthaltsgestattung* – Identification document –



#### Refugees

The Dublin procedure

assessing whether Germany is responsible for examining the asylum application or if another European state is responsible

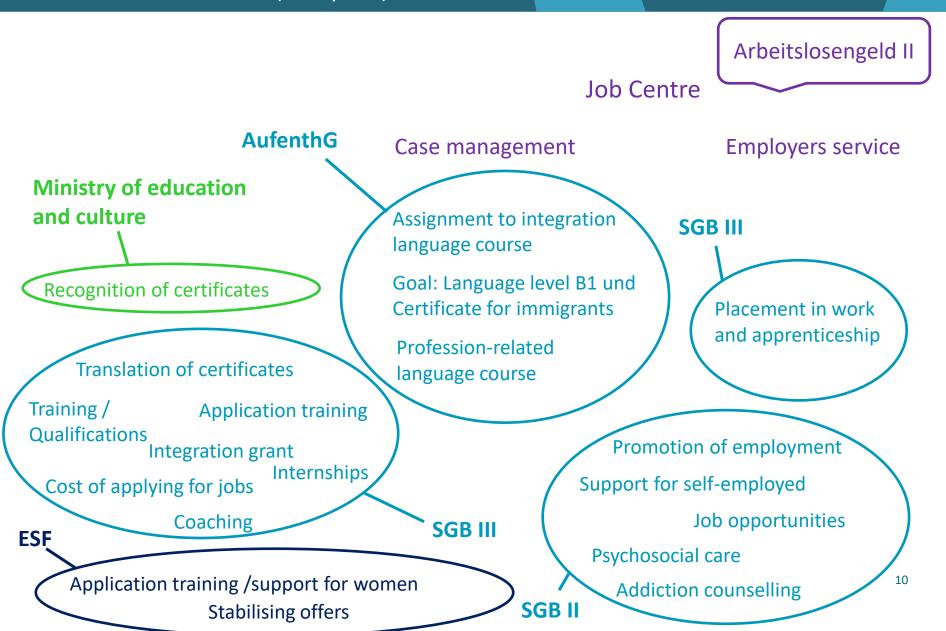
Regulation (EU) No 604/2013 (Dublin III)

The personal interview

a hearing will take place at the federal agency (getting information about the reasons of fleeing)



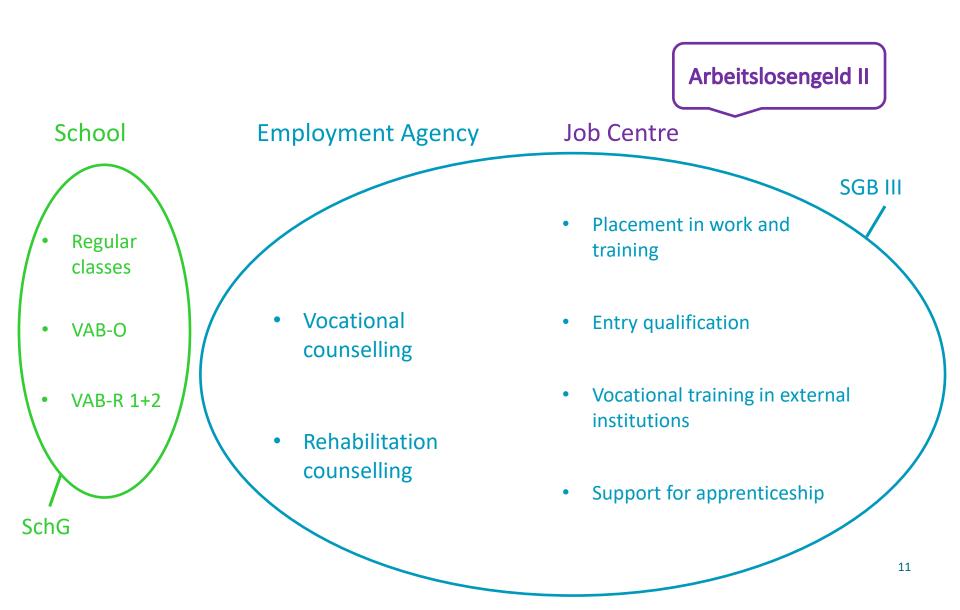
# Refugees with residence permit (> 25 years)





# Refugees with residence permit

(younger 25 years)





## Thank you for your attention