Getting to know you: a local study of the needs of migrants, refugees and asylum seekers in County Clare

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Abstract:
This report includes a desk study on the policy and legal context of immigration into Ireland, and presents the findings of a field research project on the needs of refugees, asylum seekers and migrants in County Clare. In 2007, Ennis CDP and the HSE West commissioned the University of Limerick Centre for Peace and Reconciliation to conduct this research for a inter-agency group assembled by the Health Service Executive (West) in County Clare:

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