

# Supporting Foreign & Commonwealth victims of



## Domestic Abuse

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## How do we support the F&C community?

AFF's Foreign & Commonwealth (F&C) Specialist advocates on behalf of families and has been providing qualified immigration advice and information to F&C victims of Domestic Abuse (DA) since 2012. Since 2016 we have supported over 60 spouses in gaining permanent residency in the UK.

## Supporting victims of DA

AFF is able to offer this support through a grant provided by the Lloyd's Patriotic Fund. The grant enables us to complete applications and gather evidence on behalf of the spouse, which is one less thing to worry about at this difficult time. We can offer this support to any F&C spouse/partner of a serving person or veteran in any location in the UK or overseas.

The grant enables us to continue working closely with support organisations to develop best practice working methods when dealing with an F&C case, and to inform others about the unique problems that many F&C families can face.

## How AFF can help

If you are currently supporting an F&C spouse who is a victim of DA or whose relationship has broken down and who needs immigration advice, then please get in touch with us at **fcsupport@aff.org.uk**

You can also self-refer if you prefer but AFF may need to speak to other agencies on your behalf to ensure you have all the support you need.

With your help, we enable these spouses to become independent and to move on with their lives.

## What is AFF?

The Army Families Federation (AFF) is the independent voice of all Army families and passionately represents our unique community. Throughout the UK and overseas, we provide essential links between Army families and decision makers.

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