



## West Midlands Destitution Project

**Area of work:** Working with babies, children, families and young people who have become destitute as a result of the asylum process and are growing up without food, adequate accommodation, heating, toys or access to public services.

**How we do it:** We work with the Church and voluntary agencies to provide access to legal advice and crisis grants and supplies to destitute children and families in the most extreme circumstances. We share our knowledge, resources and expertise in the local area to advocate for these children to ensure that they are able to access the basic essentials needed for a good childhood.

**£125 could pay for** a grant for a new mother to provide essential items for her baby.

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or call **0845 300 1128** to find out  
more about our work.

Amadou's story...  
*"Since December  
I might spend a  
whole day when  
I don't eat at all,  
or a day when  
I just eat once."*