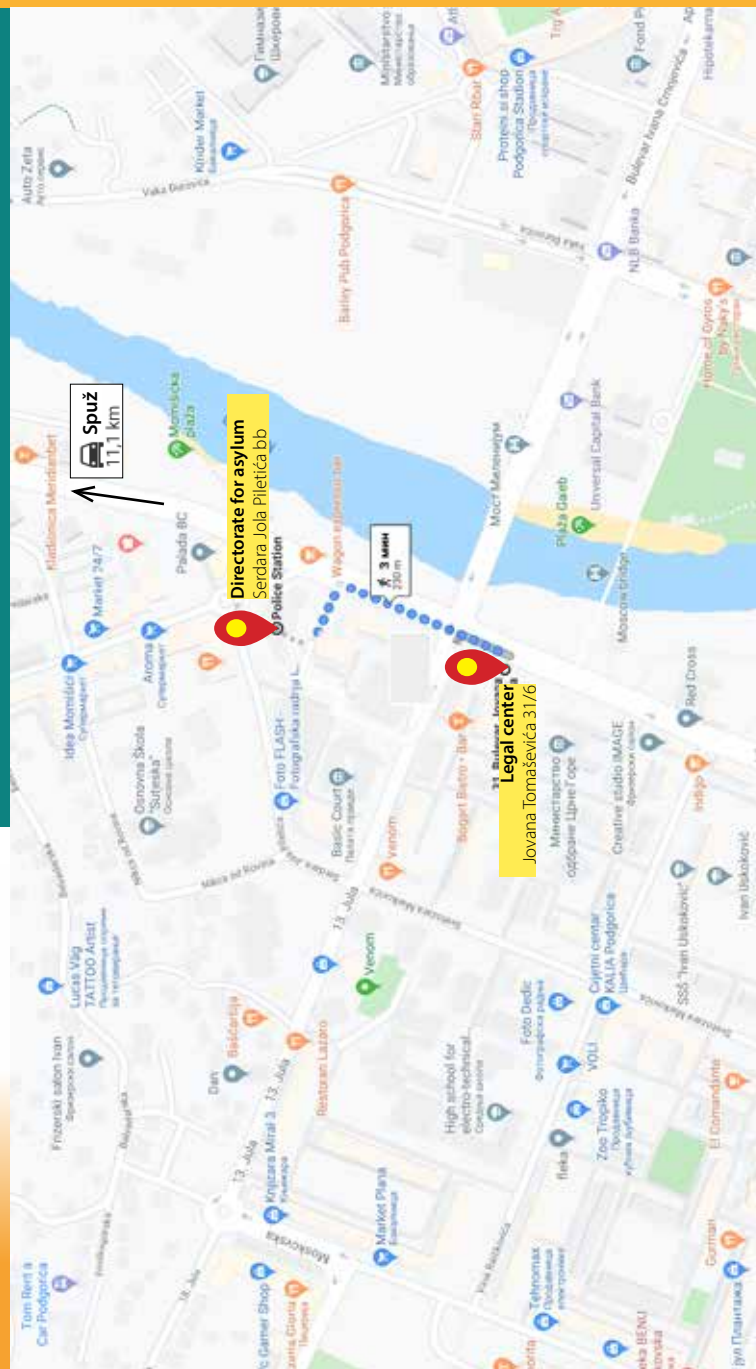


How the Legal center can assist you?

The Legal center can provide you in a language you understand with:

- general information about the system and procedure for granting the international protection in Montenegro;
- free of charge legal aid during the first instance procedure before the Directorate for asylum and representation before the Administrative court;
- practical information and legal support in access to entitled rights to accommodation, social and health protection, work and family unity;
- Professional psycho-social support in partnership with NGO Caritas Montenegro.

Legal centre could provide you with support throughout the entire procedure for granting international protection and integration into Montenegrin society by informing you on the access to rights, duties and services and facilitate the communication and cooperation with the state administrative bodies.



THE GUIDE through the procedure for granting international protection in Montenegro



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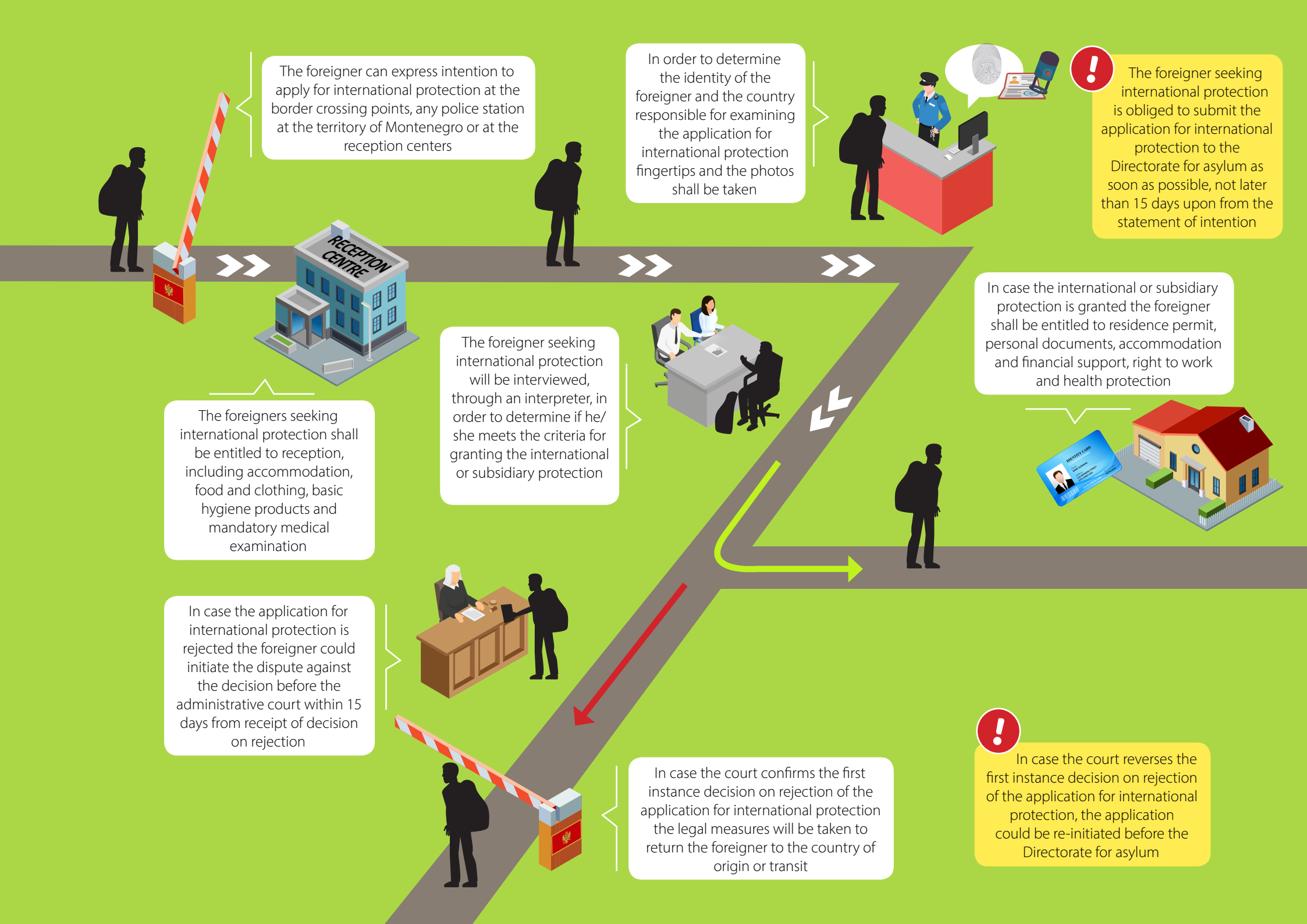


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The foreigner can express intention to apply for international protection at the border crossing points, any police station at the territory of Montenegro or at the reception centers

In order to determine the identity of the foreigner and the country responsible for examining the application for international protection fingertips and the photos shall be taken

! The foreigner seeking international protection is obliged to submit the application for international protection to the Directorate for asylum as soon as possible, not later than 15 days upon from the statement of intention

The foreigners seeking international protection shall be entitled to reception, including accommodation, food and clothing, basic hygiene products and mandatory medical examination

The foreigner seeking international protection will be interviewed, through an interpreter, in order to determine if he/she meets the criteria for granting the international or subsidiary protection

In case the international or subsidiary protection is granted the foreigner shall be entitled to residence permit, personal documents, accommodation and financial support, right to work and health protection

In case the application for international protection is rejected the foreigner could initiate the dispute against the decision before the administrative court within 15 days from receipt of decision on rejection

In case the court confirms the first instance decision on rejection of the application for international protection the legal measures will be taken to return the foreigner to the country of origin or transit

! In case the court reverses the first instance decision on rejection of the application for international protection, the application could be re-initiated before the Directorate for asylum