SOCIAL SERVICES

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In keeping with Jewish tradition, the ICZ runs its own Social Services department, which offers not only financial support but also other types of help. The range of services on offer covers the following:

- Counselling and support of individuals, couples and families
- Voluntary assistance
- Taking over of administration and payments
- Legal information
- Subsidiary financial support
- Special support and activities before the holidays

All dossiers are treated with the strictest confidence. The offices of the Social Services department are located in the community centre on the 3rd floor. Since they are completely separate from the administration offices, they offer the privacy and discretion required. Employees are also bound by professional confidentiality.

Opening times

**Mon – Fri**  
9.00 - 12.00

or by agreement

Ideally, you should make an appointment in advance by telephone so that we can take enough time for you. However, it is also possible to come by without prior notice.

Direct telephone number: **044 283 22 77**
Contact

Our two experienced professionals take care of a wide range of social questions and problems.

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Hospital visits

Rabbi Noam Hertig can be contacted with questions and/or for discussions. He is subject to absolute confidentiality. You can therefore turn to him in confidence.

He can be reached as follows, except on Shabbat and public holidays.
Our hospital chaplain draws the attention of nursing staff to the needs of Jewish patients during training courses.

**KOSHER FOOD IN HOSPITAL**

Kosher food is available in all hospitals in the greater Zurich area. This is included in the normal daily rate of the hospital. It is important that the nursing staff are made aware of this wish when you are admitted. Both meaty and milky menus are available.

**Kescher**

Kescher connects the generations within our community through regular visits. As a visitor, it’s like sitting in a time machine. Learn from the people you visit how it was in the past. Broaden your horizons and meet new people.

As a member of Kescher, you will regularly visit members of the community who are less mobile. You can do this either at their home, or in Sikna or the Hugo Mendel Heim.

And you? Are you looking back on a full, rich life, and do you want to share your experiences with younger members? Would you like to meet new people and get to know what makes them tick? Be adventurous and welcome them into your home! We’d be delighted if you got involved with Kescher - one way or another:

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