

1. Who can apply?

- Anyone detained in Mitiga Prison between 1 May 2014 and 30 June 2020 who suffered harm.
- Family members or close friends of someone harmed or killed.
- Each person must send their own application.

2. What counts as harm?

- Physical: beatings, torture, poor conditions.
- Emotional: fear, humiliation, threats.
- Financial: money paid for release, loss of income or property.

3. Is being a victim the same as being a witness?

- Being a victim is not the same as a witness. You are not asked to testify, speak publicly, or appear in court.
- Victims fill in a short form and are represented by a lawyer, who will speak on their behalf.
- Your identity can be kept confidential.



4. Can I receive reparations?

- If the accused is found guilty, victims may receive money, medical support, or other assistance.
- Reparations are not guaranteed and can take time.

5. How do I apply?

- It is free to apply.
- Ask Refugees in Libya (RiL), ECCHR, or another trusted ICC-trained person to help you.
- **Provide an ID** (passport, ID card, UNHCR card, or a photo). If you do not have an ID, ask us what to do.



6. Is it safe?

- The Court keeps your information private.
- Some details may be shared with the Prosecutor and defense, but your name can be hidden.
- Tell us if you believe applying could put you or your family at risk of harm in any way.



7. Can I change my mind?

- Yes. You can withdraw your application at any time by sending a written request with your ID.

8. Do I need a lawyer?

- Legal help is strongly recommended.
- RiL and ECCHR can connect you with free legal support, or the Court can assign you a lawyer.

9. Is there a deadline or travel required?

- There is no strict deadline yet, but apply as soon as possible.
- Victims do not need to travel to the ICC; a lawyer represents you.

10. Will applying affect my application for asylum/immigration status in Europe?

- No, applying as a victim at the ICC will not affect your immigration status in Europe.
- Your information is confidential and will not impact an asylum application.

