



The County Administrative Board of Östergötland



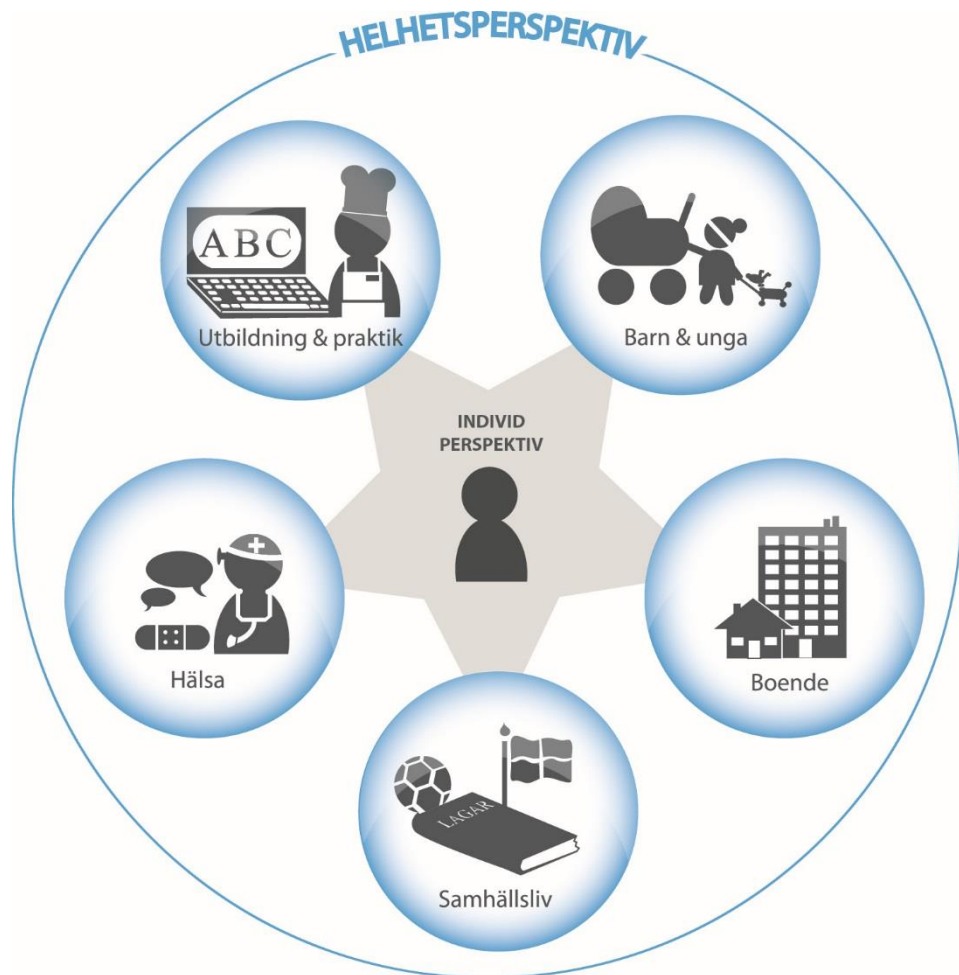
The County Administrative Boards of Sweden

- 21 counties, each of which has its own County Administrative Board and County Governor.
- The boards are representatives of the state in their respective counties and serve as a link between the population, the municipalities, the Governmental authorities and the Swedish Parliament

Responsibilities County administrative boards

- play a part in ensuring that municipalities are prepared to receive newly arrived asylum seekers
- encourage regional collaboration between municipalities, authorities, companies and organisations that organise activities for newly arrived asylum seekers
- support municipalities in coordinating municipal activities such as Swedish for Immigrants and civic information
- follow up on the organisation and implementation of initiatives for newly arrived asylum seekers at regional and municipal levels

A Regional Agreement: Establishment in development 2015



Overall objective:

Newly arrived refugees with a resident permit should as soon as possible learn Swedish, find employment or enrol in higher education to be able to provide for themselves, without benefits.

Newly arrived children under 18 should have a schooling based on individual needs and resources. All children have the right to further training in their first language and to be able to take part in different spare time activities.

Important roles in the establishment process



13 Municipalities



Länsstyrelserna

Responsibilities Arbetsförmedlingen (Swedish Public Employment Service)

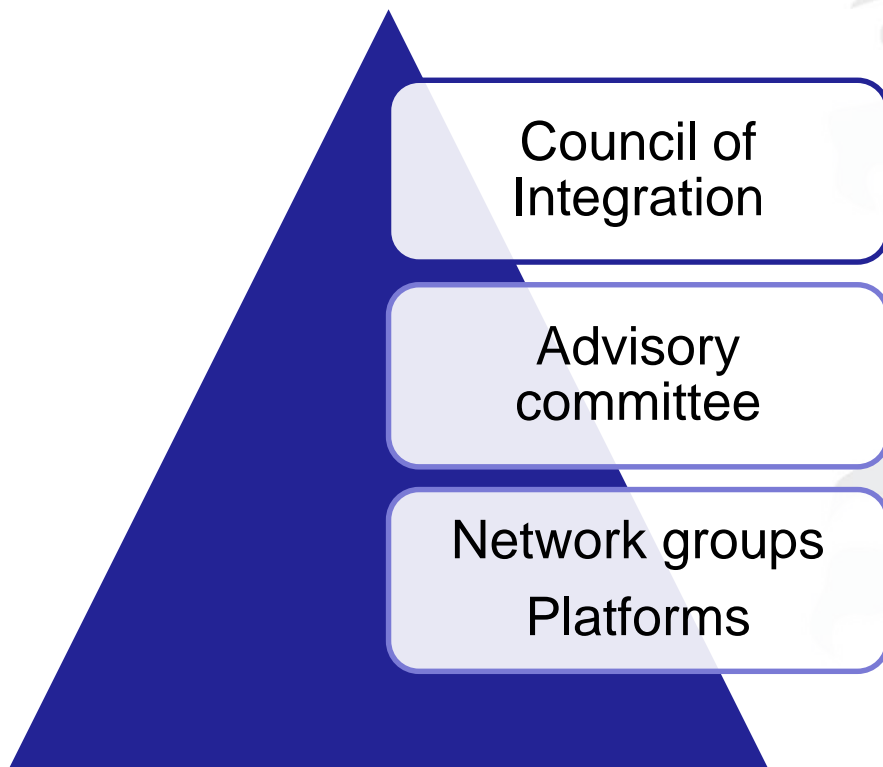
- responsible for coordinating establishment initiatives
- responsible for outlining an establishment plan
- makes decisions on establishment benefits



Responsibilities Swedish Migration Board

- charts the background of the newly arrived asylum seeker during their period of asylum
- produces a national forecast for newly arrived asylum seekers
- is responsible for directing refugees with residential permits (temporary or permanent) to almost all municipalities
- makes decisions on payments from the government to municipalities and county councils

Regional organization

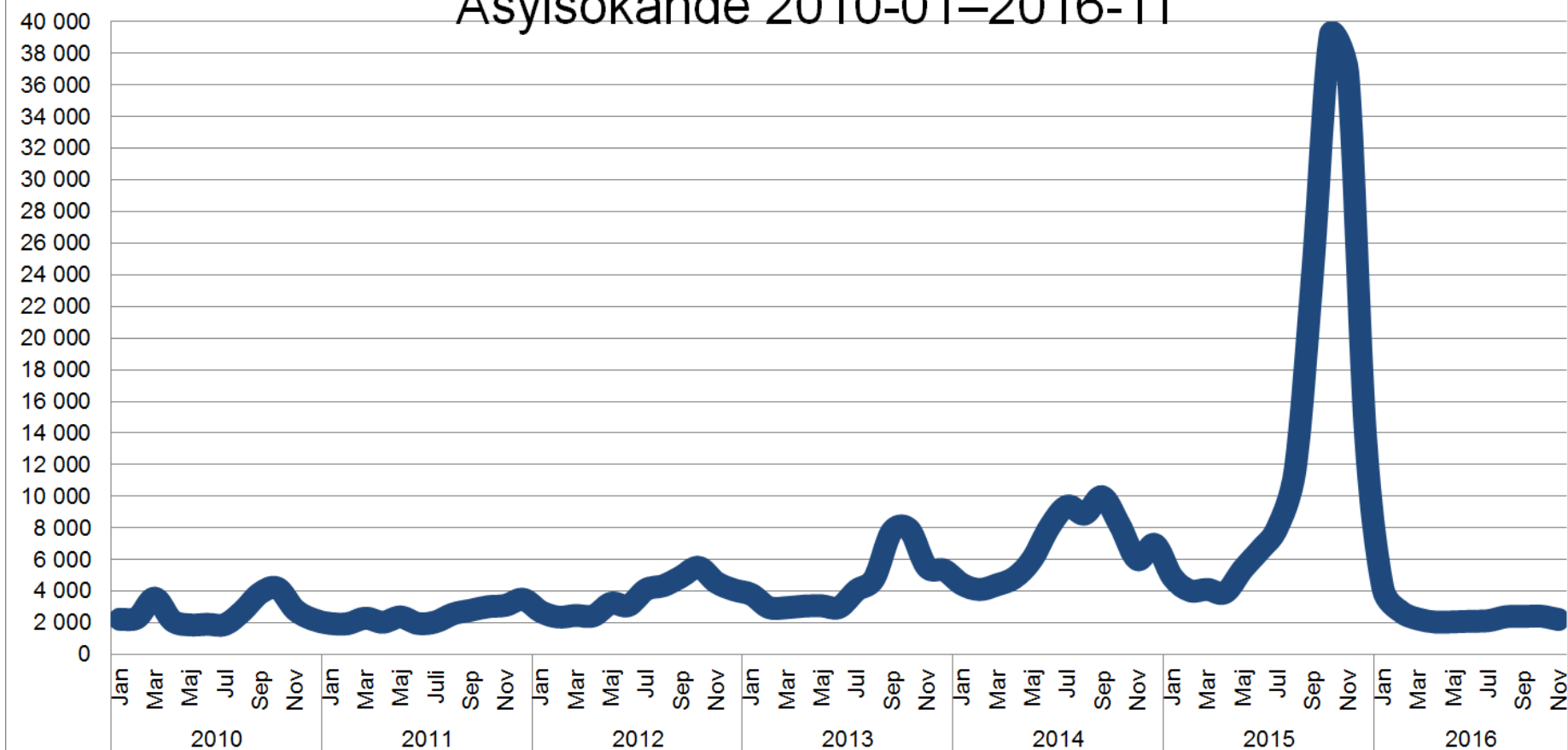


Integration coordinator

- The municipalities of the county of Östergötland have agreed to "finance a position with the main objective to coordinate the regional work in integration together with the signing municipalities and authorities to reach the goals of the regional agreement".
- New legislation
- Deepened dialogue
- Networks
- Information
- § 37/ 37a- state funded projects

Asylum seeking individuals

Asylsökande 2010-01–2016-11



Asylum seeking unaccompanied minors per month 2004-2016

