

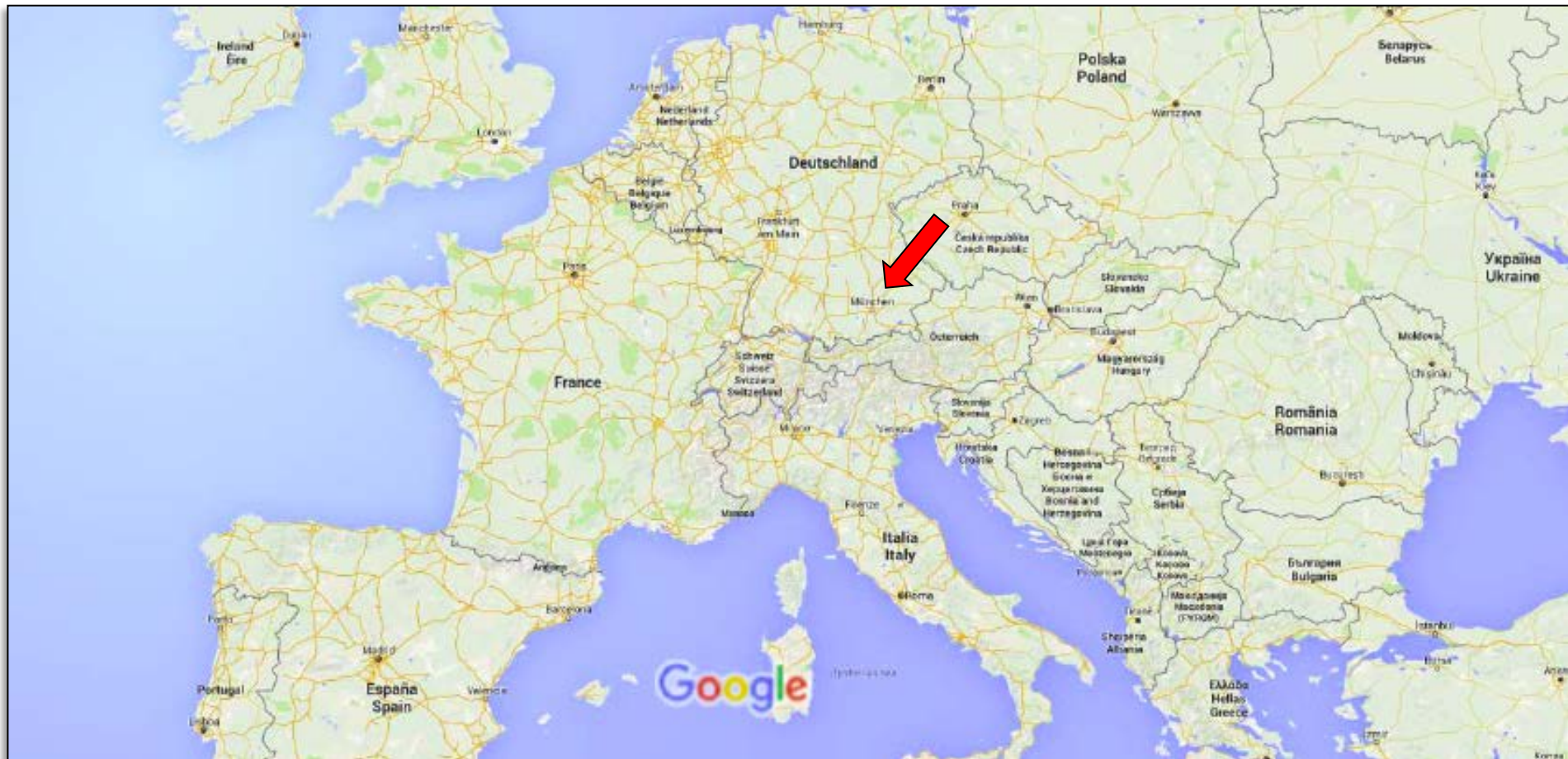


Situation in Munich, October 2014





Location of Munich





City of Munich
Department of Education and Sports

Integration of newcomers, asylum seekers and refugees in the City of Munich

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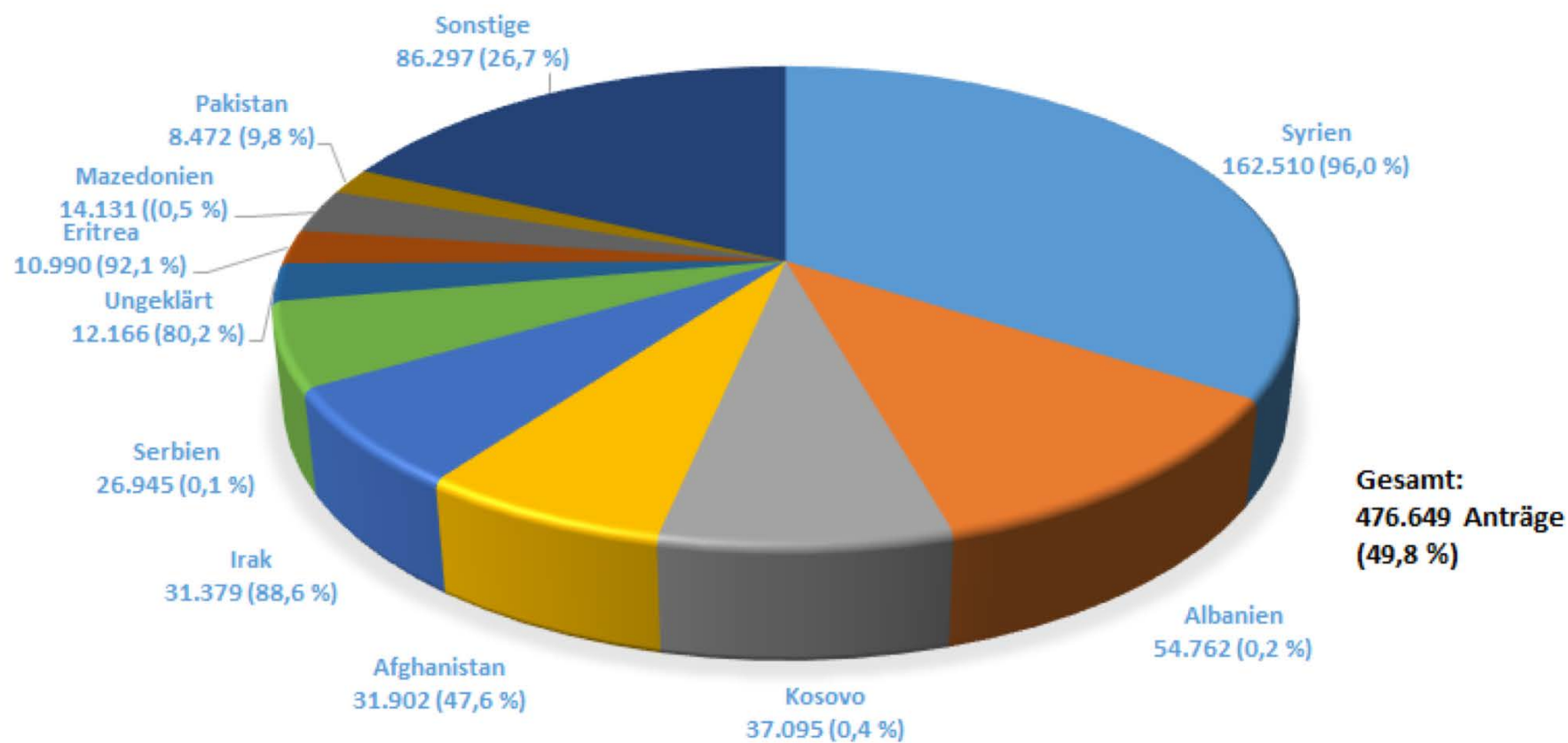


Recent Situation and Challenges

- More than 20,000 asylum seekers/ refugees (including unaccompanied minors) in 2015
 - ✓ Housing
 - ✓ Job market integration
- More than 50% of all asylum seekers/ refugees are 25 years and younger
 - ✓ German language acquisition
 - ✓ Education and (vocational) training (compulsory due to German law)
- Heterogenous structure concerning the asylum seekers'/ refugees' qualifications and educational level

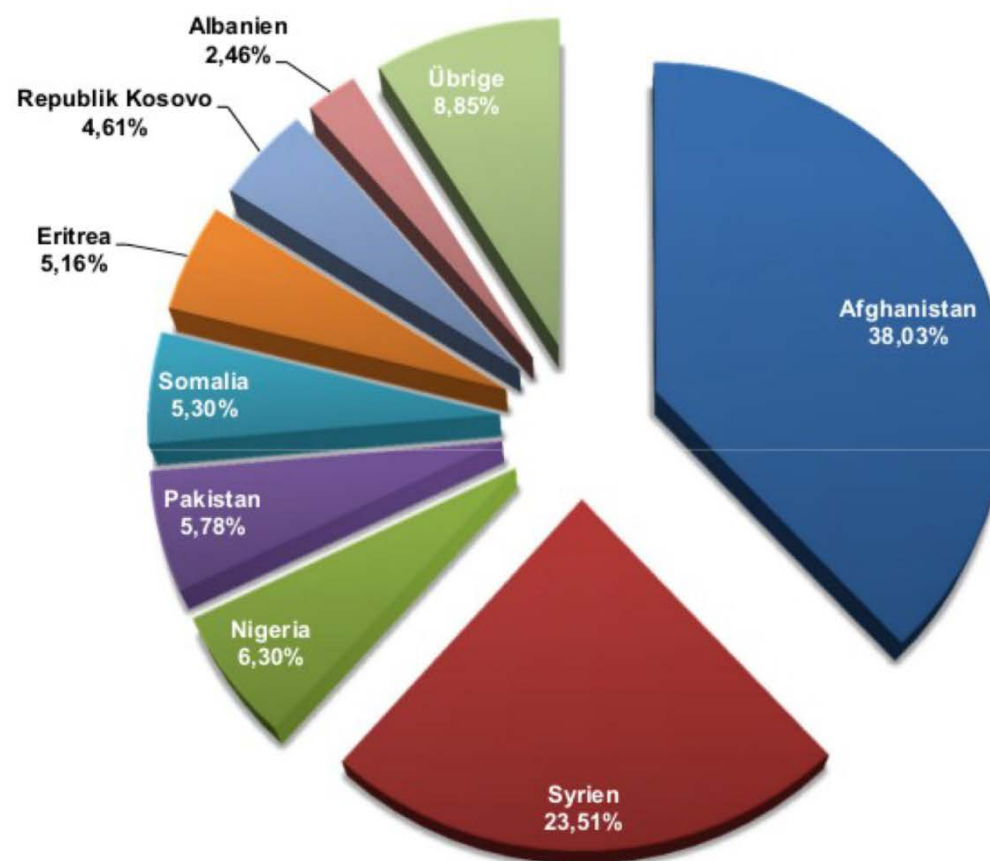


Asylum Seekers in Germany 2015





Asylum Seekers in Munich in 2015

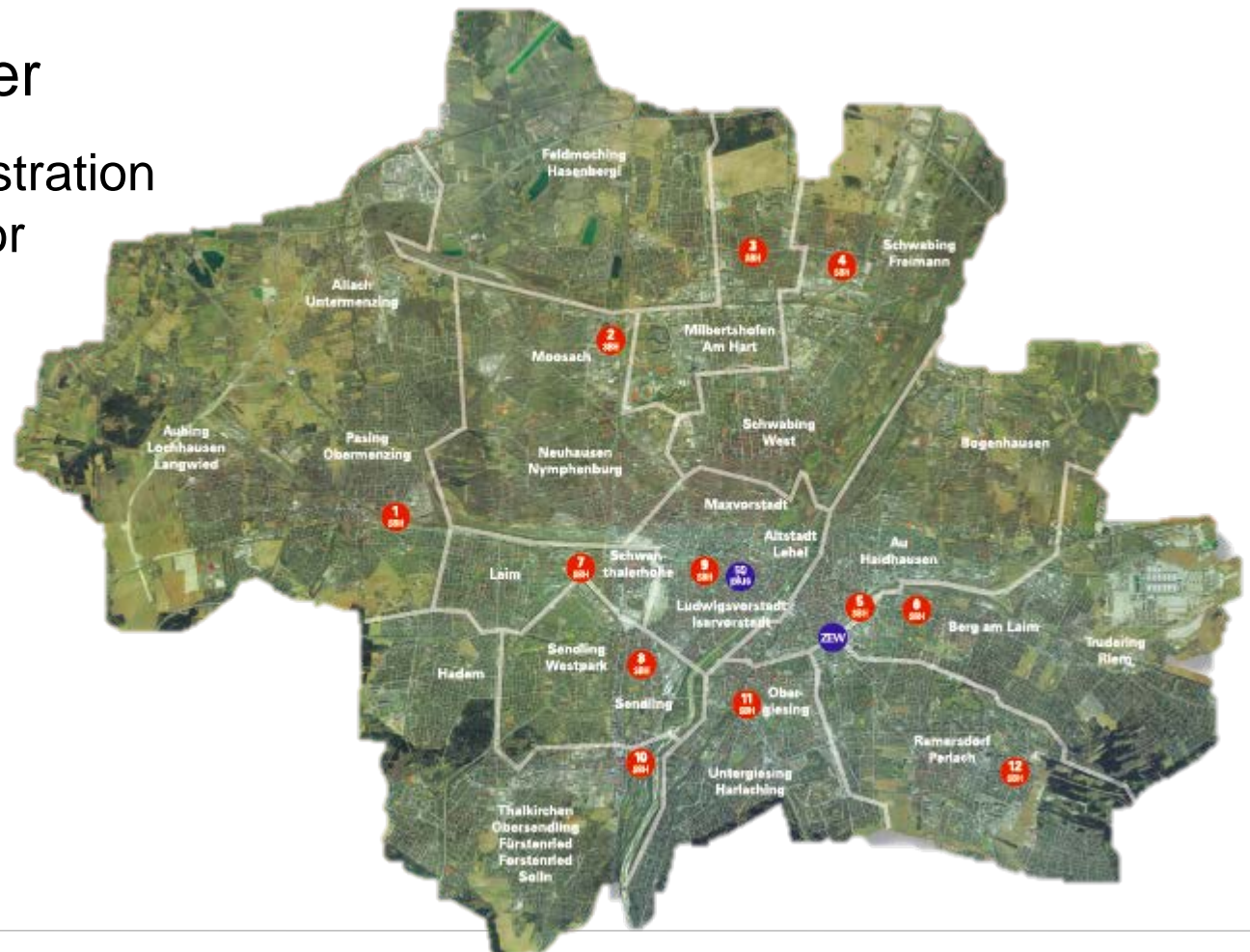




Decentralized **social structures** and support

Sozialbürgerhäuser

Decentralized administration
(part of Department for
Social Affairs)
incl. Job Centres
(part of Job Agency)



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REGSAM-Network

Regional network for social work in Munich (non-public providers of (youth) welfare care and service)

“Know each other. Act together.”





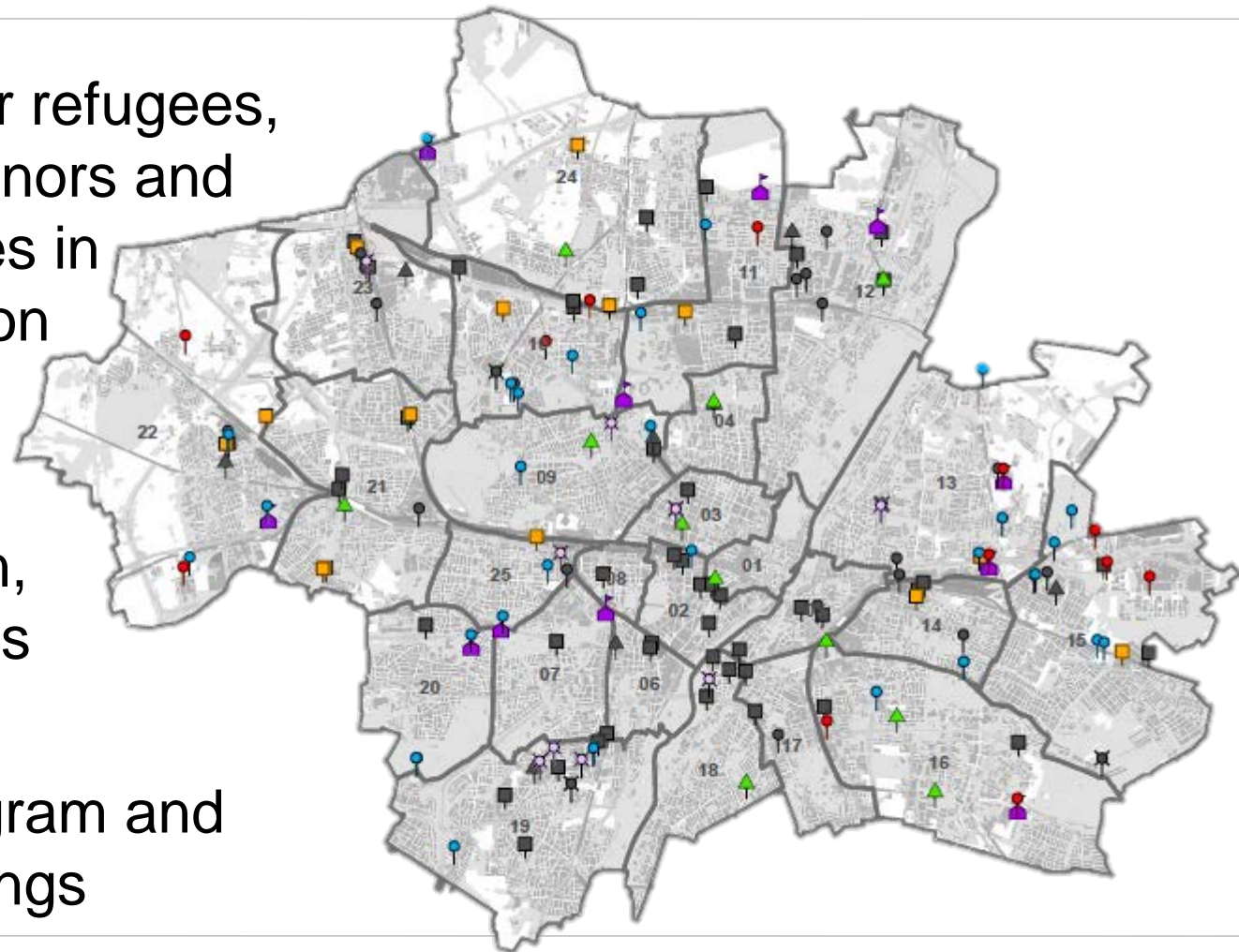
Integration through **housing**

- Different locations with approximately 200 households per location
 - ✓ Mixture of 70% newcomers and 30% citizens in (urgent) need for social housing/ homeless
 - ✓ Need for on-site social work and support
- Overbuilding of existing parking areas, if necessary
- New housing concepts like “homes for citizens” (*Bürgerheime*)

Integration through **housing**

Accommodation for refugees, unaccompanied minors and homeless / refugees in municipal jurisdiction (for more than 50 persons/ location)

- Bridging function, planned buildings and inventory
- Emergency program and temporary buildings





Integration Masterplan for the City of Munich

- Top-level task force for exceptional events (in case of disasters, exceptional threat situations or other events with a special need for coordination); lead by the Lord Mayor Dieter Reiter
- Task-forces for refugee management in the (most) affected departments/ institutions (Bavarian State Education Authority, City Departments of Cultural Affairs, Education & Sports, Labor & Work and Social Affairs; Munich Adult Education Centre – MVHS)



Integration Masterplan for the City of Munich

- Focus on language, (cultural) education, qualification, labor and work (job market integration)
- Main targets
 - ✓ Quick and successful integration of new arriving people into the city community
 - ✓ Establishing and optimizing standards for qualification and support
- Cross-sectional task => good cooperation and coordination needed



Integration through **Education** and Sports

- **Munich Funding Formula (*Münchner Förderformel*)**
 - ✓ Additional financing and support concept for approx. 1,000 child care centers/ daycare facilities
 - ✓ Equal basis, but according to City Council criteria and priorities
 - ✓ Taking into consideration both child-centered and institution- and location-related factors

- **Advanced "Demand-oriented budgeting"**
 - ✓ Additional funding for municipal secondary schools
 - ✓ Graduated scheme, which is based on the social index (location)

Integration through **Education** and Sports

Integrative measures of Bavarian State Education Authority

- Extra-funding for schools with a high demand for integrative measures (e.g. more than 50% children with migrant background per class => max. 25 children per class)
- **106 transition classes (*Ü-Klassen*)** for about 1,500 students
 - ✓ General subjects and intercultural learning
 - ✓ 10 hours per week German as a foreign language
=> allow the fastest possible transfer to a regular class
 - ✓ Number of students limited to max. 20
 - ✓ Two years in average; depending on the individual learning progress of the children



Integration through **Education** and Sports

- **Centralized educational clearing/ screening** (application submitted for federal funding of more staff who should coordinate the implementation of integrative measures)
- **Unaccompanied minors**
 - ✓ 2013/ 553 => 2014/ 2,610 => 2015/ approx. 4,300
 - ✓ Currently not less than 2015 are expected for 2016
 - ✓ Adequate accommodation and care is very important
 - ✓ High support of non-public providers of welfare services and volunteers
- Average rate of citizens with migration background: approx. 34% (23% foreigners); in some schools approx. 70%



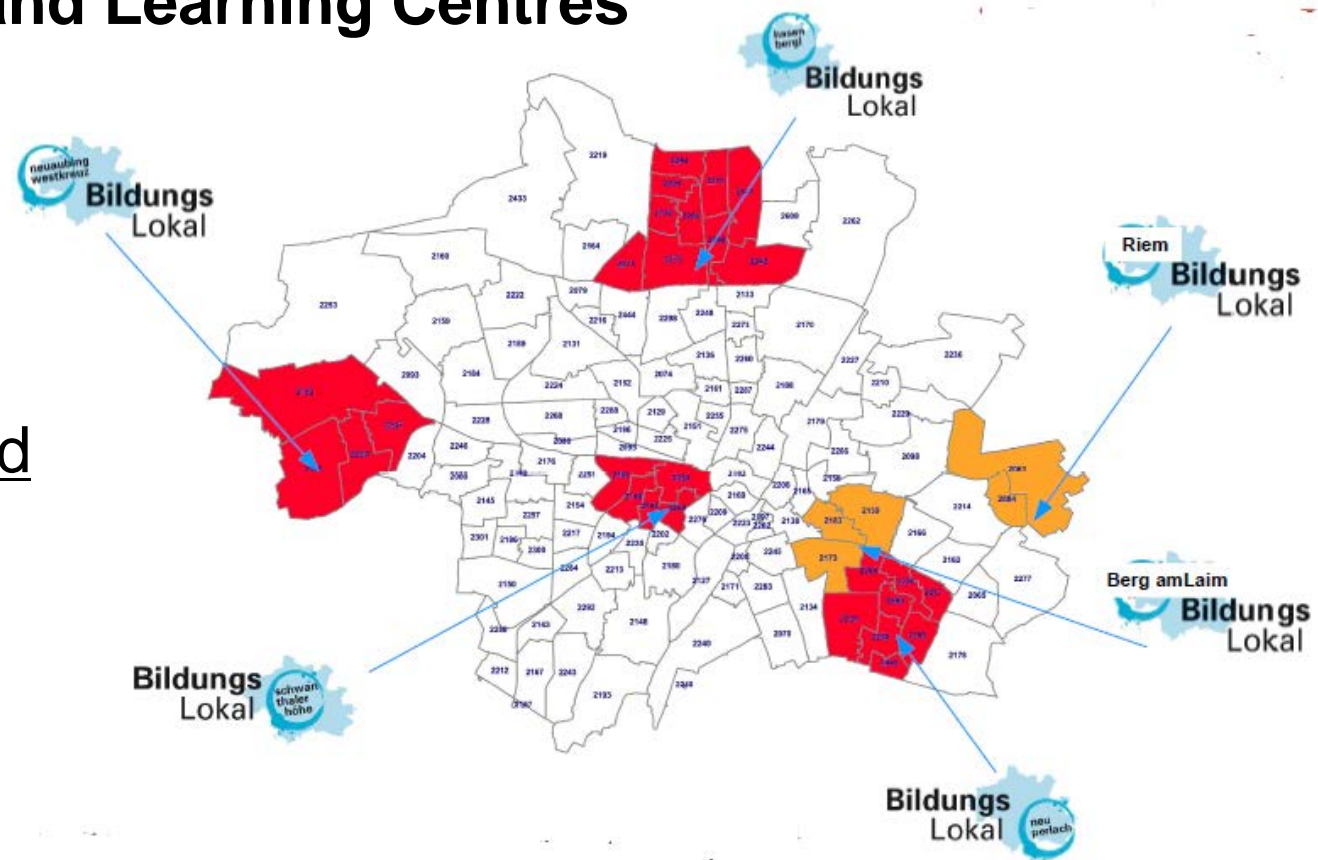
Integration through **Education** and Sports

- **(Vocational) education and training** - Activities for teenagers and young adults (responsibility of City of Munich)
- Fulfillment of vocational education for minors (compulsory by law)
- Special school programs for young refugees
 - ✓ Municipal Vocational School for Vocational Preparation and SchlaU school (= school analogue lessons for migrants and unaccompanied refugee minors) etc.
 - ✓ Educational offers include continuous and intensive social support and care

Integration through **Education** and Sports

Local Education and Learning Centres (BildungsLokale)

- Decentralized structure
- Local education management and counselling
- Neighborhood approach





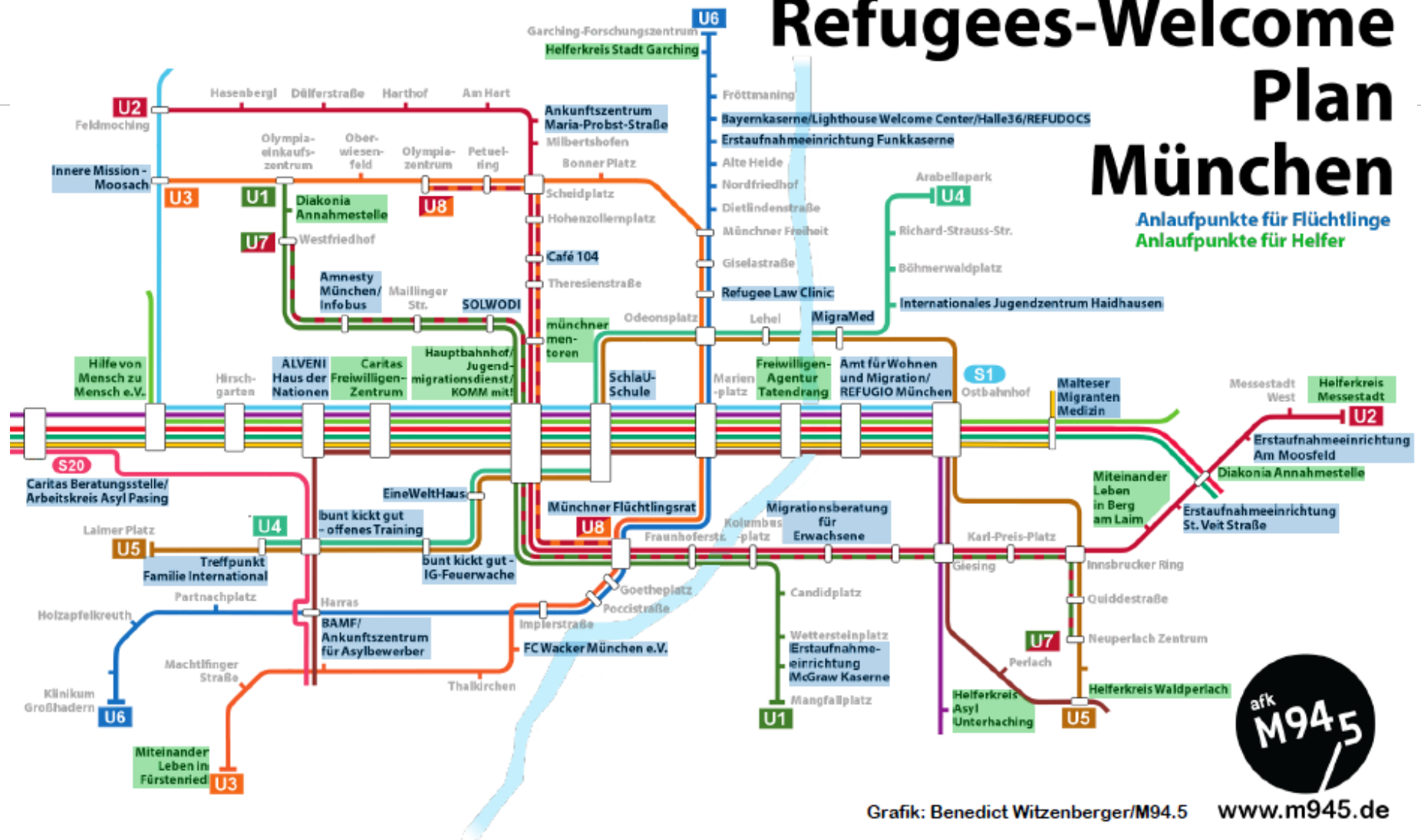
Integration through Education and **Sports**

- Integration in **sports clubs** => good platform for the integration of newcomers as sports rules in the world are the same everywhere and are understood even without a common language
- To support the commitment of the sport teams, the Department of Education and Sports has launched together with the Centre for Intercultural Work the **project "Sport for Refugees in Munich"** (since June 2015)



Refugees-Welcome Plan München

Anlaufpunkte für Flüchtlinge
Anlaufpunkte für Helfer



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Thank you for your attention!