The Matching & Visa Application Process

Host Support Team

A potential Host is identified
(chat, email, web, facebook, etc)

Host completes the Host Questionnaire

Host Support Team get in touch with the Host
to explain more about what is involved

If there is any other relevant information, not
on the form we add that to the database

Host Support Team add potential host to the
matching system

Guest Support Team

A potential Guest is identified
(ideally via known links to the area)

Guest Support team complete the Guest
Questionnaire (or ask Guest to do it)

We get in touch with the Guest
to explain more about what is involved

If there is any other relevant information, we
add that to the database

Guest Support Team add potential guest to
the matching system

Criteria established by Love Ukraine Group based on input from external stakeholders and our agreed Vision and Goals

Guest and Host Support team members discuss possible matches applying the agreed criteria. Once a potential match is identified that match is communicated to Catriona and Julie (if they weren't in the matching discussion). Other LUG members who will be copied in on the proposed match include: Kevin, Owen, Kirsty, Jane.

We contact the Guest & Host with the outline details of the match (anonymised) and ask if they each feel the match is worth exploring further.

Host wants to proceed

Guest wants to proceed

Video Call
Host and Guest meet (with translator if needed)

Host wants to proceed

Guest wants to proceed

Host and/or guest complete Ukrainian Sponsorship forms
(we can provide support for this process)

Host keeps in contact with Guest and keeps us up to date with progress

Guests keeps in contact with Host

Decision points for Hosts & Guests
Really important for choice, ownership and respect.

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