

Real democracy means no walls, no discrimination, no obstacles in education, work and welfare for all people, both natives and migrants, because we all are humans.

On the contrary, most measures concerning migrants - both already living in Italy since long and newcomers - are aimed at spreading fear and hatred all over the country and at making first- and second-class citizens.

Because of measures such as:

- limitations to the renewal of the permit of stay for migrants who lose their jobs
- exclusion from welfare for families (bonus bebé, carta famiglia, reddito di cittadinanza)
- time for response to citizenship request prolonged up to 4 years
- new taxes on money transfers
- no citizenship for young migrants' children when they come of age
- restrictions on asylum seekers' rights and projects for good reception and integration

The conditions of all migrants are getting worse every day. And everyone knows that when the rights of a minority are restricted, all people, Italians and not Italians, will suffer the same.

But unlike that practice, Italy is a country that traditionally welcomes foreign people coming from abroad and looking for new life opportunities. Everyone has a right to move as he wants, whether to escape war and poverty or to get a better life.

Lots of people in Italy and in our region are engaged in helping migrants to get equal opportunities and rights, because differences of any kinds are common wealth, and not cause for discrimination and persecution. But to get that we must struggle all together, migrants and Italians,

because we all are first of all humans, so let's keep being so!