



MAP Multi-Agency
Partnership BC
Working Together for Refugee Claimants

MAP Member Agency News

MAP Bulletin # 2
January 10, 2023

Dear MAP members,

How are you doing? We will keep you up to date with any changes to refugee claimant services as they happen - and if you have information that you would like to share with MAP please email info@mapbc.org.

LAST CHANCE TO GIVE US YOUR FEEDBACK FOR THE MAP VISION STATEMENT!!

MAP NEWS! (PART 1)

During our October 26th meeting, the MAP Advisory Council proposed new Mission and Vision Statements for MAP. The Mission Statement was approved by the attending members, however, the proposed Vision Statement was not approved. Instead, the attending members provided feedback to help the Advisory Council in crafting a new Vision Statement.

A new draft Vision Statement was presented at the MAP meeting on November 23rd, and we would now like to ask for your input so the Advisory Council can take your feedback into account to finalize this process.

Draft MAP Vision Statement for your review and input presented on November 23:

A connected community of boundless welcome achieving dignity, equity, and belonging with and for refugee claimants.

The Advisory Council, with co-chairs will finalize a version based on your input.



Thank you for all you are doing to support vulnerable refugee claimants
Sara Lopez, Sireen El Nashar and Katya Avalos, MAP Executive

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MAP NEWS! (PART 2)

The finalized Vision Statement will be voted on by MAP members at the 25 January 2024 MAP meeting.

What is a Vision Statement?

- a description of the world as it would exist if the organization succeeds in achieving its grandest aspirations
- a short (i.e., one sentence), inspiring, memorable statement able to remain unchanged for 100 years

Here – for reference – is MAP’s Mission (approved 26 October 2023)

MAP brings together community members and agencies to foster collaboration and action for the well-being of refugee claimants.

Please provide your feedback and input into the draft Vision Statement above by **15 January 2024** by emailing Katya at info@mapbc.org.

We thank you in advance for your valuable consideration and input!

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IRCC UPDATE - Temporary public policy to facilitate temporary resident visas for certain extended family affected by the crisis in Gaza

This is an update to the message below, sent on December 21, 2023.

On December 28, 2023, the Honourable Marc Miller, Minister of Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) announced a *Temporary public policy to facilitate temporary resident visas for certain extended family affected by the crisis in Gaza.*

This temporary resident pathway opened on January 9, 2024. Please consult this [link](#) for more information.

[A webpage has been set up to provide information on this temporary measure, including eligibility criteria, how clients may apply](#) and timelines. Please consult [Crisis in Gaza: Special measures for extended family members in Gaza](#).

Individuals who are accepted under the *Temporary public policy to facilitate temporary resident visas for certain extended family affected by the crisis in Gaza* will be eligible for federally-funded settlement services for up to three years (until March 31, 2027).

IRCC is taking the following actions to communicate with clients and Service Provider Organizations around eligibility and access to services:

- A message to all Service Provider Organizations will be sent in the coming days, outlining the changes to the Settlement Program Terms and Conditions and explaining how eligible clients under this measure can demonstrate their eligibility for settlement services once they have arrived in Canada.
- A letter will be sent to the Canadian citizen or permanent resident anchor, outlining their obligations towards their extended family members arriving in Canada, as well as the services their family members are eligible for and how to access those services.
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----- Original message -----

Date: 2023-12-21 7:23 p.m. (GMT-05:00)

Today the Honourable Marc Miller, Minister of Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) introduced temporary immigration measures to support family members of Canadians and permanent residents from Israel, the West Bank and Gaza, as well as Israelis and Palestinians already in Canada.

Fee-exempt study or open work permits in Canada

- Beginning today, the following people can apply for a fee-exempt study or open work permit:
 - Foreign national family members of Canadian citizens and Permanent Residents (PRs) who have left Israel and the Palestinian Territories, either with their family members or of their own accord, since the onset of the current conflict.
 - Israelis and Palestinians already in Canada who feel unsafe returning to the region at this time.

For those with loved ones living in Gaza

- IRCC will also prioritize the processing of all existing and new permanent residence applications for Palestinians within family-based streams.
- IRCC will be introducing special measures to support temporary residence for extended family members in Gaza who are related to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.
- To ensure clients arriving under this cohort receive the supports they may need, settlement services will be made available to the limited cohort.
- More details about these special measures for extended family members of Canadians, including how to apply and further information about settlement supports, will be made available soon. We will keep you informed.

For more information, please see [Immigration measures to help people affected by the Israel– Hamas conflict](#)

The war in Gaza must end

*Statement by Martin Griffiths,
Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator*

(New York, 5 January 2024) Three months since the horrific 7 October attacks, Gaza has become a place of death and despair.

Tens of thousands of people, mostly women and children, have been killed or injured. Families are sleeping in the open as temperatures plummet. Areas where civilians were told to relocate for their safety have come under bombardment. Medical facilities are under relentless attack. The few hospitals that are partially functional are overwhelmed with trauma cases, critically short of all supplies, and inundated by desperate people seeking safety.

A public health disaster is unfolding. Infectious diseases are spreading in overcrowded shelters as sewers spill over. Some 180 Palestinian women are giving birth daily amidst this chaos. People are facing the highest levels of food insecurity ever recorded. Famine is around the corner.

For children in particular, the past 12 weeks have been traumatic: No food. No water. No school. Nothing but the terrifying sounds of war, day in and day out.

Gaza has simply become uninhabitable. Its people are witnessing daily threats to their very existence – while the world watches on.

The humanitarian community has been left with the impossible mission of supporting more than 2 million people, even as its own staff are being killed and displaced, as communication blackouts continue, as roads are damaged and convoys are shot at, and as commercial supplies vital to survival are almost non-existent.

Meanwhile, rocket attacks on Israel continue, more than 120 people are still held hostage in Gaza, tensions in the West Bank are boiling, and the specter of further regional spillover of the war is looming dangerously close.

Hope has never been more elusive.

Gaza has shown us the worst of humanity, as well as moments of great heroism.

We have seen how violence cannot resolve differences, but only inflame passions and build new generations of danger and insecurity.

We continue to demand an immediate end to the war, not just for the people of Gaza and its threatened neighbors, but for the generations to come who will never forget these 90 days of hell and of assaults on the most basic precepts of humanity.

It is time for the parties to meet all their obligations under international law, including to protect civilians and meet their essential needs, and to release all hostages immediately.

It is time for the international community to use all its influence to make this happen.

This war should never have started. But it's long past time for it to end.



Centre for
Refugee Children

New resource announcement!



Immigration
Process



Refugee Claim
Process



Settlement
Resources

The Centre for Refugee Children is thrilled to announce the launch of our online Info Hub for refugee and migrant children

Visit crcrefugee.ca/info-hub

Share with your child and youth clients

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- **Schedule** a workshop for your organization to learn more about how to support this population

We look forward to hearing how this resource helps you in the important work that you do.

Sincerely,

The team at the Centre for Refugee Children

*****Please note that the Settlement Resources section of the website is for Ontario only*****



Join Great Lakes, Coalition Against Bigotry-Pacific & Salaam

Monday January 15

Celebrate & Remember

*Dr. Martin
Luther King, Jr.*

Ray Cam Community Centre

920 E. Hastings & Campbell

6 to 8 pm



Looking for Volunteers!

MAP member Barry Growe is working on a wonderful initiative to welcome refugee claimant and integrate refugee families into metro Vancouver through soccer! The initiative would make it easier to connect families with financial supports for sports fees and make it easier for settlement workers to register children to play soccer.



Duties: search online to identify key registration information on the websites of Metro Vancouver's soccer leagues.

Qualifications: a desire to welcome and support refugee claimant children and families!

Please contact Barry at barrygrowe@gmail.com.



Help Improve Policing in BC by Sharing Your Experience

I have had past contact with the police or I know someone who has...

I work directly with individuals who are impacted by policing...

If you have had personal experience with the police or work directly with clients impacted by policing, **we want to hear your voice.**

As part of the provincial government's Policing and Public Safety Modernization initiative, we invite you to our sessions to give your feedback.

All feedback and participation is anonymous. Police and government authorities will not be present at the sessions.

Session Dates:

- **Abbotsford:** January 29, 2024 | 6:45-9:45pm
- **Delta:** January 30, 2024 | 6-9pm
- **Vanderhoof:** February 1, 2024 | 1-4pm
- **Quesnel:** February 2, 2024 | 1-4pm

**Session Capacity: 30 participants*

A \$25 HONORARIUM WILL BE PROVIDED TO ALL PARTICIPANTS AT THE SESSIONS.

Session Details & Registration Form: [REGISTER HERE](#)

For questions & assistance, please call 604-374-2952



"Good Morning,

My name is Saniya and I am the Manager of Programs with the John Howard Society of BC.

As part of the provincial government's Policing and Public Safety Modernization initiative, we are hosting community engagement sessions in Abbotsford, Delta, Vanderhoof and Quesnel.

We are looking to hear from individuals who have had personal experience with the police or service providers who directly work with clients impacted by policing.

We would like to invite your staff and clients to share their feedback and experience to help improve policing in BC.

Please find attached the invitation containing more details and the registration link.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (604) 374-2952.

Kind regards,
Saniya"

JohnHoward
SOCIETY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA



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A message from the CCR: New Refugee Family Reunification Initiative

Everyone agrees that family reunification is important but the Canadian process is extremely slow, especially for refugees, and there is little support for people as they go through the process. A group of people with experience in different areas of refugee support and public legal education work have formed an initiative called Refugee Family Reunification Project. We are: Janet Dench, Laurel Borisenko and Julie Mathews.

We are writing you today to ask for your input as we explore how we might begin to address the gaps related to family reunification, particularly in two areas:

- Providing tools and training to support applicants and those assisting them
- Advocating for faster reunification and better processes

In order to better understand the needs and to focus the direction of this initiative, we invite you to complete a [short survey](#). We are also interested in hearing from people who might like to contribute to this initiative in some way.

The problem: Canada's immigration program is meant to allow people to reunite with immediate family members within a reasonable length of time. However, there are usually long and cruel delays, many obstacles, few resources to support applicants, and dire implications for family members involved. The government claims that family reunification is a priority, but its choices mean that families remain separated for years. Children are often affected.

The survey: <https://survey.sogolytics.com/r/Ssa3Fj>

Please complete the survey yourself **and/or** pass it along to someone you know who might be interested, or may be directly affected.

If you prefer, you are also welcome to send us an email at reunification@mailbox.org

WEBINAR INVITATION

Integrating Trauma Informed Practice into Front Line Services for Newcomers



Date: January 25, 2024

Time: 1:00 – 2:30 pm PST

Location: Zoom

Join us for an informative webinar on the topic of **"Integrating Trauma Informed Practice into Front Line Services for Newcomers"**.

This webinar is hosted by ISSofBC's BC Refugee Hub in collaboration with AMSSA's BC Refugee Resource Network. During this session, we will explore the essential elements of Trauma Informed Practice, offering a brief introduction to this approach.

Our expert speaker will provide practical insights on how to incorporate trauma-informed practices into the daily work of front-line workers and other community stakeholders, especially when supporting newcomers and refugees. We'll emphasize the hands-on "practice" of trauma-informed care, providing tangible recommendations for organizations, front-line workers, and stakeholders, and share case studies of successful implementation. The goal is to equip professionals from various fields, including settlement services, healthcare, education, and more, with practical information to better support and integrate trauma-informed practices into their work while serving newcomer populations.

Following the presentation, we will have plenty of time for a Q&A session. Register today and be a part of this insightful webinar.

[Click here to register](#)

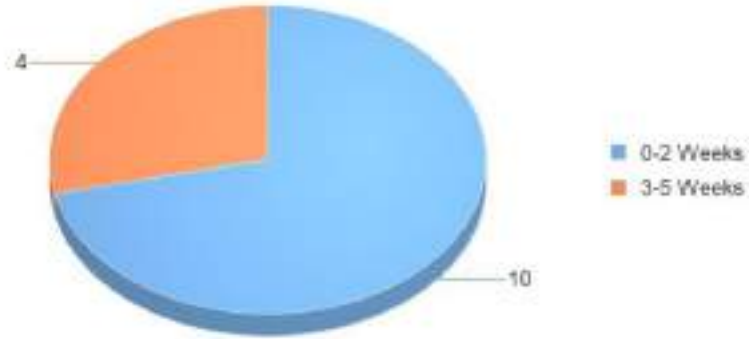


BC CHARMS REPORT – We would like to share the statistics for the month of December:

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Searching as of 31/12/2023

Families Searching by number of Weeks Searching



Families Applied: Not Contacted by a SW yet	Individuals Searching	Families Searching
0	37	14

City	Total Individuals	Total Families
Abbotsford	6	1
Richmond	7	4
Surrey	8	2
Vancouver	16	7
Total:	37	14

Families & Individuals Searching and Placed by Month 01/12/2023 - 31/12/2023

Searching in blue (Families) Placed in orange (Families)



DEC 2023

Total Families Placed by Month

Weeks to Placement	DEC 2023	Total
0-2 Weeks	4	4
Total	4	4
Avg Weeks	1.05	

Total Individuals Placed by Month

Weeks to Placement	DEC 2023	Total
0-2 Weeks	8	8
Total	8	8
Avg Weeks	1.05	

Closed Without Placement by Month

Month	Families	Individuals
Total:		

Families & Individuals Searching and Placed by Month 01/12/2023 - 31/12/2023

Families Placed by Type of Housing

Type of Placement	DEC 2023	Total
Emergency shelters	1	1
Short term - transitional housing (less than 6 months)	3	3
Total	4	4

Individuals Placed by Type of Housing

Type of Placement	DEC 2023	Total
Emergency shelters	1	1
Short term - transitional housing (less than 6 months)	7	7
Total	8	8

Unit Information 03/01/2024

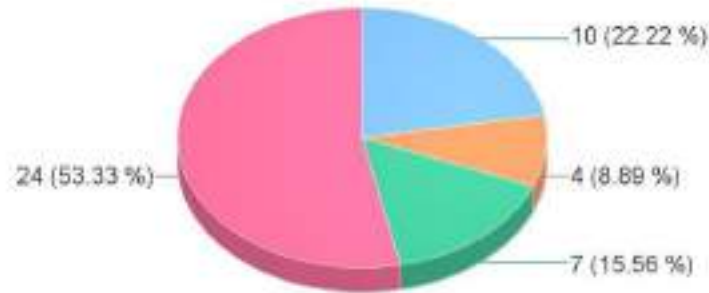
Housing Provider: An entity who provides housing, e.g., an agency or a landlord

Unit: A building or a house that the housing providers have in possession

Unit Type	City	Total Units	Current Availability	Future Availability by 3/3/24	Total Availability
Subsidized housing	Not Specified	2			
Transitional housing	Burnaby	9			
Transitional housing	Coquitlam	9			
Transitional housing	New Westminster	2			
Transitional housing	Not Specified	14	3		3
Transitional housing	Vancouver	1			

Demographic Information (Searching & Placed) 01/12/2023 - 31/12/2023

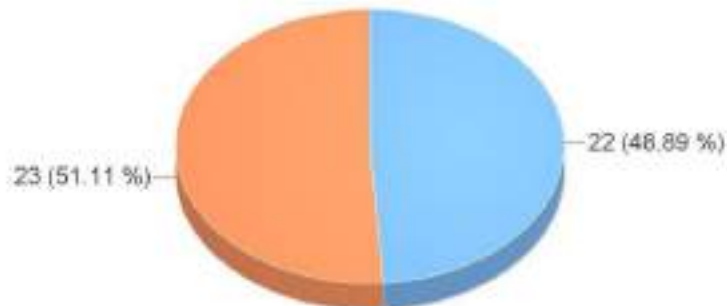
Individuals by Age (Searching & Placed)



- Under 10
- 10 - 17
- 18 - 25
- 26 - 54

Age Range	Totals
Under 10	10
10 - 17	4
18 - 25	7
26 - 54	24
TOTAL:	45

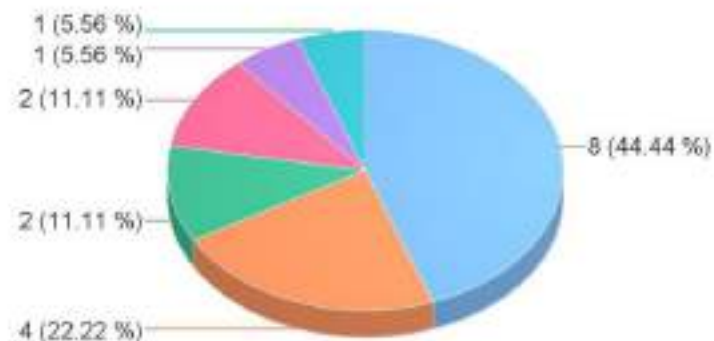
Individuals by Gender (Searching & Placed)



- Female
- Male

Gender	Totals
Female	22
Male	23
TOTAL:	45

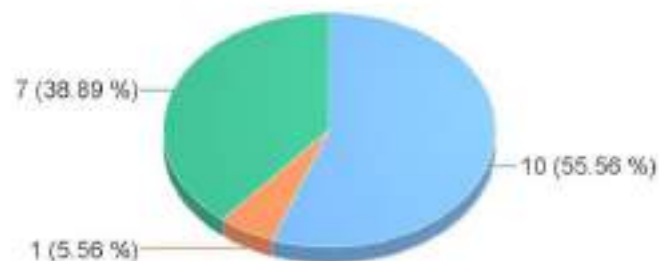
Families by Type (Searching & Placed)



- Couple with children
- Couple with no children
- Single man
- Single woman
- Single woman with children
- Unknown

Family Type	Totals
Couple with children	8
Couple with no children	4
Single man	2
Single woman	2
Single woman with children	1
Unknown	1
Totals	18

Families by Arrival Mode (Searching & Placed)

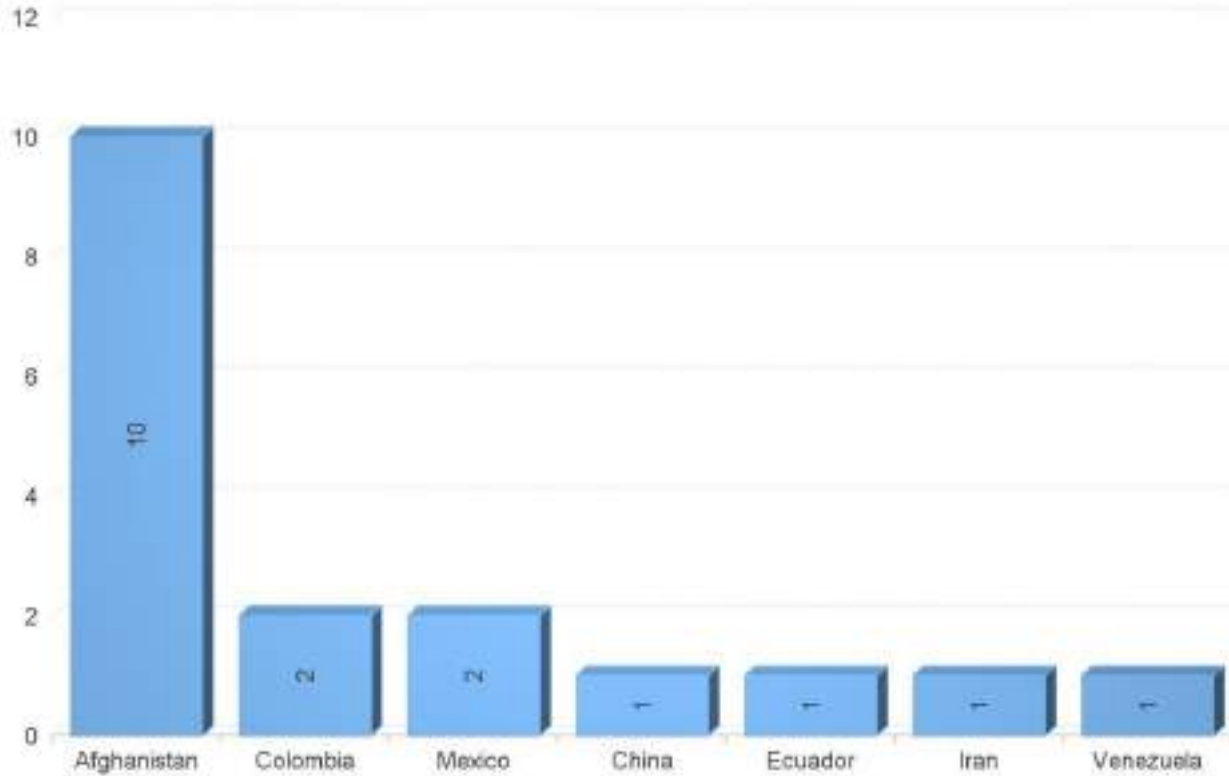


- Inland claim
- Not applicable
- Port of entry claim

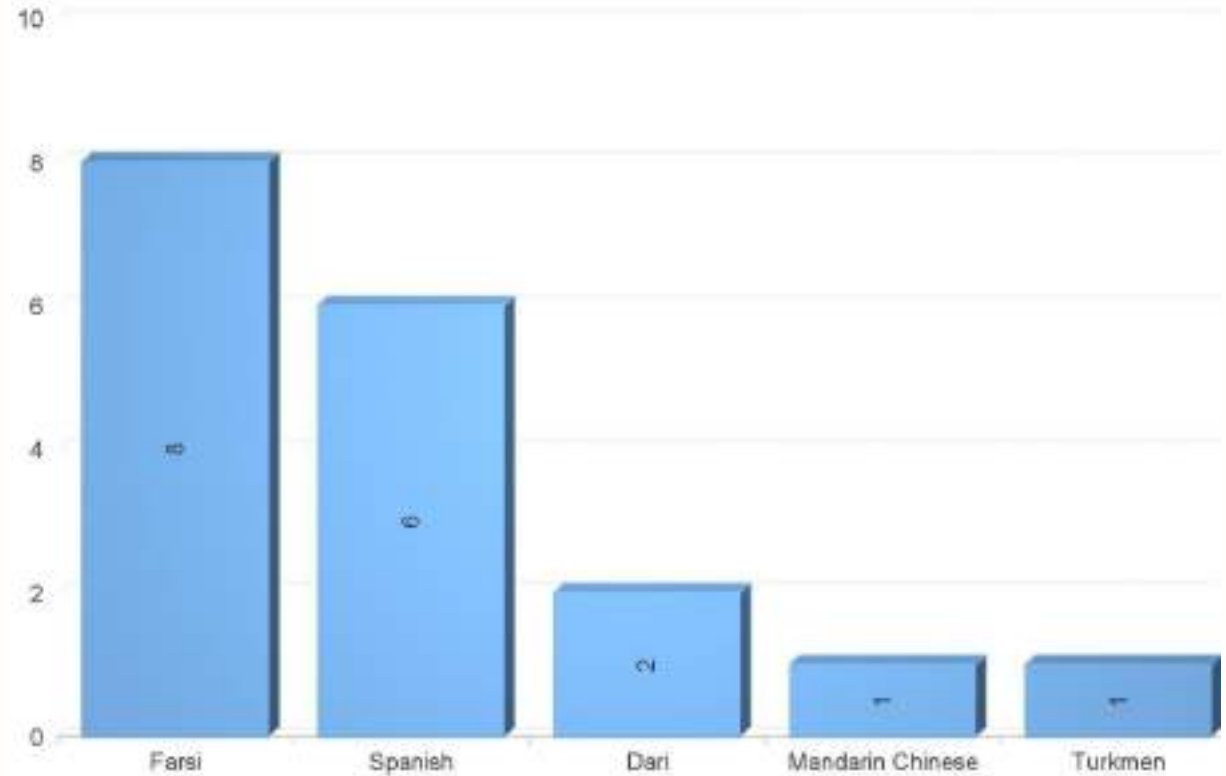
Family Type	Totals
Inland claim	10
Not applicable	1
Port of entry claim	7
Totals	18

Demographic Information (Searching & Placed) 01/12/2023 - 31/12/2023

Top 10 Countries of Origin (Searching & Placed)

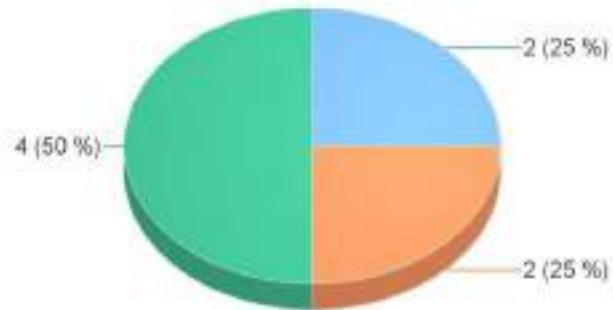


Top 10 Languages (Searching & Placed)



Demographic Information (Placed) 01/12/2023 - 31/12/2023

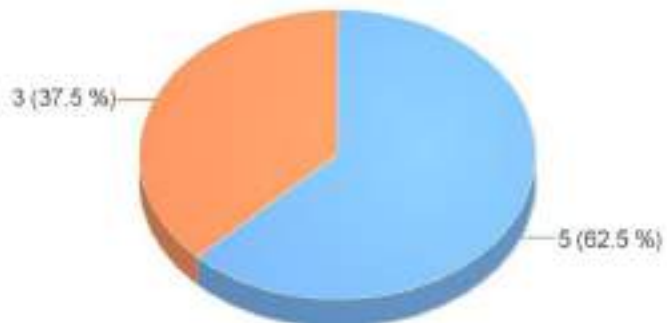
Individuals by Age (Placed)



- Under 10
- 18 - 25
- 26 - 54

Age Range	Totals
Under 10	2
18 - 25	2
26 - 54	4
TOTAL:	8

Individuals by Gender (Placed)



- Female
- Male

Gender	Totals
Female	5
Male	3
TOTAL:	8

Demographic Information (Placed) 01/12/2023 - 31/12/2023

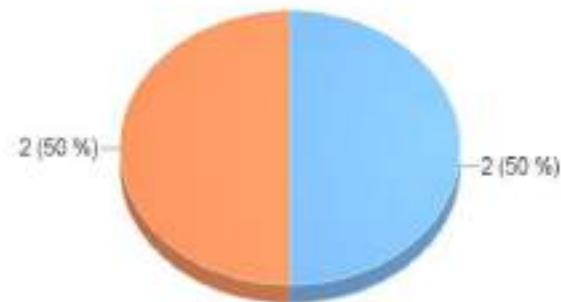
Families by Type (Placed)



- Couple with children
- Couple with no children
- Single woman
- Single woman with children

Family Type	Totals
Couple with children	1
Couple with no children	1
Single woman	1
Single woman with children	1
Totals	4

Families by Arrival Mode (Placed)

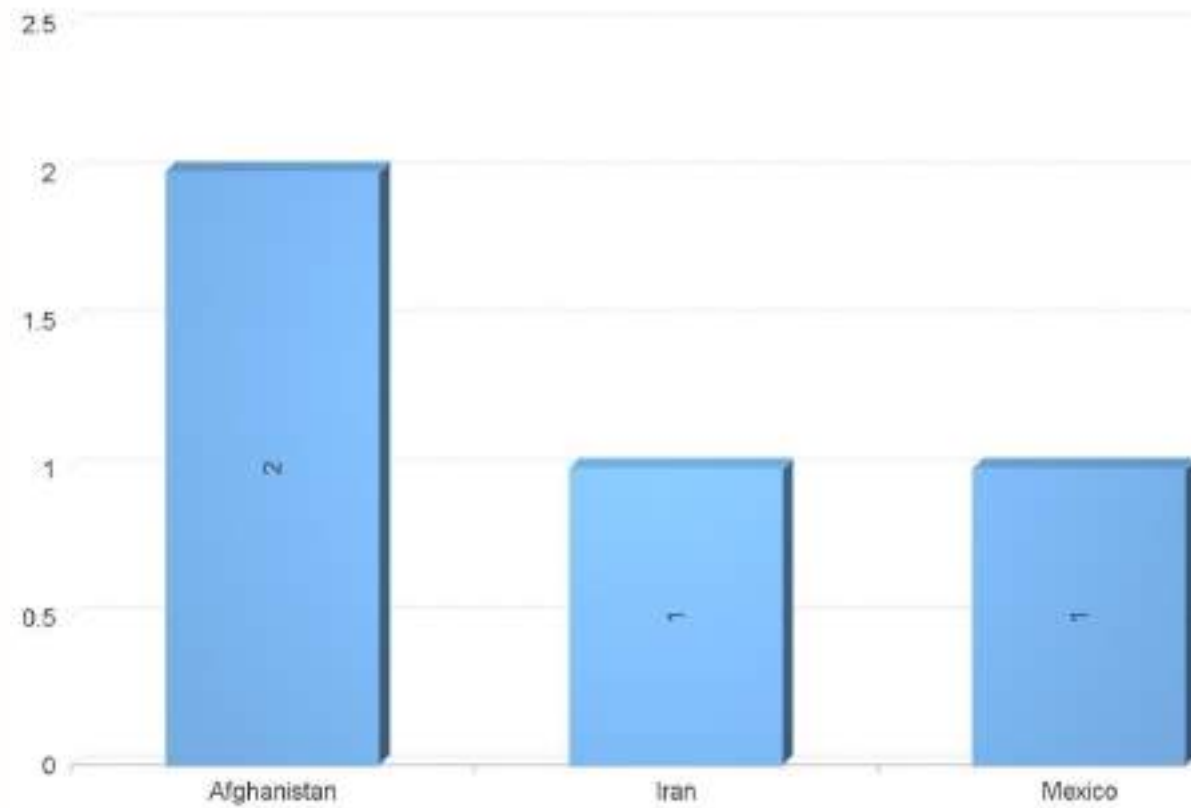


- Inland claim
- Port of entry claim

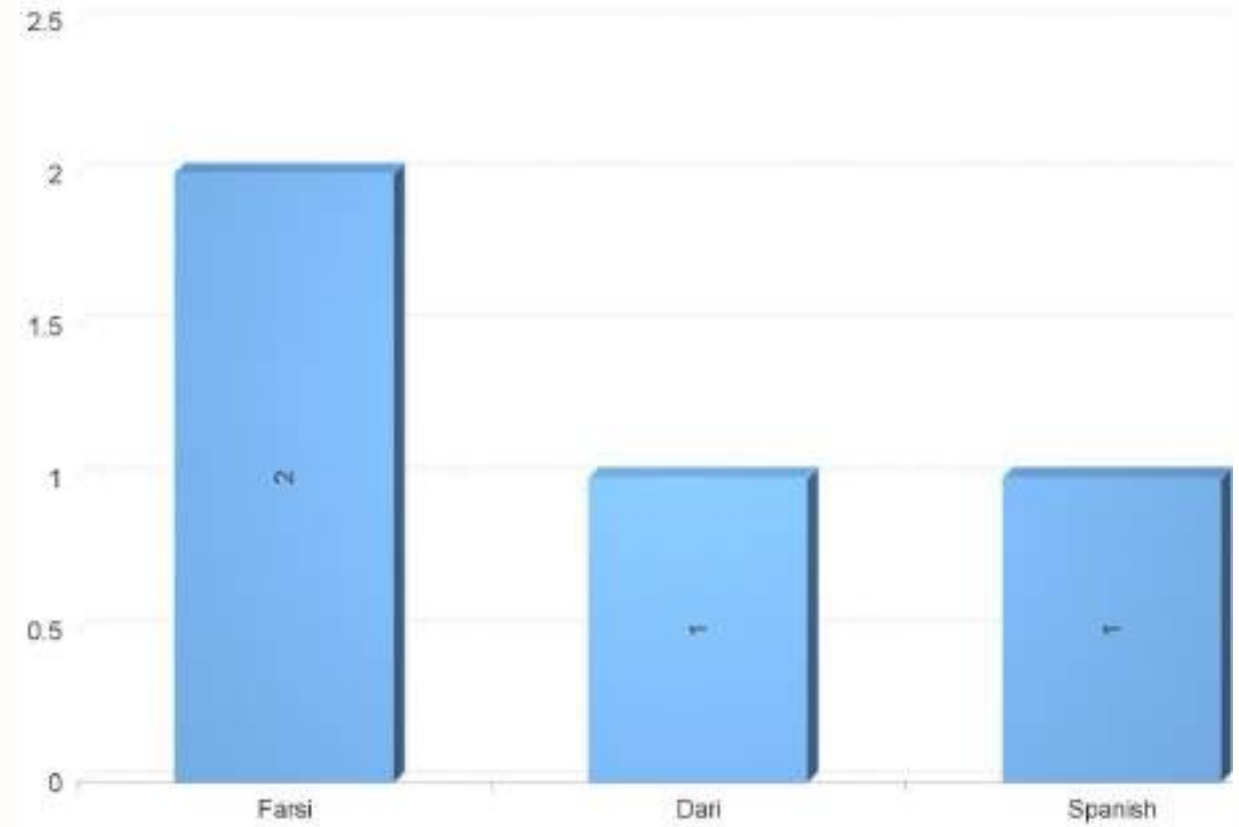
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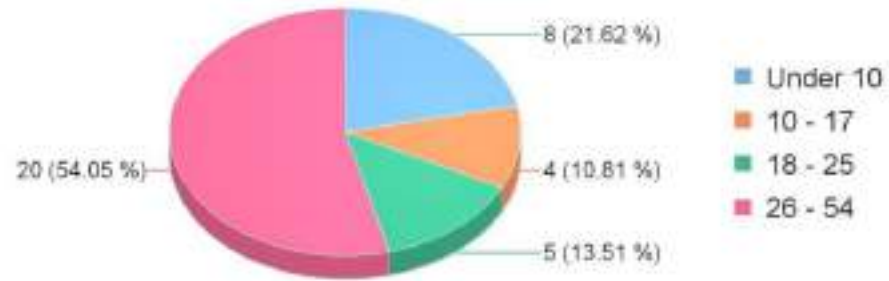
Top 10 Countries of Origin (placed)



Top 10 Languages (Placed)

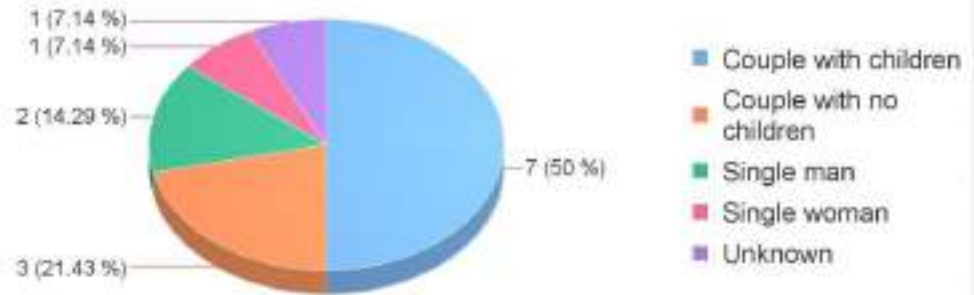


Individuals by Age (searching)



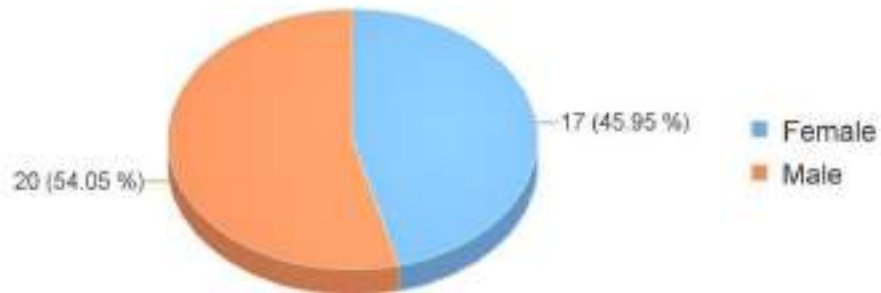
Age Range	Totals
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18 - 25	5
26 - 54	20
TOTAL:	37

Families by Type (Searching)



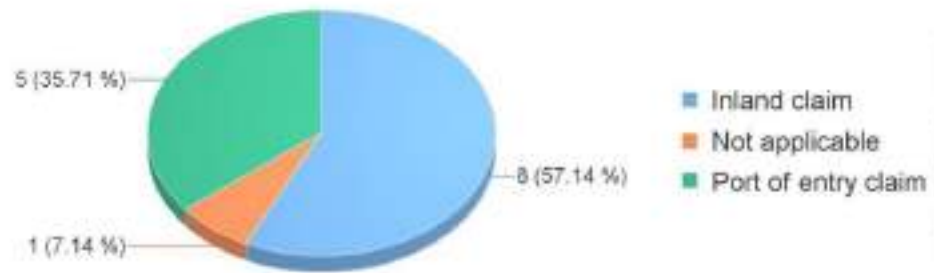
Family Type	Totals
Couple with children	7
Couple with no children	3
Single man	2
Single woman	1
Unknown	1
Totals	14

Individuals by Gender (searching)



Gender	Totals
Female	17
Male	20
TOTAL:	37

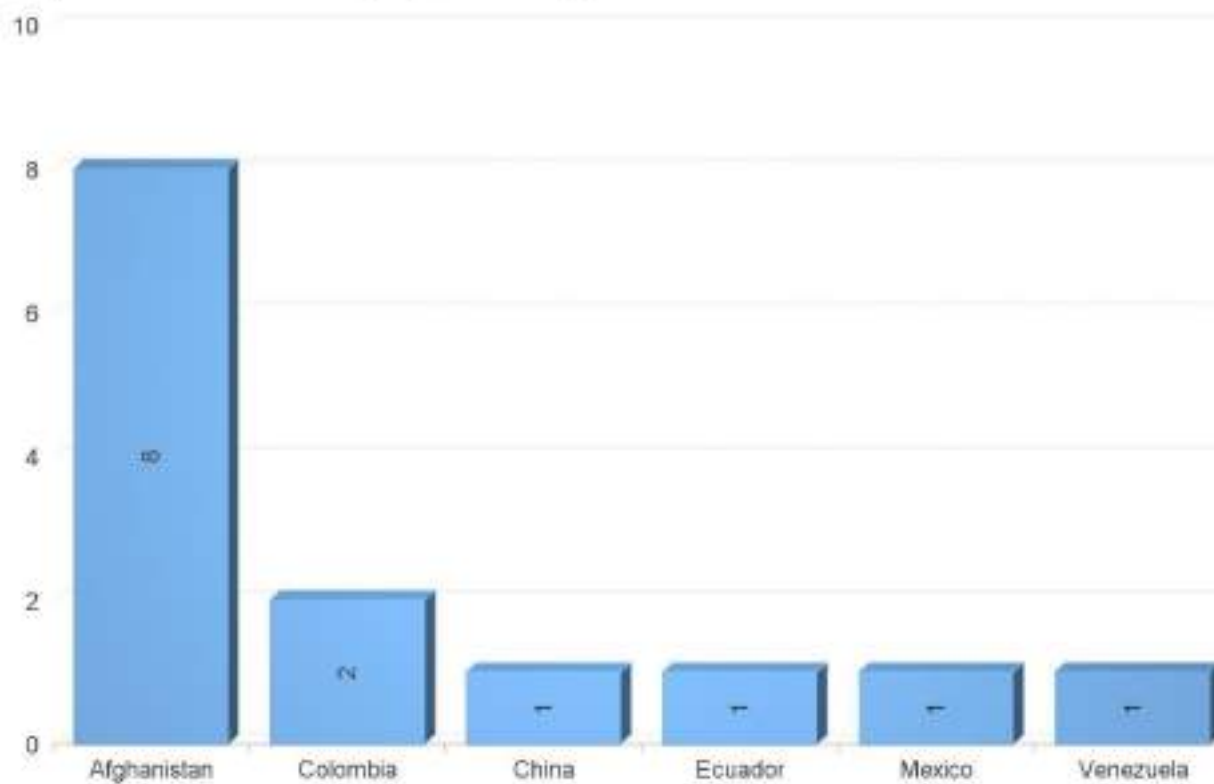
Families by Arrival Mode (Searching)



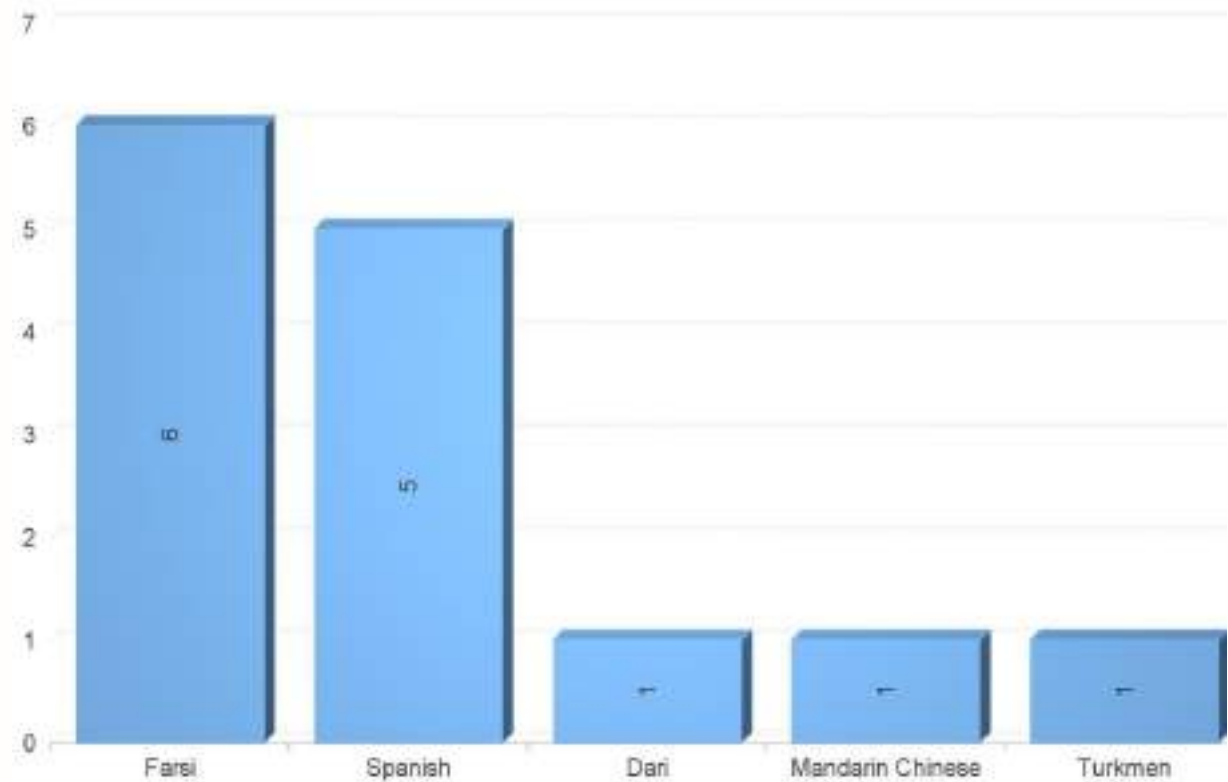
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Demographic Information (Searching) 03/01/2024

Top 10 Countries of Origin (Searching)



Top 10 Languages (Searching)



Vulnerabilities by Family

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	Searching as of 03/01/2024	Placed 01/12/2023 - 31/12/2023
Large Families (5 or more family members)	2	
Friends or Family in BC	1	1
Immediate family members outside Canada	6	
Physical Disabilities	2	
Family Members Pregnant		
<u>Financial:</u>		
Canadian Bank Account	2	
Credit Card		
<u>Employment Status:</u>		
Employed Full-Time	0	0
Employed Part-Time	0	0
Unemployed	12	3
Other	2	1
Health Issues	3	2
<u>Work Permit Status:</u>		
Received	1	0
Awaiting	3	3
Yet To Apply	6	1
Other	4	0
<u>Income Assistance:</u>		
Received	5	2
Awaiting or Yet to Apply	8	1
Other	1	1

End of report

IRCC NEWS RELEASE - Canada to launch humanitarian pathway for people affected by the conflict in Sudan

December 28, 2023—Ottawa—Canada is deeply concerned by the ongoing conflict in Sudan, and for the safety and well-being of the Sudanese people. We continue to support the people of Sudan who are striving for peace and an end to violence in the country.

Today, the Honourable Marc Miller, Minister of Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship, announced a new family-based humanitarian pathway for Sudanese and non-Sudanese nationals who resided in Sudan when the conflict began on April 15, 2023, so they can reunite on a permanent basis with their family in Canada.

To be eligible, applicants must be a child of any age, grandchild, parent, grandparent, or sibling of a Canadian citizen or permanent resident who is living in Canada. Their family connection in Canada will also need to agree to support them and help them build their new life in Canada. More information will be available on the IRCC website soon so people can prepare what they need to apply through the pathway.

These actions build on temporary immigration measures already in place for Sudanese temporary residents in Canada who may be unable to return home due to the situation in their country, and for family members of Canadians and permanent residents who fled Sudan and came to Canada before July 15, 2023.

Canada is working closely with the international community and regional partners to support a peaceful resolution of the conflict. We are also providing international assistance in Sudan, including humanitarian assistance such as funding for emergency food and nutrition assistance, clean water, hygiene, sanitation, health and protection services. We will continue to work with our partners to support efforts to address the needs of vulnerable people affected by violence and insecurity across the country.

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/news/2023/12/canada-to-launch-humanitarian-pathway-for-people-affected-by-the-conflict-in-sudan.html>



Workshop Highlights

Thursday, January 11
10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Join this workshop to learn about banking in Canada. Topics include:

- Canadian banking system
- Types of credits
- Types of investments and accounts
- Credit and credit history

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomers and immigrants.

In-person, Impact North Shore
207-123 East 15th St, North Vancouver

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government-funded and free of charge.

Funded by:



Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada

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Canadian Banking System

سیستم بانکی در کانادا

از کلیه هموطنان گرامی که تمایل دارند در مورد سیستمهای مالی کانادا اطلاع حاصل نمایند دعوت می شود در کارگاه رایگانی که به همین منظور تشکیل می شود شرکت نمایند.

این برنامه موارد زیر را پوشش می دهد

- آشنایی با سیستم بانکی کانادا
- آشنایی با انواع کارتهای بانکی، کربیت کارت و اسنور کربیت
- انواع وام و بهره بانکی
- سیستم مالیات بر حسابهای بانکی

برای ثبت نام به آدرس ذیل ایمیل زده یا به تلفن ما تماس بگیرید:

For more information and to register contact:
Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca or
604-988-2931



Workshop Highlights

Wednesdays (5 sessions)
January 31
February 14, 28
March 13, 27
11:30 am - 12:30 pm

Join this in-person clinic to learn about using digital technology and improve your digital literacy skills.

Digital Literacy Walk-In Clinic

این کلاسهای حضوری کار با کامپیوتر برای مراجعین با سواد دیجیتال سطح پایین طراحی شده است

با ما همراه باشید تا با این موارد آشنا شوید:

- مهارت های اولیه کامپیوتر مانند پر کردن فرم های آنلاین، ثبت نام برای حساب های آنلاین و دانلود برنامه ها
- استفاده از Moodle و Zoom
- عیب یابی ساده برای دستگاه های دیجیتال
- مهارت های ایمنی آنلاین مانند اجتناب از کلاهبرداری های آنلاین و تنظیم رمزهای عبور قوی.

For more information please contact:
Yvonne Xian, yvonnex@impactnorthshore.ca

Details:

This walk-in clinic welcomes clients in English, Farsi, Mandarin, Cantonese and other languages if requested.

This clinic is open to newcomers and immigrants.

In-person, Impact North Shore
207-123 15th St, North Vancouver

This program is government funded and free of charge.

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Workshop Highlights

Thursday, January 18
10:00 am – 12:00 pm

This program is for Farsi-speaking residents on the North Shore with children under 18 years of age.

Topics will include:

- COTB and GST/HST
- Child Care Subsidy
- Rental Assistance
- Question & Answer Time

Details:

This workshop is presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom

Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

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BC Family Benefits

اطلاعات مربوط به مزایای خانواده در بی سی

این جلسه برای آشنایی مهاجران با جزئیات مزایای موجود در کانادا برای خانواده‌هایی که فرزند زیر 18 سال دارند برگزار میشود و حاوی مطالب زیر میباشد:

- مزایای حق اولاد و مالیات

(Canada Child Tax Benefit, GST/ HST)

- شرایط استفاده از یارانه ثبت نام فرزند در مهد کودک

نحوه ثبت نام / فرمهای مربوطه / مدارک مورد نیاز

(Child care Subsidy)

- شرایط استفاده از کمک اجاره

نحوه ثبت نام / فرمهای مربوطه / مدارک مورد نیاز

(Rental Assistance Program)

- آدرسها و شماره های مورد نیاز

- پرسشی و پاسخ

برای ثبت نام و در صورت نیاز به کسب اطلاعات بیشتر با شماره تلفن 604-988-2931 تماس حاصل فرمایید.

For more information and to register contact:

Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca or

604-988-2931



Healthy Relationships

روابط سالم برای زوجین

از شما دعوت می شود تا در کارگاه آموزشی که به منظور یادگیری روابط سالم بین زوجین تشکیل می شود، شرکت نمایید.

موضوعات مورد بحث در ۳ جلسه:

۱- اثرات مثبت و منفی مهاجرت بر روابط زناشویی

۲- نحوه برخورد با تعارضات زناشویی

۳- زوج های موفق چگونه با هم ارتباط برقرار می کنند؟

۴- ارائه پنج الگوی روابط زناشویی

این کارگاه آموزشی به زبان فارسی، در 4 جلسه روزهای دوشنبه 22 و 29 ژانویه و 5 و 12 فوریه ساعت 6:00 صبح به صورت آنلاین برگزار خواهد شد. اطلاعات مربوط به

چگونگی دسترسی به برگ چاپ متعلقه اعلام خواهند شد.

جهت ثبت نام و یا کسب اطلاعات بیشتر با خانم پرینا پورنگ از طریق ایمیل زیر:

parisap@impactnorthshore.ca

و یا شماره تلفن، 604-988-2931 تماس حاصل فرمایید و ضمن ذکر نام و شماره تلفن خود، پیام گذاشته تا با شما تماس حاصل شود.

Workshop Highlights

Mondays (4 sessions)
January 22 – February 12
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

Join this workshop to learn about maintaining healthy relationships to support each other and your family in the settlement process.

Details:

This program will be presented in Farsi.

This program is open to newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom

Details to provided after registration.

To participate in this program, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.

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Workshop Highlights

Tuesday, January 30
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

Join this workshop to learn how to apply for Permanent Residency as a protected person or convention refugee.

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom
Details to be provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.

How to Apply for Permanent Residency as a Protected Person or Convention Refugee

توجه درخواست اقامت دائم از داخل کانادا: کارگاه آموزشی برای پناهندگان که قبولی دانشگاه را دریافت کرده اند

- اطلاعات مورد نیاز قبل از اقدام
- جمع آوری مدارک مورد نیاز
- فرم های مربوطه
- چگونه پرونده کامل خود را ارسال کنید
- انطباق و پیگیری های بعد از ارسال

این برنامه به صورت آنلاین و به زبان فارسی در تاریخ 30 ژانویه 2024 از ساعت 6:00 تا 7:30 عصر برگزار می شود.

جهت کسب اطلاعات بیشتر و یا ثبت نام با ایمیل و یا تهن زیر تماس حاصل فرمایید.

For more information and to register contact:
Gelareh Hasani, Gelarehh@impactnorthshore.ca or
Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca or
604-988-2931

این برنامه با بودجه دولت برگزار می شود و رایگان است.



Immigrant Women's Health

برنامه سلامت بانوان مهاجر

اطلاعات مهم برای دسترسی به سیستم سلامت برای شما و خانواده شما

مطلب مورد بحث در جلسه:

- اطلاعات مربوط به سلامت برای بانوان و جامعه
- اعتماد و انگیزه برای دسترسی به سرویس های سلامت
- شبکه اجتماعی و حمایتی

این جلسه شامل 9 ساعت آموزش اطلاعات سلامت می باشد

تاریخ های حضوری 9 و 23 فوریه است

خدمات مراقبت از کودک (0-5) سال همراه با میان وعده سالم برای جلسات حضوری ارائه می شود

برای اطلاعات بیشتر یا ثبت نام با 604 9882931 تماس بگیرید.

nozilas@impactnorthshore.ca

Program Highlights

Fridays (6 sessions)
January 19 – February 23
10:00 am – 11:30 am

Join this program to learn health and wellness information for you and your family and gain the confidence and motivation to access health services, as well as build your social and support networks.

Facilitator: Nazila Safari, Settlement Worker

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This program is open to women Permanent Residents, Refugees, and Citizens who are over 18.

Online via Zoom and in-person
Details provided after registration.

Childminding, including a healthy snack, for children 0-5 years is available for in-person dates (February 9 and 23).

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government-funded and free of charge.

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Mental Health & Immigration

اهمیت حفظ سلامت روان در دوران مهاجرت

از شما دعوت می‌شود تا در این جلسه بی‌آموزشی که به منظور یادگیری روشها و تکنیکهای مراقبت از خود، کاهش استرس و آرامسازی در نظر گرفته شده، شرکت نمایید.

مطلب مورد بحث در این جلسه:

- اطلاعات کلی در مورد سلامت و بهداشت روان
- استراکتهای مراقبت از خود در دوران مهاجرت مانند: بهبود سبکهای مطالعه با استرس، چگونگی زیستن در لحظه حال و مقابله با یکنواختی زندگی
- تمرینات مرتبط با آرامسازی جسمی و روانی

این کارگاه آموزشی در روز سه شنبه زانویه 16 ساعت 6 به زبان فارسی و به صورت آنلاین برگزار خواهد شد. اطلاعات مربوط به چگونگی دسترسی آنلاین به ورک شاپ متعلقا اعلام خواهد شد.

جهت ثبت نام و یا کسب اطلاعات بیشتر با خانم پارسا پورنگ از طریق ایمیل زیر: parisap@impactnorthshore.ca و یا شماره تلفن: 604-988-2931 تماس حاصل فرمایید و ضمن ذکر نام و شماره تلفن خود، پیام گذاشته تا با شما تماس حاصل شود.

Workshop Highlights

Tuesday, January 16
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

Join this workshop to learn more about self-care, mental health coping strategies and relaxation techniques.

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom
Details to be provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government-funded and free of charge.

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Middle Years Program

برنامه آموزشی آنلاین برای والدین با فرزندان مقطع دبستان

Inspired by My Tween and Me

در این جلسه، والدین در مورد مهارتهای ارتباطی و فرزندپروری که برای برخورد مناسب با کودکان دبستانی نیاز دارند، می‌آموزند. چرا که تکلیف، روابط و ارتباط موثر بین والدین و فرزندان، مشکلات فکری و روحی کودکان را بهبود می‌بخشد. برگزارکنندگان این برنامه، استراتژی‌هایی را برای مقابله با چالش‌های دشمن دبستان تا سال‌های قبل از نوجوانی با شما درمیان خواهند گذاشت تا به فرزندان کمک کنند که چگونه این برهه‌های پر از استرس و تنش کنار می‌آیند.

در این برنامه موارد زیر مطرح خواهد شد:

- قوانین مربوط به فرزندپروری در کلاس
- رشد و پرورش سالم تر فرزندان
- روابط و ارتباطات خانوادگی
- روابط فرزندان با بچه‌های همسن خودشان در مدرسه

این برنامه آموزشی رایگان می‌باشد. لطفاً برای ثبت نام و کسب اطلاعات بیشتر:

با شماره تلفن فورت شومر، مالتی کانجرال تماس حاصل فرمایید: 604-988-2931

Sara Tabatabaee, sarat@impactnorthshore.ca
Parisa Pourang, parisap@impactnorthshore.ca

Workshop Highlights

Thursdays (6 sessions)
January 25 – February 29
10:30 am – 12:00 pm

Join this program to develop skills for healthy parent-child relationships, learn how to develop communication skills with your children, and have the opportunity to meet other new immigrant families.

Details:

This program is presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomer and immigrant parents with children aged 7 – 13.

Online via Zoom
Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government-funded and free of charge.



BC Medical Services Plan (MSP)

اطلاعات مفید درباره سیستم بیمه در بی سی

- این جلسه برای آشنایی مهاجران با جزئیات سیستم خدمات درمانی در کانادا برگزار میشود و حاوی مطالب زیر میباشد
- چه کسانی واجد شرایط بیمه هستند
- نحوه ثبت نام و موارد پوشش خدمات پزشکی
- میزان حق بیمه و شرایط معافیت از آن
- تخفیف دارویی یا فرما کر / نحوه ثبت نام
- میزان تخفیف دارویی / فرمهای مربوطه
- آشنایی با برنامه تخفیف حق بیمه / نحوه ثبت نام
- آشنایی با برنامه بیمه تکمیلی فرزندان و بزرگسالان
- آدرسها و شماره های پزشکی مورد نیاز
- پرسش و پاسخ

برای ثبت نام و در صورت نیاز به کسب اطلاعات بیشتر با شماره تلفن 604-988-2931 تماس حاصل فرمائید و یا ذکر موضوع ورتکلیف ، نام و شماره تلفن خود را بکنارید تا با شما تماس گرفته شود.

For more information and to register contact:
Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca or
604-988-2931

Workshop Highlights

Tuesday, January 9
10:00 am – 12:00 pm

This program is for Farsi-speaking residents on the North Shore.

Topics will include:

- Medical Services Plan
- Fair Pharmacare
- Regular Premium Assistance
- BC Healthy Kids
- Tele-Health
- Question & Answer Time

Details:

This workshop is presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom
Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.

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Networking and Preparing for Job Fairs

استراتژیهای ارتقاء شبکه ارتباطی با کارفرمایان و مسئولین استخدام و آمادگی برای شرکت در نمایشگاه فرصتهای شغلی

- آیا به دنبال فرصتهای شغلی هستید که با تجربه کاری و تحصیلات شما مرتبط است؟ در این جلسه اطلاعات مفیدی در موارد زیر دریافت خواهید کرد:
- چگونه ارتقاء شبکه ارتباطی و راههای ارتباط با کارفرمایان و مسئولین استخدام
- نحوه آمادگی برای حضور در نمایشگاه فرصتهای شغلی
- چگونه جلب نظر کارفرمایان در یک مصاحبه کوتاه
- نحوه پی بردن کردن شغل مرتبط با تجربه و مهارتهای کاری و تحصیلی شما

محلون: شبکه غیرحسبی، حضور خدمات کارایی

این جلسه به فارسی و آنلاین برگزار می شود.

برای ثبت نام و کسب اطلاعات بیشتر با ما تماس بگیرید:

Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca
or 604-988-2931

لطفا نام، نام خانوادگی و شماره تلفن خود را برای ثبت نام ذکر نمایید.

Workshop Highlights

Thursday, January 25
10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Join this workshop to learn about networking strategies and the advantages of attending job fairs in Canada. Discover how to get the opportunity to network with industries members, speak to recruiters, and achieve your career goals.

Speaker: Sholeh Amirhassemi, CDP
Employment Services Specialist

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom
Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.



Starting Your Own Business in BC

خود اشتغالی و راه اندازی کسب کار و در استان بریتیش کلمبیا

اگر علاقمند به راه اندازی کسب و کار خود در کانادا هستید از شما دعوت می شود در جلسه ای که در تاریخ سه شنبه 16 ژانویه برگزار می شود شرکت نمایید.

در این جلسه تر خصوصی موضوعات زیر صحبت خواهد شد

- مراحل راه اندازی کسب و کار
- ساختار قانونی شرکتها در کانادا
- مراحل ثبت کردن نام تجاری و ثبت رسمی شرکت
- اخذ مجوزهای رسمی
- تکنیک های لازم بازاریابی برای شروع کسب و کار

برای ثبت نام و کسب اطلاعات بیشتر با ما تماس بگیرید

Samar Delshadmehr, samord@impactnorthshore.ca or Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca or 604-988-2931

لطفا نام، نام خانوادگی و شماره تلفن خود را برای ثبت نام ذکر نمایید.

Workshop Highlights

Tuesday, January 16
4:30 pm – 6:00 pm

Join this session if you are interested in self-employment! You will learn more about the essential steps to start your small business including market research, business structures, business registration and marketing.

Speaker: Samar Delshadmehr
Employment Services Specialist, Self Employment for Newcomers

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom

Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.

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Supporting Your Teen's Mental Well-Being

سلامت روان نوجوانان

از شما دعوت می شود تا در کارگاه های آموزشی "سلامت روان نوجوانان" شرکت نمایید.
سرفصل موضوعات:

Thursday, November 16	چگونه به سلامت روان نوجوان خود کمک کنیم
Thursday, December 14	آشنایی با خدمات بهداشت و سلامت روان برای نوجوانان در مرکز "Foundry" به صورت خصوصی
Tuesday, January 9	نوجوانان و شبکه های اجتماعی و بازی های رایانه ای - Vaping
Tuesday, February 13	چگونه ارتباط سالم و مثبت با نوجوان خود برقرار کنیم

برای ثبت نام روی لینک زیر کلیک کنید

<https://forms.office.com/r/mqB2AvJykg>

جهت کسب اطلاعات بیشتر با راهنمایان امور تحصیلی تماس بگیرید

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West Vancouver
Niloufar Forohani, niloufarf@impactnorthshore.ca

Workshop Highlights

Tuesdays and Thursdays
November 16, December 14,
January 9, February 13
6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

SWS workshop for parents & guardians of students in North Vancouver & West Vancouver School Districts

Attend this 4-session workshop series to learn from experienced certified counselors about the mental health needs and challenges of immigrant youth.

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to newcomer and immigrant parents and guardians.

In Person and Online via Zoom
Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government-funded and free of charge.



Newcomer Information Session

جلسه توجیهی برای مهاجرین تازه وارد به زبان فارسی

ایمپکت نورث شور، از شما دعوت میکند در جلسه اطلاعاتی رایگان که برای تازه واردین برگزار می شود، شرکت فرمایید. این جلسات به زبان فارسی برگزار میشود و شما با خدمات موجود در کانادا و نورث شور آشنا خواهید شد.

این جلسه حاوی اطلاعات زیر می باشد:

- آشنایی با خدمات موجود در این سازمان - برنامه های آموزشی برای خانواده ها
- یادگیری زبان انگلیسی
- زندگی روزمره در کانادا
- کرایه و تحصیل
- مسکن
- سیستم بیمه و درمان
- ارتباط با جامعه و کارهای داوطلبانه
- سیستم مالیاتی
- سیستم وسایل نقلیه عمومی
- مزایای اجتماعی
- قوانین سینیتری و تمدید بی آر کارت

For more information and to register contact:
Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca or
604-988-2931

Workshop Highlights

Friday, January 26
1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

This free orientation session will help you and your family to understand and connect to the services available on the North Shore and in Canada.

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to all newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom
Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.

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Newcomer Information Session

جلسه توجیهی برای مهاجرین تازه وارد به زبان فارسی

ایمپکت نورث شور، از شما دعوت میکند در جلسه اطلاعاتی رایگان که برای تازه واردین برگزار می شود، شرکت فرمایید. این جلسات به زبان فارسی برگزار میشود و شما با خدمات موجود در کانادا و نورث شور آشنا خواهید شد.

این جلسه حاوی اطلاعات زیر می باشد:

- آشنایی با خدمات موجود در این سازمان - برنامه های آموزشی برای خانواده ها
- یادگیری زبان انگلیسی
- زندگی روزمره در کانادا
- کرایه و تحصیل
- مسکن
- سیستم بیمه و درمان
- ارتباط با جامعه و کارهای داوطلبانه
- سیستم مالیاتی
- سیستم وسایل نقلیه عمومی
- مزایای اجتماعی
- قوانین سینیتری و تمدید بی آر کارت

For more information and to register contact:
Front Desk, office@impactnorthshore.ca or
604-988-2931

Workshop Highlights

Friday, January 12
10:00 am – 12:00 pm

This free orientation session will help you and your family to understand and connect to the services available on the North Shore and in Canada.

Details:

This workshop will be presented in Farsi.

This workshop is open to all newcomers and immigrants.

Online via Zoom
Details provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.



BC High School Graduation Requirements

شرایط فارغ التحصیلی از دبیرستانهای بریتیش کلمبیا

این شما دعوت می شود جهت استفاده از مطالب زیر که توسط یکی از مشاورین دبیرستانهای وست ونگوور ارائه میشوند، در این جلسه شرکت کنید:

- شرایط فارغ التحصیلی از دبیرستانهای بریتیش کلمبیا
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Workshop Highlights

Tuesday, January 30
1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Join this workshop to learn from a West Vancouver high school counsellor about graduating from high school in British Columbia.

Details:

This workshop will be presented in English with Farsi interpretation.

This workshop is open to newcomer and immigrant parents and guardians.

Online via Zoom
Details to be provided after registration.

To participate in this workshop, you must register as a client with Impact North Shore.

This program is government funded and free of charge.