

# Information Resources for Serving Refugee Clients

[Amnesty International](#) for country condition reports

[Bellevue/NYU Program for Survivors of Torture](#). Check out the services offered by our trainers' organization. There is a resources pages on human rights organizations.

[BRYCS – Bridging Refugee Youth & Community Service](#)

An information hub for empowering refugee and immigrant families. There is a refugee portal, monthly bulletin alert, on the main page. Subpages include: child welfare, family strengthening, schools, youth development, anti-trafficking, early childhood, and a Maya Health Toolkit for medical providers. Check out their Promising Practices page in particular, which is organized by [state](#).

[Center for Applied Linguistics](#). A nonprofit promoting access, equity and mutual understanding for culturally diverse people around the world. Its [Cultural Orientation Center](#) serving as the national technical assistance provider on both overseas and domestic refugee orientation and on the backgrounds and likely resettlement needs of new refugee groups.

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention](#), Immigrant and Refugee Health page. Contains general information on refugees and health profiles on the following [Bhutanese Refugees](#), [Burmese Refugees](#), [Central American \(Guatemalan, Honduran, Salvadoran\) Minor Refugees](#), [Congolese Refugees](#), [Iraqi Refugees](#) and [Syrian Refugees](#)

[Ethnomed](#) EthnoMed contains information about cultural beliefs, medical issues and related topics pertinent to the health care of immigrants to Seattle or the US, many of whom are refugees fleeing war-torn parts of the world. Publishes a Refugee Health Weekly Roundup.

[Gulf Coast Jewish Family and Children's Services, Refugee Program](#) provides comprehensive care for refugees, asylees, asylum seekers and survivors of torture. An important program at the agency is the [National Partnership for Community Training](#), which is a training and information resource for all aspects of refugee community health. It also provides technical assistance

Its primary objective is to build capacity in refugee mental health by promoting integrated care, providing comprehensive training, fostering collaboration among local and regional stakeholders, developing resources and innovative content, and performing and disseminating original research.

These pages are worth exploring:

- ❖ [Refugee Wellness Country Guides](#)
- ❖ [Information Guides](#)
- ❖ [Pre-recorded webinars](#)

New:

- [Promoting Resilience and Reducing Risk Factors for Refugee and Immigrant Youth: A Trauma Systems Approach](#)
- [Resilience Among Refugee Youth and Families](#)
- ❖ [Live distance learning opportunities](#)
- ❖ [Tools and Resources](#)
- ❖ [Technical Assistance Requests](#)

[Harvard Program in Refugee Trauma](#), offers [screening](#), clinical and educational tools, and cultural competence resources, among other things. There is also training in global mental health available.

[Human Rights Watch](#) for country condition reports. Current reporting on the situation of the Rohingya in Burma.

[Immigrant and Refugee Mental Health Project](#) – a project of Canada’s mental health and addiction network. Offers a [toolkit](#) and an [online course](#), among other resources.

[Office of Refugee Resettlement](#) (of the Administration on Children and Families) Information resource. Subpage on [refugee health](#).

[Office for New Americans – New York State](#) – focuses on English and job resources for immigrants. Also information for providers.

[Refugee Health Technical Assistance Center](#). Information resource. Contains a page on health of [refugees from Burma](#).

[Refugee Roundtable](#). Run by Jill Peckenpaugh, Director of the Albany USCRI office, and Dahlia Herring, a volunteer extraordinaire for refugees. Bi-monthly meeting of local groups and individuals serving refugees in the Capital Region. Meets at St. Peter’s Hospital conference room. Meeting dates this year are: January 22, April 16, June 11, August 20, October 1, December 3. Email Dahlia Herring for more information: dmazengia@nycap.rr.com

[Trinity Alliance, Refugee Community Health Partnership Program](#). Quick help for doctors appointments. Affordable Care Act materials in local refugee languages, as well as country condition reports and other resources, including the Being Health video series in the Karen language.

[US Committee for Refugees and Immigrants](#), is the local refugee resettlement organization. It’s website has some helpful [reports and resources](#).