A year of refugee arrivals

**Victoria, BC**
Statistical Highlights

**Refugee Arrivals**
*between Nov 2015 - Feb 2017*

- **245 GAR** 68 units (Government Assisted Refugees)
- **170 PSR** 47 units (Privately Sponsored Refugees & Blended Visa Office-Referrals)

**Total Arrivals**
Victoria, BC
**415**

**Age Breakdown**
*Of 325 resettled refugees residing in the CRD*

**Language Instruction for Newcomers to Canada (LINC)**
93 resettled refugees study English at ICA

**Top 3 Countries of Birth**
- Syria (29%)
- Democratic Republic of Sudan (5.0%)
- Eritrea (5.0%)

**Refugee Residences**
Of the 415 refugee arrivals to Victoria, BC, 325 were destined and continue to reside in the CRD. The remainder have relocated to Duncan and Nanaimo.