

## Refugee Statistics

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- The refugee resettlement center has been in Erie since 1919.
- 60-70% of refugees live in urban areas and 20-30% live in camps.
- 60 million people worldwide have been forced to become refugees and only 0.1% will start a new life.
- 91% of second-generation immigrants are fluent English speakers and 97% of third-generation immigrants are fluent English speakers.
- The average distance children travel to the U.S. border is 1,400 miles.
- The Obama administration raised its annual goal of Syrian refugee admissions almost sixfold to 10,000 people.

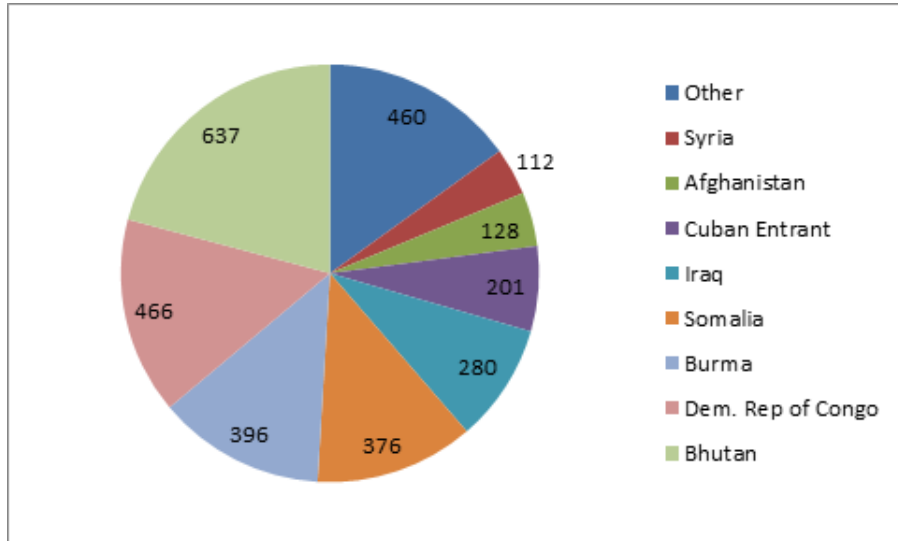
Largest Groups - Current Immigrant and Refugee numbers which span back to the later 1990s

- Bosnians (most are now US Citizens) 3,500
- Bhutanese (many are in the process of becoming US citizens) 4,000 (down from 5,000)
- Russian speaking community (outside of newly arrived Ukrainian refugees most are US Citizens) 5,000

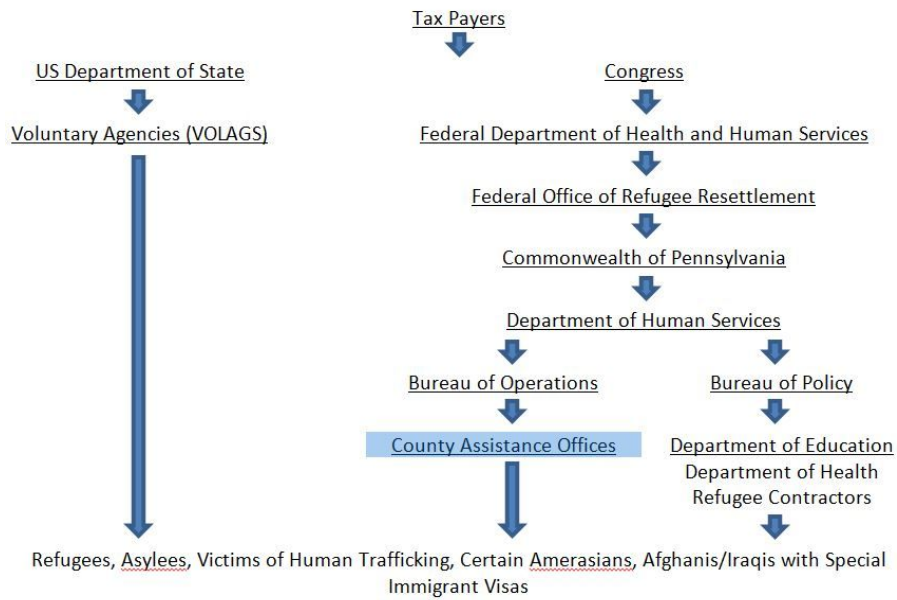
Arrival Statistics for Refugees in Pennsylvania

REGION TOTALS OCTOBER 2015 - SEPTEMBER 2016						
	REGION 1	REGION 2	REGION 3	REGION 4	REGION 5	
OCT	43	72	66	17	77	275
NOV	28	58	51	24	33	194
DEC	47	69	64	23	45	248
JAN	39	63	49	30	39	220
FEB	17	39	36	18	31	141
MAR	38	92	68	33	41	272
APR	55	90	66	37	15	263
MAY	61	79	52	20	69	281
JUN	80	134	86	7	79	386
JUL	91	101	53	29	91	365
AUG	109	102	120	48	143	522
SEP	43	139	164	36	130	512
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>1038</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>793</b>	<b>3679</b>

Total Refugees Settled in PA FFY 2014-15 (Total Refugees 3056)



In Pennsylvania, where do the funds come from?



Additional Links/Sources:

<http://refugees.org/news/pennsylvania-towns-refugee-community-on-the-rise/>

<http://www.refugeesinpa.org/aboutus/demandarrivalstats/index.htm>

<http://www.goerie.com/news/20150524/while-eries-population-sinks-refugee-community-grow>

Via Dr. Baugh's PPT

PA Nationality	Individuals	Percentage
Somalia	131	34.93%
Dem. Rep. of Congo	125	33.33%
Bhutan	55	14.67%
Iraq	21	5.60%
Ukraine	20	5.33%
Syria	16	4.27%
Ethiopia	3	0.80%
Burma	2	0.53%
Eritrea	1	0.27%
Iran	1	0.27%
<b>Total:</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

**Initial refugee resettlement numbers in Erie for the past 16 years (Catholic Charities is not included in this)**

Year	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sum of Number of Resettled
2000	357
2001	425
2002	93
2003	123
2004	95
2005	275
2006	157
2007	160
2008	318
2009	313
2010	460
2011	486
2012	449
2013	366
2014	384
2015	375
2016	472
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>5308</b>

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