

Refugee and Newcomer Resources

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<i>Canada Immigration and Citizenship Page</i>	https://www.canada.ca/en/services/immigration-citizenship.html				Government of Canada's webpage on how to immigrate to Canada
<i>Canadian Immigration For Same Sex Partners</i>	http://legit.ca/		416-392-6874		Helps same-sex couples reunite in Canada
<i>ILGA World Organizations</i>	https://ilga.org/member-organisations	https://www.instagram.com/ilgaworld/			Masterlist of partner organizations to ILGA, who advocates for queer human rights around the world
<i>Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada (IRB)</i>	https://irb-cisr.gc.ca/en/Pages/index.aspx				Responsible for making well-reasoned decisions on immigration and refugee matters, efficiently, fairly and in accordance with the law
<i>International Railroad for Queer Refugees</i>	http://irqr.ca/	https://www.instagram.com/irqrilgbt/	(1) 416 985 7456		Helps queer refugees from Turkey by providing basic necessities and sponsoring resettlement
<i>Rainbow Railroad</i>	https://www.rainbowrailroad.org/	https://www.instagram.com/rainbowrailroad/			Helps LGBTQIA+ people flee from state-sponsored violence
<i>Rainbow Refugee</i>	https://www.rainbowrefugee.com/	https://www.instagram.com/rainbowrefugee/canada/			Supports people seeking refugee protection in Canada because of persecution based on sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression (SOGIE) or HIV status
<i>RARICANow</i>	https://raricanow.org/	https://www.instagram.com/raricanow/	587 778 6178		Advocates for human rights and social change in Edmonton, including improving the quality of life for refugees
<i>The Edmonton Mennonite Centre for Newcomers (EMCN)</i>	https://emcn.ab.ca/	https://www.instagram.com/yeg.newcomers/	780 424 7709	10170 – 112 Street NW Edmonton, AB	Large amount of resources for helping refugees and newcomers in Alberta

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UNHCR	https://www.unhcr.org/	https://www.instagram.com/refugees/			Organization dedicated to saving lives, protecting rights and building a better future for refugees, forcibly displaced communities and stateless people