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WHERE TO START

The BVOR program is the quickest way of sponsoring refugees. BVOR refugees are UN-referred and government-approved. They will arrive 6 to 12 weeks after your application. Private sponsors provide six months of financial support, start-up costs and a year of settlement support. The Government of Canada pays the rest.

Groups of Five, Community Sponsors and Sponsorship Agreement Holders (and their Constituent Groups) are eligible to sponsor BVOR refugees.

To find out more, contact bvor@rstp.ca; 1.877.290.1701 x 2403, or your Sponsorship Agreement Holder.

"The quick response that we got from RSTP shows that it's a very welcoming place. When you approach them directly and need a specific answer, they're amazing."

— Barb Amsden, Sponsor, Toronto



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Refugee Sponsorship Training Program

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**RSTP has trainers across the country.
Visit our website for locations.**

RSTP's head office is located at: Catholic Crosscultural Services
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REFUGEE SPONSORSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM

The Refugee Sponsorship Training Program (RSTP) provides resources and services to meet the ongoing information and training needs of Canada's refugee sponsors. RSTP trainers across Canada guide, train and mentor refugee sponsors.

PRIVATE SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

Canadian citizens, permanent residents, organizations, associations and businesses can sponsor refugees as a Group of Five, a Community Sponsor or through a Sponsorship Agreement Holder. Private sponsors offer financial and settlement support to sponsored refugees for one year.



"Without you at RSTP I would still be filling out forms!" — Tyler Berglund, Sponsor, Hamilton

RSTP SERVICES

Workshops, webinars and e-training courses. RSTP trainers across Canada are available for group presentations.

One-on-one assistance. RSTP trainers will answer your sponsorship questions in person or by phone, and have the latest information to help you when completing sponsorship applications.

Helpful resources. Visit our website for videos, newsletters, fact sheets and a sponsorship handbook.

Sponsorship news and stories. Sign up for our e-mail list, Twitter and Facebook pages, the

RSTP Bulletin and our YouTube Channel to stay on top of sponsorship news.

A service to help you choose refugees. We help interested sponsor groups choose UN-referred refugees through the BVOR program.

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Our services are available in both English and French. We are government funded, meaning that there is no cost to you for using our services.