



REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT PROGRAM



- Since 1975, Catholic Charities has provided resettlement services to refugees from many locations around the world. **Catholic Charities follows all applicable federal, state and local laws in providing these needed humanitarian services.**
- Catholic Charities works with the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops and the Texas Office of Refugees to provide government-funded assistance to refugees and other **U.S. government-approved** individuals with legal status in the U.S.
- Catholic Charities helps refugees and other **U.S. government-approved** individuals achieve economic self-sufficiency. We address their immediate needs when they arrive in the U.S. and offer ongoing help while they adjust to their new life through cultural orientation, education, and job development.
- Refugees come to the United States to escape countries in which they are victims of war, persecution, political upheaval, or religious and ethnic discrimination. Resettling refugees provides an opportunity for the community to take an active part in offering a caring and supportive environment for refugees as they begin new lives.
- Along with three other refugee resettlement agencies in the Houston area, Catholic Charities provides a variety of services to **U.S. government-approved** individuals, including:
 - » Education programs
 - » Airport reception
 - » Cultural orientation
 - » Employment training and job placement
 - » English language instruction
 - » Financial assistance
 - » Housing
- Catholic Charities provides services to **U.S. government-approved** individuals at three locations:
 - » 2900 Louisiana Street
 - » 2900 Smith Street
 - » 600 Bering Drive

