

Different Populations



These local organizations serve newly-arrived refugees:

Arizona Immigration and Refugee Services, Inc.

10240 N. 31st Ave., #112
Phoenix, AZ 85051

(602) 944-1821

airsaz.org

Refugee:

any person who is unwilling or unable to return to their country of origin due to a well-founded fear of persecution based on race, religion, nationality, political opinion, or membership in a particular social group.

Catholic Charities Community Services

5151 N. 19th Ave.
Phoenix, AZ 85015

(602) 749-4400

catholiccharitiesaz.org/refugee-assistance

Asylum Seeker:

the same criteria above applies, however these individuals cross into another country to apply for asylum. They must demonstrate in court proceedings that his or her fear of persecution is well-founded.

Source: UNCHR

International Rescue Committee

4425 W. Olive Ave., #400
Glendale, AZ 85302

(602) 433-2440

rescue.org/united-states/phoenix-az



June 20th is World Refugee Day, an annual international day of honor.

Lutheran Social Services of the Southwest

2502 E. University Dr., #125
Phoenix, AZ 85034

(480) 396-3795

lss-sw.org/refugeeservices