

Settlement and Integration Services in Regina

Resettlement Assistance Program (RAP) for Government Assisted Refugees (GARs) Only

Airport Reception

- Arrival, Welcome and luggage claim
- Transportation to Temporary Accommodation

Service Provider: RODS | www.rodsk.ca | 306-352-3500

Reception Facilities & Orientation

- Temporary accommodation in designated housing/hotels.
- Initial Welcoming and Orientation at temporary housing
- Food, Emergency/Safety and health needs
- Incidental allowances
- Assistance with basic household needs and grocery shopping

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Foundational Services

- Meeting with RAP Counsellor - assistance of interpreter where needed
- Conduct Initial Needs Assessment
- 6 Week follow-up evaluation
- 10 Month Follow-up Evaluation and End of Assistance
- Obtaining Mandatory Documentation
- Support with form filling: Provincial Health Coverage (SHC), Canada Child Tax Benefit, GST, Social Insurance Number, Banking, etc.
- Finalization of Landing and Application for Permanent Residence
- Immigration, Refugees, and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) Orientation which includes Income Support Cheque and activation of Interim Federal Health
- Group and Individual Orientation and Information on Life in Canada (in first language)
- Supportive counselling
- Secure Permanent Accommodation, Interpretation and translation services

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Internal Program

Needs Assessment, Referral Support (NARS), Settlement Support Workers In Schools (SSWIS), Orientation Workshops for Newcomers (OWN) and Peer Leader Training Community Connections, Family programs, Case management, Youth programs, Employment

Life Skills

- Individualized/group hands on support and assistance in essential needs for GARs
- Building confidence and competencies in clients by valuing, and adding to their existing skill sets

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External Programs

- Links to Health Services
- Links to Education and Training
- Links to community service agencies

Health Assessment - Primary & Specialized Health Services

Facilitate newcomer access to health care system including assessment & linkages to health care services, information, workshop and interpretation services.

Service Provider: RODS, in collaboration with Regina Community Clinic and Regina Qu'Appelle Health Region

Front Door Services

Settlement Needs Assessment and Referral Services

- Assessment of settlement needs for newcomers
- Settlement Planning and Referrals to community services and ongoing support
- Document preparation and translation
- Para-Counselling, Linguistic and Cultural Interpretation
- Comprehensive case management

Service Providers: RODS | www.rodsk.ca
NWC | www.reginaneucomercentre.ca
RIWC | www.reginaiw.ca

Language Assessment and Referral

- All Permanent Residents (Refugees/Newcomers) are assessed at the **Language Assessment and Referral Centre (LARC)** for their language skills in Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing using the Canadian Language Benchmarks Placement Test (CLB-PT) and the Canadian Language Benchmarks Literacy Placement Tool (CLB-LPT)
- LARC refers assessed clients to IRCC funded language classes (LINC)
- LARC services are currently available in Saskatoon and Regina
- **Newcomer Welcome Centre (NWC)** continues to assess Temporary Foreign Workers for their Language levels using the Canadian Language Benchmarks tools
- Clients assessed at the Newcomer Welcome Center are referred to Provincial Language Training Programs (Stage 1 & 2 English Language)

Service Provider: IWS www.larcsaskatchewan.org | 306.525.5272
NWC | www.reginaneucomercentre.ca | 306-352-5775

Regional Gateway Services - Newcomer Welcome Centre

- Assisting newcomers settling into the Regina and Gateway area (outside Regina)
- Providing Provincial Language Assessment for work and career purposes
- Facilitate newcomer access to up to date information about settlement, employment, education, language classes and language interpretation
- Referrals to settlement programs: Federal, Provincial and other public services
- Walk-in services, computer access and telephone, free use of office equipment such as printer, fax, copying
- School orientation and assessments for all school age Newcomer children wishing to register with the Regina Public, Catholic, and the Conseil des Ecole Fansaskoises school divisions

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