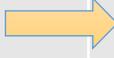


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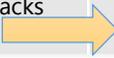
Vision	<i>Newcomers have an opportunity to settle and thrive in French and to make a positive contribution to Canadian society and the vitality of Francophone communities. This is supported by a Francophone integration pathway, which begins before they arrive in Canada and continues until they obtain citizenship.</i>
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Support for strategic priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promote the delivery of high-quality settlement services to ensure the successful arrival of new Canadians (<i>mandate letter</i>); Support the vitality of Francophone communities by strengthening ties between Francophone immigrants and communities (<i>2018-2023 Action Plan for Official Languages</i>); Major component of the future IRCC Francophone immigration strategy; Support the attraction, integration and retention of immigrants in Francophone communities.
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Francophone integration pathway	<p>In the past</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Newcomers are not aware of these communities or the services they provide Few referrals to Francophone organizations Incomplete or inconsistent range of French services, and sometimes low-quality services Program parameters are not well adapted to the realities of communities 	<p>Moving forward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Newcomers make informed decisions and have complete information on the services provided by Francophone organizations French-speaking newcomers are systematically referred to Francophone organizations Newcomers have access to a full range of French settlement services provided by Francophone organizations in targeted centers Innovative and adapted delivery channels for smaller remote areas Parameters of the settlement program are adapted to the needs of Francophones
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Joint planning with communities	<p>In the past</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limited Francophone presence on the NSC CFP consultations lack a Francophone lens Funding not aligned with community planning for RIFs Funding for individual proposals lacks consistency 	<p>Moving forward</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increased Francophone representation on the NSC Regional Francophone summits for the 2019 CFP and OLAP Co-planning sessions with RIFs Community-based funding for the Welcoming Francophone Communities Initiative
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Implementing the pathway	Improved and adapted settlement services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reinforcement of french pre-departure and one-stop services Adapted language training Services at Pearson Airport Full range of services in targeted centers Improved and adapted service delivery for remote Francophone regions
	Welcoming Francophone communities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Francophone summits, advisory council for each welcoming community Submission of community plan for each welcoming communities
	Strengthened Francophone settlement sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Professional development and capacity building for direct service providers and RIFs coordinators Implementation of a national approach