

Refugee Placement by Metro Area
Total of Past 10 Years

Metro Areas with The Most Refugee Placements

Rank	Metro Area	Number of Refugee Placements in Past 10 Year
1	San Diego, CA	27,075
2	Dallas-Fort Worth, TX	26,950
3	Atlanta, GA	26,322
4	Phoenix, AZ	22,811
5	Los Angeles, CA	22,217
6	Houston, TX	19,958
7	Chicago, IL	18,538
8	Detroit, MI	18,163
9	Seattle, WA	16,882
10	Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN	16,255
11	Denver, CO	13,583
12	Miami, FL	13,420
13	Buffalo, NY	12,509
14	Indianapolis, IN	11,549
15	Portland, OR	10,281
16	Salt Lake City, UT	10,250
17	Louisville, KY	10,129
18	Columbus, OH	9,957
19	Nashville, TN	9,871
20	Syracuse, NY	9,532
21	Kansas City, KS	9,387
22	Tucson, AZ	8,397
23	Washington, DC	8,384
24	Sacramento, CA	8,061
25	Jacksonville, FL	7,452
26	Milwaukee, WI	7,338
27	Greensboro, NC	7,125
28	Philadelphia, PA	6,966
29	Boise City, ID	6,918
30	Omaha, NE	6,596
31	San Antonio, TX	6,550
32	Rochester, NY	6,336
33	Cleveland, OH	6,333

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34	Tampa, FL	6,256
35	St. Louis, MO	6,237
36	Charlotte, NC	6,071
37	Erie, PA	5,980
38	Austin, TX	5,938
39	Baltimore, MD	5,764
40	Grand Rapids, MI	5,725
41	Boston, MA	5,722
42	Lansing, MI	5,526
43	Des Moines, IA	5,484
44	New York City, NY	5,481
45	Las Vegas, NV	5,275
46	Springfield, MA	5,152
47	Amarillo, TX	4,684
48	Utica, NY	4,494
49	Akron, OH	4,483
50	Spokane, WA	4,293
51	Pittsburgh, PA	4,177
52	Raleigh, NC	4,143
53	Worcester, MA	4,104
54	Sioux Falls, SD	4,007
55	Lancaster, PA	3,779
56	Bowling Green, KY	3,653
57	Fargo, ND	3,479
58	Albany, NY	3,190
59	San Jose, CA	3,184
60	Durham, NC	3,045
61	San Francisco, CA	3,045
62	Burlington, VT	2,992
63	Fort Wayne, IN	2,979
64	Modesto, CA	2,815
65	Rockford, IL	2,739
66	Richmond, VA	2,731
67	Lincoln, NE	2,490
68	Hartford, CT	2,480
69	Portland, ME	2,284
70	Abilene, TX	2,239
71	Orlando, FL	2,235
72	Manchester, NH	2,155
73	Albuquerque, NM	2,071
74	Virginia Beach, VA	1,993
75	Charlottesville, VA	1,959

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76	New Haven, CT	1,868
77	New Bern, NC	1,857
78	Providence, RI	1,799
79	Harrisburg, PA	1,796
80	Memphis, TN	1,770
81	Davenport, IA	1,761
82	Cincinnati, OH	1,743
83	Kennewick, WA	1,741
84	Roanoke, VA	1,710
85	Dayton, OH	1,657
86	Harrisonburg, VA	1,616
87	Battle Creek, MI	1,577
88	Knoxville, TN	1,563
89	Tulsa, OK	1,543
90	Wichita, KS	1,431
91	Oklahoma City, OK	1,422
92	St. Cloud, MN	1,401
93	Scranton, PA	1,387
94	Columbia, MO	1,299
95	Mobile, AL	1,295
96	Columbia, SC	1,274
97	Baton Rouge, LA	1,122
98	Greeley, CO	1,082
99	Colorado Springs, CO	1,065
100	Anchorage, AK	956
101	Grand Forks, ND	941
102	Allentown, PA	887
103	Owensboro, KY	874
104	Rochester, MN	825
105	Chattanooga, TN	757
106	Oshkosh, WI	633
107	Trenton, NJ	609
108	Ann Arbor, MI	592
109	Tallahassee, FL	573
110	Madison, WI	549
111	Wilmington, NC	547
112	Naples, FL	493
113	Bridgeport, CT	402
114	Cedar Rapids, IA	369
115	Lafayette, LA	356
116	Alexandria, LA	345
117	Savannah, GA	344

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118	Winston, NC	341
119	Lewiston, ME	337
120	Asheville, NC	298
121	Cape Coral, FL	291
122	Midland, TX	289
123	Fresno, CA	229
124	Bakersfield, CA	218
125	Sheboygan, WI	213
126	Toledo, OH	199
127	Atlantic City, NJ	174
128	Bismarck, ND	161
129	Riverside, CA	153
130	El Paso, TX	152
131	Binghamton, NY	147
132	North Port, FL	144
133	Waterloo, IA	128
134	South Bend, IN	108
135	Green Bay, WI	107
136	Grand Island, NE	103
	Non-Metro Areas	6,898
	Places with Fewer than 100 Placements over 10 Years	36,665
	United States Total	683,814

Fiscal Policy Institute analysis of WRAPS data, January 2007 to end of 2016. Included are all locations with a placement of at least 100 refugees over the 10-year period.