79.5 MILLION Forcibly Displaced

Persons Worldwide 49.3M Displaced Persons

26M Refugees 4.2M Asylum

The historic average of refugee arrivals in

the U.S. each year is 95,000 individuals.

of refugees resettled in the U.S. in **58%** of the world's refugees come from four countries **32%** FY20 were hosted in four states 2.2M 1.188 6.6N 1.108 902 623 South Venezuela Afghanistan **Syria** Sudan California Washington **New York** Texas **U.S. REFUGEE ADMISSIONS** *President Biden promises to 🔸 125,000 welcome 125k refugees in 2022 3 MILLION *President Biden quadrupled -**REFUGEES HAVE BEEN** the FY21 refugee ceiling to **RESETTLED IN THE U.S. SINCE 1975** 62.500 admisisons 500 <u>5</u>2. 53.716 **RESETTLEMENT IN OUR COMMUNITY** (FY20 arrivals through LSSNCA) 30,000 282 517 262 **11,841** Virginia Maryland Refugees resettled in the DMV are predominantly SIVs FY21 **FY17 FY18 FY22** and come from Afghanistan (94%).

Infographic statistics pulled from UNHCR and Refugee Processing Center Statistics 2020

REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT KINOW THE FACTS

MIGRANT: a person who moves from one place to another, especially in order to find work or better living conditions.

REFUGEE: Someone who has been forced to flee his or her country because of persecution, war or violence. A refugee has a well-founded fear of persecution due to race, religion, nationality, political opinion or membership in a particular social group.

ASYLEE: a person who meets the definition of refugee and is already present in the United States or is seeking admission at a port of entry.

SIV: a special immigrant visa (SIV) is issued to Afghans & Iraqis who worked as translators or interpreters, or who were employed by, or on behalf of, the U.S. government and whose lives were threatened due to their work supporting the U.S. mission.

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