

# UTAH REFUGEE in 2022 CONNECTION

## MISSION STATEMENT:

Creating meaningful connections between refugees and the established community. We partner with and support many groups who serve refugees in Utah. We fill many gaps in services.

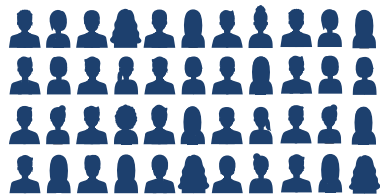
helping people  
**SERVE**  
refugees



Our goals include helping the general community have meaningful ways to LEARN ABOUT, SERVE and GIVE to local refugees. Additionally, we support and incentivize refugees to help themselves. Our goal is to help refugees to live self-sufficient and happy lives.

helping people  
**GIVE**  
to help refugees

DONATE



**43,047** REFUGEES  
SERVED BY OUR  
LOCAL SHAREHOUSE  
AND EVENTS

helping people  
**LEARN**  
about refugees



Utah Refugee Connection is a small nonprofit filling gaps in services for the over 65,000 refugees resettled in Utah. We do this with 5 part-time employees and a huge amount of community support.



SOCIAL MEDIA REACH OVER **26,000**  
VIA OUR "SERVE REFUGEES"  
AND OTHER SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES:



over  
**\$1 MILLION**  
IN IN-KIND DONATIONS  
COLLECTED & DISTRIBUTED  
THROUGH OUR SHAREHOUSE



OUR SHAREHOUSE COLLECTS AND DISTRIBUTES  
**THOUSANDS**  
OF →

DIAPER  
PACKAGES

2,080

CLEANING  
KITS

4,823

HYGIENE  
KITS

3,347

MENSTRUAL  
PACKAGES

1,961

## ORGANIZATIONS WE WORK WITH:

- GRANITE SCHOOL DISTRICT
- WORKFORCE SERVICE REFUGEE SERVICE OFFICE
- PROMISE SOUTH SALT LAKE
- LDS INNER CITY MISSIONARIES
- WOMEN OF THE WORLD
- CATHOLIC COMMUNITY SERVICES
- INTERNATIONAL RESCUE COMMITTEE
- ASIAN ASSOCIATION IMMIGRATION AND REFUGEE CENTER



LEARN  
SERVE  
GIVE

SERVE REFUGEE DONATIONS SHAREHOUSE  
COLLABORATION BETWEEN UTAH REFUGEE CONNECTION  
AND GRANITE SCHOOL DISTRICT IS CURRENTLY LOCATED  
AT 3134 SOUTH 300 EAST, SOUTH SALT LAKE

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**REFUGEE**  
CONNECTION  
SERVEREFUGEES.ORG

## SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS OF:



# 2022

- PROVIDED **\$25,000 IN GIFT CARDS** TO HELP REFUGEE FAMILIES WITH FOOD AND GAS.
- HELPED REFUGEE WOMEN HAVE ACCESS TO **1,000 PACKAGES** OF MENSTRUAL SUPPLIES.



- PROVIDED **5,000 BACKPACKS** & SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY REFUGEE STUDENTS.

- BEGAN DISTRIBUTING INCENTIVE FOR **REFUGEE TEENS** ATTENDING PROSOCIAL PROGRAMS
- DISTRIBUTED **300 HALLOWEEN COSTUME KITS** TO LOCAL REFUGEE CHILDREN.
- LOGGED OVER **700 VOLUNTEER HOURS**.
- **500 FAMILIES** SERVED AT CHRISTMAS.
- HELPED **150+ FAMILIES** HAVE MUCH NEEDED **CAR SEATS**. EACH WAS TRAINED ON HOW TO INSTALL THEM CORRECTLY.
- PROVIDED **457 MEALS** FOR REFUGEES.
- OUR "SERVE REFUGEES" **amazon** REGISTRY FULFILLED **\$43,000** IN ITEMS BENEFITING LOCAL REFUGEES



### UTAH REFUGEE CONNECTION BOARD MEMBERS:

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