

Quick Facts ALBERTA | 2023-2024 (Re)Settlement Program

IRCC’s **Settlement Program** provides services that enable permanent residents (PR), including refugees and protected persons, to contribute to the economic, social, and cultural development needs of Canada.

IRCC’s **Resettlement Program** (RAP) provides immediate essential services and financial support for government-assisted refugees (GAR) upon their arrival in Canada. Privately sponsored refugees (PSR) and blended visa office-referred (BVOR) refugees are eligible for limited RAP services at ports of entry.

(Re)Settlement services are funded through contribution agreements and delivered by third-party service provider organizations (SPOs).



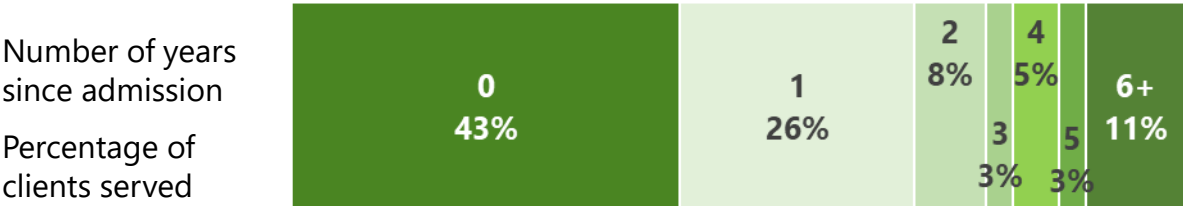
Alberta’s Key Figures:



Service Type	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	% change
Needs and Assets Assessment and Referrals	26,138	25,207	42,653	53,840	+26%
Information and Orientation	41,612	44,360	66,045	79,370	+20%
Employment-related Services	8,099	8,962	12,918	13,835	+7%
Language Assessment	4,836	8,891	17,789	24,923	+40%
Language Training	13,891	14,398	18,473	22,806	+23%
Community Connections	7,274	9,192	13,323	14,795	+12%
Support Services	16,461	15,435	27,673	34,553	+25%
Service Delivery Improvement	-	79	210	212	+1%
Resettlement Assistance Program	934	5,490	10,769	10,774	+0%
Total Unique Clients	53,021	58,450	86,745	108,023	+25%

Since a client can receive multiple services, the sum of clients by service type may be higher than the total unique clients. The total unique clients counts each client only once regardless of how many services they have received.

11% of clients receiving (re)settlement services in Alberta in 2023-2024 had been in Canada for 6 or more years.



Those receiving services beyond six years were largely refugees (40%) and sponsored family (29%).

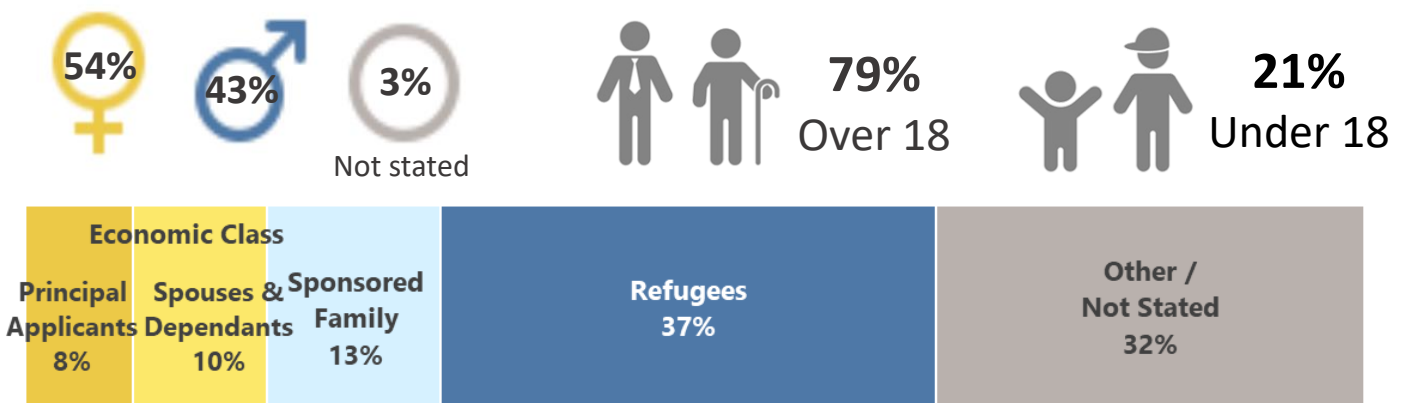


There were **6,499** Afghan clients (**6%**) and **29,278** Ukrainian clients (**27%**) in 2023-2024.



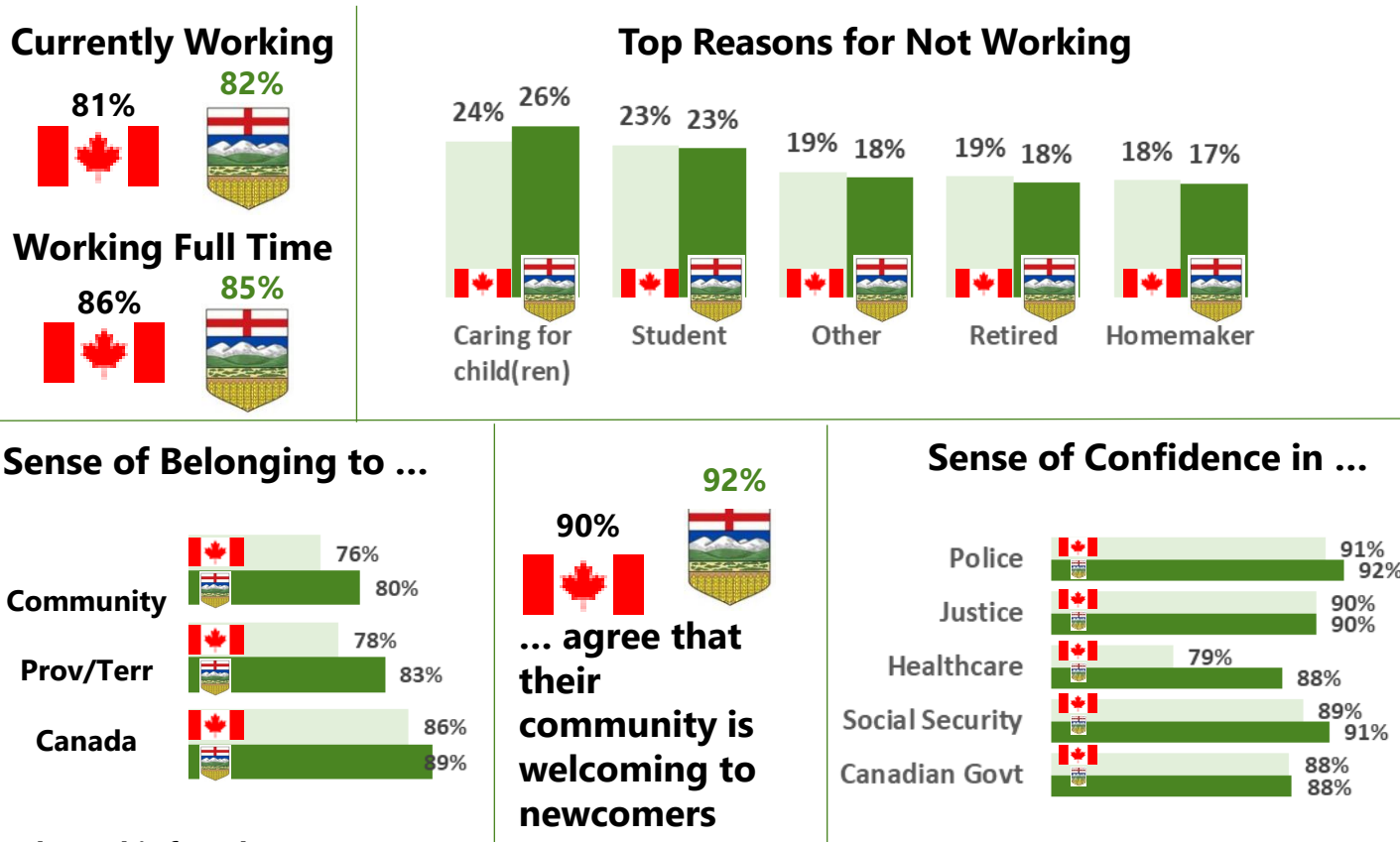
Without these clients, there would have been **72,246** clients of (re)settlement services, compared to **108,023**.

Demographics of (Re)Settlement Service Clients Served in Alberta in 2023-2024



Top Countries of Birth			Official Languages Spoken		Top Languages of Service	
	Ukraine	26%	English	54%	English	84%
	Eritrea	8%	French	2%	Ukrainian	11%
	Afghanistan	7%	Both	3%	Arabic	7%
	India	6%	Neither	28%	Tigrigna	5%
	Syria	5%	Not stated	13%	French	4%

Settlement Outcomes of Newcomers in Canada and Alberta



About this fact sheet ...

Data Sources: IRCC Settlement Services and Permanent Resident Cubes, June 2024 data (data extracted September 2024); Newcomer Outcomes Survey, 2022+2023 Survey Waves.

Data caveats and notes:

- Data includes pre-arrival and domestic settlement, resettlement assistance program, service delivery improvement, and pilot programs reported by IRCC-funded Service Provider Organizations.
- "Other" category includes Humanitarian category and Not Stated (Non PRs).
- "Refugees" includes Resettled Refugees and Protected Persons.
- Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.
- Knowledge of official languages is self-reported.
- Data reflects reporting by SPOs at the time of the tabulation. Reports, for the same period and produced at different times, may contain slightly different data. This occurs due to on-going data entry by SPOs, resulting in changes. IRCC is actively reviewing data quality and integrity.
- Permanent resident data is preliminary and subject to change.

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