

# REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT TEAM #2

فريق مساعدة اللاجئين #٢

[www.refugeeteam2.org](http://www.refugeeteam2.org)

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**Who We Are:** A group of volunteers who are committed to peace and social justice by helping refugees. Our team includes community activists of all ages: professors, teachers, students, financial advisors, filmmakers, homemakers, seniors and scientists.

**Our Mission:** To provide transitional support to refugees in Pomona & San Gabriel Valleys as refugees work to gain their independence.

**What We Do:** Fundraise to supplement refugees' rent, provide furniture, transportation; assist registration for social services, schools, medical appointments and English language classes.

**Our Resettlement Agency:** *IRIS (Interfaith Refugee and Immigration Service)* a non-profit organization based in Los Angeles that offers refugee resettlement assistance, employment placement services and immigration legal aid.

**Our Partners:** *Organizations with networks and connections to strengthen our efforts.*

- Claremont Presbyterian Church, Claremont, CA
- Islamic Center of Claremont, Pomona, CA
- Monte Vista Unitarian Universalist Congregation, Montclair, CA
- Pomona Presbyterian Church, Pomona, CA
- Temple Beth Israel, Pomona, CA
- The American Institute for Progressive Democracy (nonpartisan)

**Our Advocates:** *People who commend, share and publicly support our work.*

- Ann R. Schiff, President & CEO, Pilgrim Place, Claremont, CA
- Barbara Aswad, PhD, Professor Emerita of Anthropology, Wayne State University, Michigan
- Mahmoud Tarifi, Officer at Islamic Center of Claremont & Leader in the Muslim community
- Thomas Thorward, President, *Next Generation Solutions, Inc.*, a software development firm
- Zayn Kassam, PhD, Author & Professor of Religious Studies, Pomona College, CA
- And more . . .

**Our Supporters:** YOU

**Donate:** Go online to [www.refugeeteam2.org](http://www.refugeeteam2.org) or make checks payable to:

Claremont Presbyterian Church\*

or

Temple Beth Israel\*

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3033 N Towne Ave, Pomona, CA 91767

Please write "Refugee Resettlement Team #2" or "RRT #2" in memo.

All funds donated will go directly to refugee families. Thank you for your support.

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\*Temple Beth Israel tax ID # 95-2111157. Both are tax-exempt 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations. All donations are tax-deductible to the extent permitted by law.

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