



The IRC in Atlanta 2016: The Journey

PRE-ARRIVAL & RECEPTION

The IRC in Atlanta welcomes refugees, like Nanda, fleeing violence and persecution in their home countries and assists them in rebuilding their lives here in Georgia.



The IRC rents and furnishes an apartment for Nanda and her family.



In 2016 the IRC in Atlanta resettled **1,081** people from **23** different countries.

FIRST MONTH

A case manager helps Nanda navigate the cultural adjustment process and meet her immediate needs.



394 refugee children were enrolled in school, all within **30** days of arrival.

100% of newly-arrived individuals received healthcare services through the IRC's Health & Wellness Program.

HEALTH & WELLNESS



Nanda receives health screening and specialized support for survivors of torture.

EDUCATION

Nanda attends cultural orientation, language classes and job skills training.



Refugee clients attended **56,463** hours of instruction at the IRC in Atlanta in 2016.



An IRC employment specialist helps Nanda find full-time work with benefits to meet her family's needs.

SELF-SUFFICIENCY

88% of newly-arrived refugee households were employed and self-sufficient within the first **6** months of resettlement.

CITIZENSHIP



After 5 years of residency and with IRC help, Nanda applies for naturalization and becomes a U.S. citizen.

YOU MAKE ALL THIS POSSIBLE!

Thanks to the support of our generous donors and volunteers, the IRC served **4,067** individuals across all of our programs in 2016.

Join us in 2017 as we continue to serve these courageous individuals who enrich the communities of Georgia.

Please donate today!