How You Can Help Refugees in 2019

Jewish Family Services of Silicon Valley is the ONLY agency resettling refugees in Santa Clara County. Here are some ways you can help refugees:

Become educated
Did you know: Over 700,000 refugees have resettled in the United States since 9/11. During that time, not a single one has carried out an act of terror.

Learn more about how JFS resettles refugees each year in Silicon Valley, helps them get their first jobs in America, and teaches them to become responsible citizens.
- Tour our program and meet our staff. Contact Zoya Lazer: zoyal@jfssv.org or (408) 357-7452.
- Stay up-to-date on Facebook. Jewish Family Services is staying current in the refugee crisis at: https://www.facebook.com/jewishfamilyservicessv/

Volunteer to work with refugees
Tutor newcomers in English and help them conduct job searches. Mentor refugee families and help them acculturate to life in the United States. Contact Lori Cinnamon at loric@jfssv.org or (408) 357-7467.

Help newly arrived refugees find housing in Silicon Valley.

Tell JFS about job opportunities, and hire refugees at your business.
Contact Chad Lama at chadl@jfssv.org at (408) 357-7459.

Donate cars, late model computers, and furniture in great condition
Contact Zoya Lazer at zoyal@jfssv.org or (408) 357-7452.
- For Vehicle donations, go to: http://www.jfssv.org/vehicle-donations.html
- For computer and household donations, go to: http://www.jfssv.org/household-goods.html

Create Welcome to America Baskets or sponsor an Embrace-A-Family Board. Contact Zoya Lazer: zoyal@jfssv.org or (408) 357-7452.

Donate to support local refugee resettlement programs
JFS’ refugee programs need YOUR support to assist and protect the people who need our help.

Thank you for being a force of good in the world!

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