



What is the Canadian Blended Visa Office-Referred Program?

The Blended Visa Office-Referred (BVOR) Program matches refugees identified for resettlement by UNHCR because of their specific vulnerability with private sponsors in Canada. Costs are shared between these private sponsors and the Canadian government, with each party providing six months of financial support.

BVOR Process



Why sponsor a refugee under the BVOR program?



1.4 million vulnerable refugees of **36** nationalities are in need of solutions in **65** countries of asylum.

While 1.4 million refugees are in need of resettlement, only 75,000 places are available globally in resettlement countries. Only 5% of refugees whose survival is at stake will attain a durable solution. Utilizing BVOR admissions to their fullest potential provides Canadians with the opportunity to help and allows for more refugees identified for resettlement and in desperate need of a durable solution to reach safety in Canada.

**Up to 1,500 BVOR refugees can be sponsored in 2018.
Every space counts when it comes to saving lives.**