

Health Information for Refugees

Are you working with refugees who need health information, but don't speak/read English well enough to use the information available? The University of Arizona Health Sciences Library has developed several refugee resource pages on a variety of topics. Each page contains an English language overview, followed by links to English language Arizona resources and to National resources either in a native language or in a bilingual handout/brochure in the native language and in English. We have identified links for as many of the languages spoken in Tucson as we could find. You may access this information by pointing your web browser to the AZHealthInfo web site:

<http://azhealthinfo.org/>

On the resulting page click the blue link **Local or State** next to Health Topics. On the resulting page **Health Topics** are arranged by group. Refugee resources are identified below. Click on the subject to access the resources.

Disorders and Conditions – Body Location/Systems

- Breast Cancer Resources for Refugees
- Cancer Chemotherapy Resources for Refugees
- Cancer Resources for Refugees
- Diabetes Resources for Refugees
- Heart Disease Resources for Refugees
- HIV/AIDS Resources for Refugees
- Immunization and Childhood Immunization Resources for Refugees
- Migraine and Headache Resources for Refugees
- Swine Flu Resources for Refugees

Health & Wellness

- Dental Care/Hygiene Resources for Refugees
- Germs and Hygiene Resources for Refugees

Public Health/Safety Issues

- Health Insurance and Medicaid Resources for Refugees

Environment

- Lead Poisoning Resources for Refugees

We will continue to develop additional pages on topics suggested by RISP-Net members and by attendees at the Arizona Refugee Resettlement Program Conference, and welcome your suggestions for additional topics, or for additional content available in languages we may not have found. You are welcome to add the links to your own web sites, but we would appreciate the acknowledgement of the Arizona Health Sciences Library as the source of the information.

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