

ASSESSING THE NEED

BASIC NEEDS:

Affordable long-term housing, cultural competencies, relationship-building.

EDUCATION:

Affordable, high-quality pre-school education ESL/GED classes, and job training.

HEALTH:

Additional mental and physical health services and eliminating stigma of accessing services.

KEY PARTNERS

- The Literacy Council of Lancaster–Lebanon
- Lancaster Lebanon Intermediate Unit 13 (IU-13)
- School District of Lancaster
- Church World Services–Lancaster
- Bethany Christian Services
- Lancaster Health Center

OUR SOLUTION

Integration Services for New Americans (ISfNA) aims to expand the services offered to immigrants and refugees, including increased access to language services, health care and immunizations, career services, cultural navigation programs, and VITA income tax services. Another goal is to further develop preschool learning programs for refugee and immigrant children, and post-secondary adult education programs to help both children and adults thrive in their school and work settings.

In conjunction with the Lancaster County Immigration and Refugee Coalition, ISfNA will be working with the Lancaster Chamber of Commerce for outreach and resources to employers and the City of Lancaster to enhance immigrant integration through the Certified Welcoming Standard framework.

