

Employment Services-Settlement Services

YMCA of Cambridge Cross Cultural & Immigrant Services

Description of Service	<p>Employment Services: Support and services designed for newcomers and immigrants; a twelve-week program consisting of five days in class and eleven weeks one-on-one supported job search designed to enhance skills and help access employment opportunities. Free child care and bus tickets available for participants.</p> <p>Settlement Services: Assist newcomers in adjusting to life in Canada through information and referrals, assistance with documentation, orientation and networking sessions, Adult ESL and school registrations, housing support. On-site immunizations, dental screening, tax clinic, immigration and credential assessment support.</p> <p>Race Relations: Providing public education awareness and promotion within the community; cultural competence training for public and private sector organizations; capacity building for ethno-cultural groups and organizations; providing consultation on cross cultural relationships and issues.</p> <p>Mentorship Program: Canadian professionals guiding internationally-trained newcomers into the workforce.</p> <p>Language Interpreter Service: Language Interpreter services available in a variety of languages including: Arabic, French, German, Gujarati, Hebrew, Hindi, Italian, Persian/Farsi, Portuguese, Punjabi, Romanian, Spanish, Tagalog/Filipino, Tamil, and Urdu.</p>
Who is service designed for? Who is eligible?	<p>Newcomers and Immigrants Employment Services - Newcomer/ Immigrant Settlement Services - Newcomer, Permanent Residents, Conventional Refugee, Refugee Claimant</p>
Name of contact within	Rana Farhaneh - Administrative Support/ Language

agency for more information	<p>Interpreter Service Dawn Poh Quong - Co-ordinator Employment Services Marian Rozman - Employment Counsellor Javed Ali Chaudhry - Lead Settlement Amneh Hamdan - Settlement Counsellor Dam Mai - Settlement Counsellor Jose Riveria - Settlement Counsellor Nicole Cichello - Race Relations Co-ordinator Marilena Benak - Host Mentorship/Partnership Program Mehmet Alkin Mehmet - Host mentors Coordinator</p>
Hours for service	8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Address for service	258 Hespeler Rd Cambridge
Phone contact for service	(519) 621-1621
Email address for service	<p>Employment Services: Dawn Poh Quong - dquong@hotmail.com Marian Rozman - mrozman@ymcacamb.org</p> <p>Settlement Services: Javed Ali Chaudhry - jchaudhry@ymcacamb.org Amneh Hamden - ahamdan@ymcacamb.org Dam Mai - dmai@ymcacamb.org Jose Riveria - jriveria@ymcacamb.org</p> <p>Race Relations Nicole Cichello - ncichello@ymcacamb.org</p> <p>Mentorship Program Marilena Benak - mbenak@kwymca.ca Mehmet Alkin Mehmet - mmehmet@kwymca.ca</p>
Can you offer any further information or recommendations for referring agency?	<p>Staff combined speaks eleven languages for client who prefer to communicate in their first language.</p> <p>Languages: Spanish, Arabic, Chinese, Portuguese, Croatian, Urdu, Punjabi, Hindi, Vietnamese, French, German</p>
What is the best way to	By telephone or by email

refer/connect someone interested in this service?	
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