





We're passionately committed to the private sponsorship  
of UNHCR status refugees & asylum seekers.

HQ: Toronto // Established: 2017 // Annual Budget: \$350,000  
Team Size: X // Resettlement Pipeline: 27 Refugees

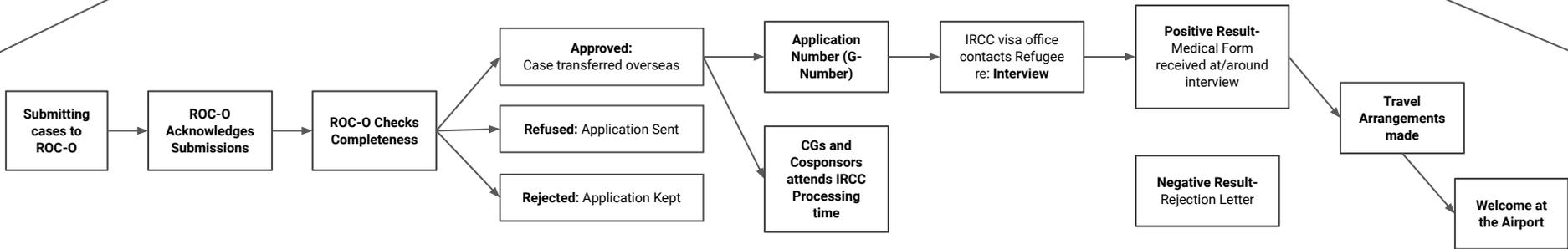
- **We identify families abroad who have UNHCR status or are asylum seekers and seeks resettlement in Canada**
- **We operate within the Private Sponsorship of Refugees Program established in 1978 by IRCC - Immigration, Refugees, Citizenship Canada**
- **We determine if proposed applications to Canadian government are viable, i.e. credible story, screening of supporting documents, analysis of red flags, interviews where necessary**
- **We adhere to funding requirements as defined by the Ontario Resettlement Assistance Program (RAP); we confirm necessary funds are in place prior to submission of application**
- **We assemble and submit private sponsorship applications to IRCC on behalf of refugees:**
  - **Complete formal government application documents**
  - **Assemble all supporting documents, translations where necessary**
- **We assemble volunteer support networks to manage newcomers settlement needs for initial 12 month period**
- **We coordinate and find all aspects of the refugee family's housing, schooling, food, medical need for 1 year after arrival in Canada**



**Identify & Screen**  
3-6 Months

**Application Process**  
12-24 Months (Outlined Below)

**Settlement**  
12 Months



Estimated Time: 30 business days  
(~ 2 months)

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Processing Time

Transition to Settlement  
Phase begins



COMMUNITY  
MATTERS  
TORONTO



RSSM<sub>LLP</sub>  
CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS



**Cathy Foreht: Chair & Treasure**

Cathy is a retired teacher, real estate agent and travel author/journalist. As co-founder of Clarendon House, Cathy develops the organization's refugee settlement policies, budgets and fundraising strategy. Cathy holds a B.A. in psychology from the University of Toronto.



**Nicodeme Mugisho-Demu: Director**

Nico is a Canadian health care professional with clinical and non/clinical experiences. He has coordinated a broad range of organizations and outreach services targeting malnourished children. Dr. Nicodeme is a graduate of the Catholic University of Bukavu, The Congo (DRC).



**Dr. Gillian Gibbon: Director**

Gillian is a veterinarian who founded and grew a veterinary hospital in Toronto into a successful practice. Gillian has volunteered at Toronto Animal Services and has appeared on media platforms including CP24 Animal Housecalls and CTV News. Gillian holds an Hons. B.Sc. from the University of Guelph and a D.V.M. degree from Ross University.



**Lenny Foreht: President**

Lenny is an established Bay Street corporate finance executive and former mining executive. As co-founder of Clarendon House, Lenny focuses on overall strategy and fundraising initiatives. He is a graduate of the University of Toronto with an Hons. B.A. in Global Affairs.



**Monique Giroux: Director**

Monique is VP, Corporate Events and Conference Centre Management at CIBC. She has worked with the Canadian Cancer Society and The Kidney Foundation of Canada. Monique holds an M.A. in Adult Education. She has served on the Sponsorship Marketing Council of Canada and the Paralympic Foundation Board of Directors.



**Paul Curtin: Director**

Paul is General Manager at Makers, a first ever collective of producers. He's an innovation-minded leader with a brand management background across business segments including CPG, retail, technology, automotive, government, and not-for-profit. Paul is a graduate of the University of Toronto.



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