

Newly Arrived Refugee Applicants by Country of Origin		
Country	Number of Applicants August 2024	Number of Applicants October 2023 - August 2024
Ukraine	746	4,291
Afghanistan	278	3200
Cuba	40	550
Haiti	29	478
Venezuela	104	380
Syria	33	321
Eritrea	26	225
Colombia	18	215
Democratic Republic of Congo	27	213
Guatemala	32	206

Newly Arrived Refugee Applicants by County of Residence ²				
County	Number of Applicants September 2024	Percent of Total	Number of Applicants October 2023 - September 2024	Percent of Total
Adams	0	0.0%	*	*
Asotin	*	*	*	*
Benton	33	2.1%	446	3.6%
Chelan	0	0.0%	13	0.1%
Clallam	0	0.0%	*	*
Clark	171	10.9%	1,108	8.8%
Columbia	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Cowlitz	*	*	12	0.1%
Douglas	*	*	*	*
Ferry	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Franklin	*	*	126	1.0%
Garfield	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Grant	*	*	70	0.6%
Grays Harbor	0	0.0%	29	0.2%
Island	0	0.0%	*	*
Jefferson	*	*	*	*
King	730	46.5%	5,881	46.9%
Kitsap	0	0.0%	18	0.1%
Kittitas	*	*	*	*

Klickitat	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Lewis	*	*	20	0.2%
Lincoln	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Mason	0	0.0%	*	*
Okanogan	0	0.0%	*	*
Pacific	*	*	*	*
Pend Oreille	0	0.0%	*	*
Pierce	149	9.5%	1,035	8.3%
San Juan	0	0.0%	*	*
Skagit	*	*	81	0.6%
Skamania	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Snohomish	178	11.3%	1,366	10.9%
Spokane	228	14.5%	1,576	12.6%
Stevens	0	0.0%	*	*
Thurston	*	*	123	1.0%
Wahkiakum	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Walla Walla	0	0.0%	16	0.1%
Whatcom	33	2.1%	283	2.3%
Whitman	*	*	*	*
Yakima	*	*	152	1.2%
Not Known/Confidential	*	*	128	1.0%

Data Notes:

Note: When necessary, values less than 10 (but greater than zero) and their corresponding percentages are not displayed in order to help protect client confidentiality. These cells are denoted with an asterisk (*). In some cases, values above this threshold are not displayed to assure that the suppressed values cannot be derived through subtraction. These cells are denoted with two asterisks (**).

¹For this report, newly arrived refugee applicants are those persons who applied for DSHS services during the reporting period and who meet the following criteria:

- Immigration status code upon entry to the U.S. was one of the following:
 - o AM = Amerasian
 - o AS = Asylee
 - o CH = Cuban/Haitian
 - o DW = Deportation Withheld
 - o RF = Refugee
 - o SI = Special Immigrant

- VT = Victim Of Trafficking
- Applicant had never applied for DSHS services (based on Barcode applications history) prior to the reporting period.

²County of Residence is associated (by the Barcode database) with the residential zip code of the applicant's Assistance Unit from the most recent application during the reporting period.