

REFUGEE HEALTH CHECKLIST

This checklist summarizes the components practices should have in place when caring for refugees, depending on the type of refugee health care being provided.

	Domestic medical screening	Episodic care	Comprehensive primary care	Refugee care in medical education	N-648 certification	Asylum evaluation
Interpreter services	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Staff buy-in	✓		✓	✓		
Clinician knowledge of refugee health conditions (at least one practice champion)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Staff cultural competency training	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Established partnerships with and access to local resources, especially behavioral health, dental, and vision services		✓	✓	✓		
Vaccine supply chain	✓		✓	✓		
Established collaboration with Department of Public Health and Volags	✓		✓	✓		
Links to social service organizations (medico-legal, housing, etc.)		✓	✓	✓		
Administrative support for flexible scheduling	✓		✓	✓		✓
Access to labs and radiology	✓		✓	✓		
Familiarity with citizenship and immigration requirements and process					✓	✓
Curriculum development for trainees				✓		
Familiarity with RHS-15 and access to mental and behavioral health services	✓		✓	✓		
Specialized training on asylum evaluations						✓
Coordination with asylum networks and organizations						✓



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