

## DC HEALTH PROGRAMS

The DC Department of Health provides many health services in addition to the mandatory health screening. A few include:

Information about breast and cervical cancer (Project Wish)  
Call (202) 442-5900

Questions on diabetes prevention and control  
Call (202) 442-5909

Help to stop smoking  
Call 1 (800) Quit-Now

Help to quit using drugs  
Call (202) 698-5115

Information on HIV/AIDS and sexually transmitted diseases  
Call (202) 671-4900

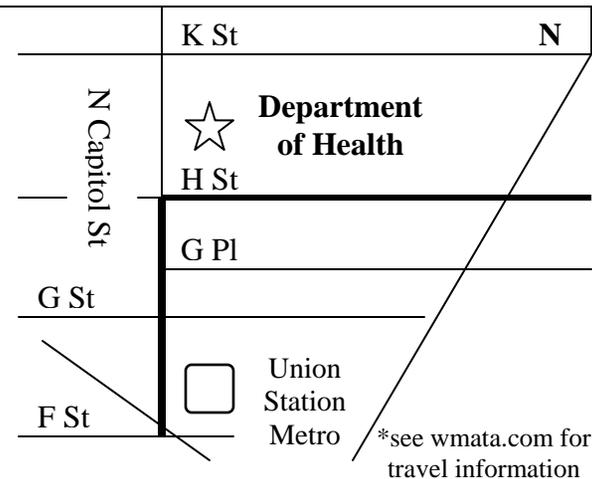
Information on immunizations  
Call (202) 576-7130

For information about other programs visit the DC Department of Health's website at [doh.dc.gov](http://doh.dc.gov). Information about any other programs offered throughout the District of Columbia can be found at the DC government homepage at [dc.gov](http://dc.gov) or by dialing 311 (DC Mayor's Citywide Call Center). Use these great programs!

## WHERE WE ARE

The Program is located on the northeast corner of H Street and N Capitol. Entrance to the building is on the north side. You can park at a meter on N Capitol, take the metro to **Union Station** and walk up N Capitol, or take bus **D1, D3, D6, D4, D8, 80, X2** or **X1**. Call to make an appointment or walk in.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
REFUGEE HEALTH PROGRAM  
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**Mon-Thurs 8AM-5PM**



## **DC REFUGEE HEALTH PROGRAM**



**SELAM! AHLAN WA SAHLAN!**

**BEM-VINDO! TITAMBIRE!**

**AKWAABA! BIENVENIDO!**

**KHOSH AAMADID! E~LE!**

**BIENVENUE! FOON YING!**

**NDJONI GANGO! KARIBU!**

**DE ZANEM! HUAN YIN!**

**MARHABAN! PE KHER RAGLE!**

**ENQAI DEHAN MESA KUM!**

**WELCOME!  
TO THE  
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

## WHAT WE PROVIDE

The DC Department of Health's Refugee Health Program wants to keep you from getting sick, treat you for any illnesses you may have, and prevent your family and friends around you from getting sick. We want you to be healthy so you can work, go to school, and participate in your community.

The Program helps you:

- Obtain health insurance\*,
- Choose a health plan,
- Schedule a doctor / dentist appointment,
- Receive a Refugee Health Screening,
- Update your immunizations.

\* If you do not qualify for DC Healthy Families (Medicaid), you may still be eligible for DC Healthcare Alliance.

The Program also provides you with health education and orientation through a local Refugee Health Coordinator who coordinates preventative health efforts with other offices within the DC Department of Health and local voluntary organizations.

## WHO WE SERVE

The DC Refugee Health Program provides these services at no cost to certified refugees.

Those that qualify for a health screening are:

- Refugees / Asylees
- Survivors of Torture
- Cuban/Haitian Entrants
- Victims of Human Trafficking
- Unaccompanied Alien Children
- Iraqi / Afghani Special Immigrants
- Amerasians (Vietnamese Americans)
- Other entrants as dictated by the State\*

\* See [acf.hhs.gov/programs/orr](http://acf.hhs.gov/programs/orr) and select *Who We Serve* for more information and for the documentation you need to register.

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## WHY YOU?

A health screening is an essential part of your resettlement in the District of Columbia. It should be given within the first 90 days of your arrival. This screening is different than your overseas exam, if you had one. It is the first step to receiving primary care, or regular and continuing health care, and helps you select a primary health care provider\*.

\* Your primary health care provider is the nurse or doctor you go to first when you feel sick. You will receive a Refugee Health Screening at a designated clinic, but you are free to choose any doctor or clinic in your health plan after.

## WHAT TO BRING

To register for your screening, **you must bring your Form I-94**. Also, please bring the following information if you have it:

- Your passport
- Your address, phone number and e-mail
- Your *Approval of Asylum*
- Your *Order of the Immigration Judge*
- Immunization records
- Any other medical
- International Organization for Migration