

# SWEDEN'S RESETTLEMENT PROGRAM



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# Resettlement to Sweden

- Since 1950
- Referral from UNHCR
- Durable solution
- Individual assessment
- Will be granted permanent residence permit as refugees or as beneficiaries of subsidiary protection

- 1900 resettled refugees yearly
- Half selected during missions
- Half selected based on dossiers
- 450 emergency cases
- Increase to 5000 yearly by 2018 – 3 400 resettlement places already 2017

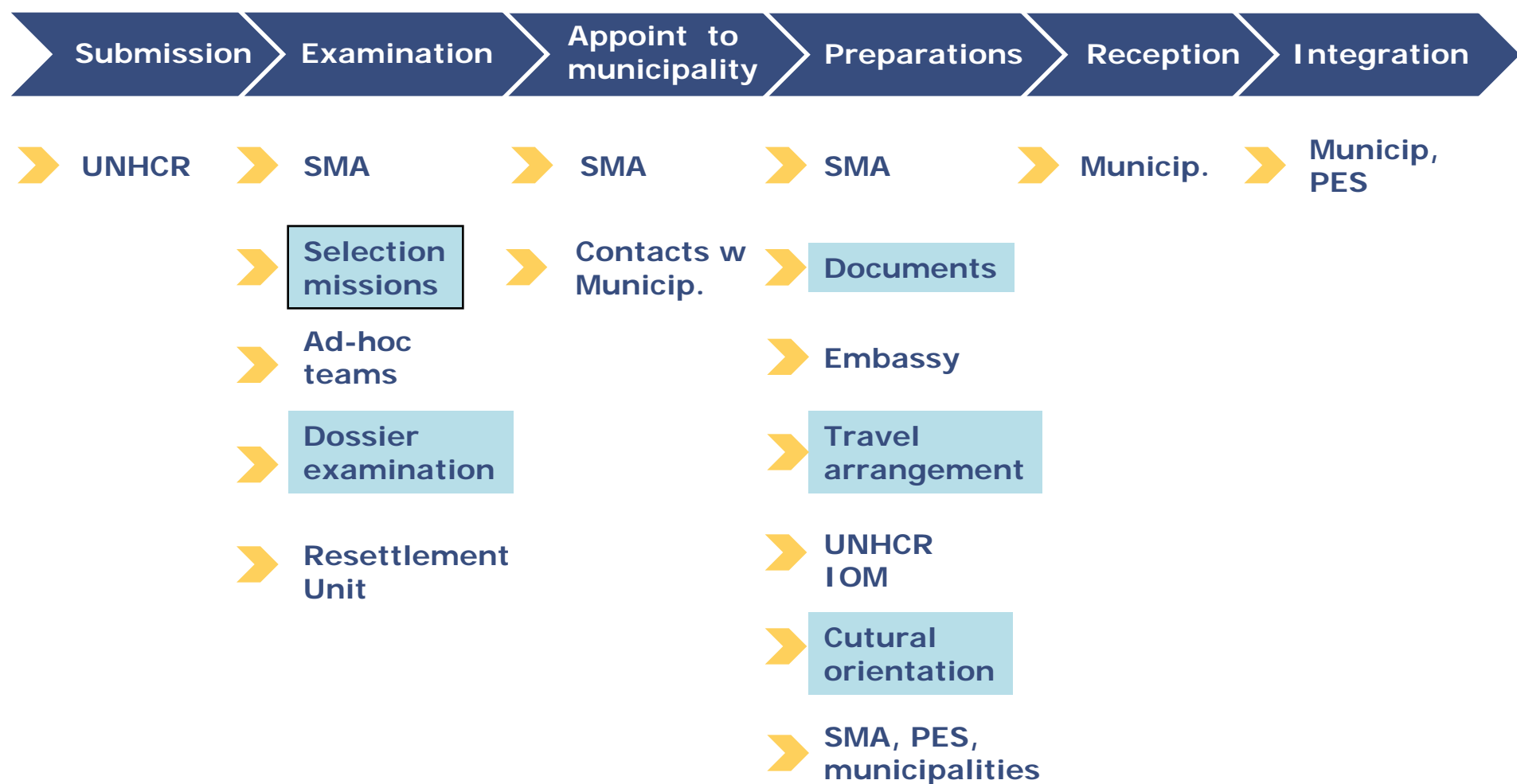
- Yearly geographical priorities
- Organised and operated by the Swedish Migration Agency

# Refugee Quota 2016

Nationality	Host Country	Number	Selection by
Syrian	MENA	700	Dossier/mission
Somali	Kenya	200	Mission
Eritrean	Sudan	150	Dossier
Congolese	Uganda	150	Mission
Afghan	Iran	150	Dossier
Eritrean, Ethiopian, Somali	Yemen	50	Dossier
Ethiopian	Somalia	50	Dossier
Emergency	N/A	450	Dossier
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1 900</b>	

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# The resettlement process



# Number of persons resettled

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Total number of persons resettled	1 896	1 853	2 187	1 971	1 880

➤ **Sorce:** Swedish Migration Agency

Citizenship	2014	2015
Syria	714	686
DR Congo	226	231
Somalia	162	215
Stateless	77	147
Afghanistan	328	161
Eritrea	229	160
Ethiopia	20	102
Sudan	8	43
Iraq	9	22
Kenya	0	19
Other	198	67
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**The local perspective on a global issue.**

*Facts from UNHCR and Åre*



**Are: 10500 citizens.**

**Refugees: 100/ year  
= 1% of population**

**Europe: 743 000 000 citizens**

**1% = 7 430 000 refugees**

**IF YOU THINK YOU'RE TOO  
SMALL TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE,  
YOU HAVEN'T SPENT A NIGHT  
WITH A MOSQUITO.**

**– AFRICAN PROVERB**

# **Why?**

**50% of our refugees are from the UNHCRs resettlement program, why?**

- Safe.**
- Effective.**
- We need more people.**
- We support a good functioning system.**
- It's fun.**



HOW?





Results



