Resources

SESSION 1: Introduction

The Somali Bantu: Their History and Culture
Cultural Orientation Resource Center
Center for Applied Linguistics
4646 40th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20016-1859
Telephone: (202) 362-0700
www.culturalorientation.net > Publications >The Somali Bantu: Their History and Culture

National Somali Bantu Project
Portland State University
Post Office Box 751
Portland, Oregon 97207
Telephone: (503) 725-8358
www.somalibantu.org

SESSION 2: Services and Rights

The 1951 Refugee Convention
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
Case Postale 2500
CH-1211 Genève 2 Dépôt
Suisse
Telephone: 41 22 739 8111
http://www.unhcr.ch >The 1951 Refugee Convention

Office for Civil Rights
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue, SW
H.H.H. Building, Room 509-F
Washington, D.C. 20201
Telephone: (202) 619-0403
http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/ knowcivilrights.html
SESSION 3: Housing

Mercy Housing
1999 Broadway, Suite 1000
Denver, Colorado 80202
Telephone: (303) 830-3300
http://www.mercyhousing.org

The Mercy Housing Refugee Housing Initiative
601 E. 19th Avenue, Suite 150
Denver, CO 80203.
Telephone: (303) 830-3300

Fannie Mae Foundation
4000 Wisconsin Ave., NW, North Tower, Suite One
Washington, DC 20016-2804
Telephone: (202) 274-8000
http://www.fanniemaefoundation.org

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
451 7th Street S.W.
Washington, DC 20410
Telephone: (202) 708-1112
http://www.hud.gov
SESSION 4: Financial Literacy

Institute for Social and Economic Development
1900 L Street NW
Suite 705
Washington DC 20036
Telephone: (202) 223-3288
http://www.ised.org/Consulting/Refugees.asp

Corporation for Economic Development
777 N Capitol St NE Suite 800
Washington DC 20002
Telephone: (202) 408-9788
http://www.cfed.org

IDAnetwork
123 West Main Street
Third Floor
Durham NC 27701
Telephone: (919) 688-6444
http://www.idanetwork.org/

United States Small Business Administration
409 Third Street, SW
Washington, DC 20416
Telephone: 800-U-ASK-SBA

The JumpStart Coalition for Personal Financial Literacy
919 18th Street, N.W. Suite 300
Washington, DC 20006
Telephone: 888-45-EDUCATE
http://www.jumpstart.org

National Endowment for Financial Education
5299 DTC Boulevard, Suite 1300
Greenwood Village, CO 80111
Telephone: (303) 741-6333
http://www.nefe.org/hsfppportal/includes/main/webtraining.asp
SESSION 5: Employment

RefugeeWorks
Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Services
700 Light Street
Baltimore MD 21230
Telephone: (410) 230-2700

Internal Revenue Service
Telephone: 800-829-1040

Workplace Fairness
44 Montgomery Street, Suite 2080
San Francisco, CA 94104
Telephone: (415) 362-7373
http://www.workplacefairness.org

“Best Practices”
Cultural Orientation Resource Center
4646 40th Street, NW Washington, DC 20016-1859
Telephone: (202) 362-0700
http://www.culturalorientation.net >Best Practices

America’s Career InfoNet
Telephone: 877-348-0502 (Toll free)
TTY: 877-348-0501 (Toll free)
http://www.acinet.org

U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
Postal Square Building
2 Massachusetts Ave., NE Washington, DC 20212-0001
Telephone: (202) 691-5200
http://www.bls.gov
SESSION 6: Education

You Can Talk to Your Child’s School (Video – Available in English and Somali);
You Can Help Your Child in School (Video – Available in English and Somali)
Minnesota's Bookstore
660 Olive Street
St Paul, MN 55155
Telephone: 800-357-3757
http://www.comm.media.state.mn.us/bookstore/

Mental Health of Refugee Children: A Guide for the ESL Teacher;
The Bantu in Our Midst: A Resource for ELT Classrooms;
Somali Youth Report
Spring Institute for Intercultural Learning
1610 Emerson St, Denver, CO 80218
Telephone: (303) 863-0188
http://www.springinstitute.com

Bridging Refugee Youth and Children’s Services
Telephone: 888-572-6500
www.brycs.org

UNHCR Teaching Tools
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
Case Postale 2500
CH-1211 Genève 2 Dépôt
Suisse
Telephone: 41 22 739 8111
http://www.unhcr.ch >Publications>Teaching Tools

Tolerance.org
http://www.tolerance.org

National Parent Teacher Association
330 N. Wabash Avenue Suite 2100 Chicago, IL 60611
Telephone: 800-307-4PTA
http://www.pta.org/

A Child Becomes a Reader
National Institute for Literacy
1775 I Street, NW; Suite 730
Washington, DC 20006-2401
Telephone: (202) 233-2025
http://www.nifl.gov/ >Publications>A Child Becomes a Reader

SESSION 7: Health

EthnoMed
http://ethnomed.org/ethnomed/

OGHA's Office of Humanitarian and Refugee Health Affairs
Telephone: (301) 443-6279
SESSION 8: Nutrition

United States Department of Agriculture  
1400 Independence Ave., S.W.  
Washington, DC 20250  
www.usda.gov
SESSION 9: Social Adjustment

Somali Bantu Refugees: Cultural Considerations for Social Service Providers
Bridging Refugee Youth and Children's Services
Telephone: 888-572-6500
www.brycs.org

Lessons from the Field: Issues and Resources in Refugee Mental Health;
Connections
US Committee for Refugees and Immigrants
1717 Massachusetts Ave NW Suite 200 Washington DC 20036
Telephone: (202) 797-2105
www.refugeesusa.org

Mental Health of Refugee Children: A Guide for the ESL Teacher
Spring Institute for Intercultural Learning
1610 Emerson St,
Denver, CO 80218
Telephone: (303) 863-0188
http://www.springinstitute.com

CMHS/SAMHSA
5600 Fishers Lane, Room 17C-05
Rockville, MD 20857
Telephone: (301) 443-1761
www.samhsa.gov

Center for Victims of Torture
717 East River Road
Minneapolis, MN 55455
Telephone: (612) 436-4800
www.cvt.org

National Clearinghouse on Child Abuse and Neglect Information
330 C Street, SW
Washington, DC 20447
Telephone: 800-394-3366
http://nccanch.acf.hhs.gov/
SESSION 10: Legal System

Outreach to New Americans
National Crime Prevention Council
1000 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., 13th Floor
Washington, DC 20036
Telephone: (202) 466-6272
www.ncpc.org/ >ONA (New Americans)

McGruff.org
http://www.mcgruff.org/

U.S. Department of Justice
950 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530-0001
http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/

Bureau of Justice Assistance
810 Seventh Street NW., Fourth Floor
Washington, DC 20531
Telephone: (202) 616-6500
http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
810 Seventh Street NW.
Washington, DC 20531
Telephone: (202) 307–5911
http://www.ojjdp.ncjrs.org/

Office of Community Oriented Policing Services
U.S. Department of Justice
1100 Vermont Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20530
Telephone: 800-421-6770
http://www.cops.usdoj.gov/

Center on Juvenile and Criminal Justice
1622 Folsom Street
San Francisco, CA 94103
Telephone: (415) 621-5661
http://www.cjcj.org/

American Civil Liberties Union
125 Broad Street, 18th floor
New York, NY  10004
http://www.aclu.org

Open Society Institute
400 West 59th Street
New York, NY 10019
Telephone: (212) 548-0600
http://www.soros.org/initiatives/justice/about