

# FURTHER RESOURCES

**Welcome to Cape Breton** is a one-stop shop of information for people moving to Cape Breton. [www.welcometocapebreton.ca](http://www.welcometocapebreton.ca)

**The Cape Breton Partnership** is Cape Breton-Unama'ki's private sector-led economic development organization. [www.capebretonpartnership.com](http://www.capebretonpartnership.com)

**The Cape Breton Island Centre for Immigration (CBICI)** is dedicated to welcoming newcomers to Cape Breton Island. CBICI works to orient, support, connect, advocate on behalf of, and otherwise meet the needs of newcomers in service of their successful settlement in Cape Breton. [immigration.newdawn.ca](http://immigration.newdawn.ca)

**The Nova Scotia YMCA YREACH Program** provides information, orientation, and settlement/integration support to newcomers and their families. They work with local partners to create welcoming communities throughout Cape Breton and Nova Scotia. <https://tinyurl.com/y45dommu>

**Immigration Francophone Nouvelle-Écosse** Accueil, établissement et intégration pour les immigrants d'expression française. [www.immigrationfrancophonene.ca](http://www.immigrationfrancophonene.ca)

**211 Nova Scotia** is a free helpline that connects you to community and social services in your area 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, in over 150 languages. [www.ns.211.ca](http://www.ns.211.ca)

**Together Project** is a Toronto-based group that matches volunteer Welcome Groups with refugees and their families for a six-month period. Lots of great examples of how to be connected with newcomers and excellent reading materials. [www.togetherproject.ca](http://www.togetherproject.ca)

**Nova Scotia Office of Immigration (NSOI)** delivers innovative programming to attract, integrate and retain immigrants in the province. Growth in immigration helps to address local labour needs and increase diversity in our workplaces and communities across the province. NSOI collaborates with businesses and community partners to promote provincial immigration pathways, help employers to navigate immigration processes and support settlement programming for the retention of immigrants in the province. <https://novascotiaimmigration.com/>

**Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC)** facilitates the arrival of immigrants, provides protection to refugees, and offers programming to help newcomers settle in Canada. It also: grants citizenship, and. issues travel documents (such as passports) to Canadians. [www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship.html](http://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship.html)

**Welcoming Communities initiative in New Zealand** brings together local government councils and communities to make the places New Zealanders love more welcoming for everyone. Supporting councils and communities develop and implement their own individual Welcoming Plans. <https://tinyurl.com/y29aw39n>

**Pathways to Prosperity (P2P)** is an alliance dedicated to fostering welcoming communities that promote the economic, social and civic integrations of migrants and minorities in Canada. In particular, this section: Sharing Settlement and Integration Practices that Work provides lots of examples of successful Welcoming activities across the country. <https://tinyurl.com/y5qhqn4>



## FOR MORE INFORMATION