



The Incorporated Synod of the Diocese of Huron
The Anglican Church of Canada
Refugee Committee

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) for Submitting the Online Form

Question: I have already submitted one form so can I submit another one or two applications?

Answer: No, submit only one form per co-sponsor, or **all** your forms will be ignored.

Question: I submitted a form but I don't have a D-number. How can I get my D-number after submission?

Answer: You should have saved your D-number or written it down before closing your computer screen. If you do not have your D number please email refugeeshuron@gmail.com with your name, the name of the person you sponsored and how many people were on the request form.

Question: I submitted a form last year but I was not selected, can I submit another one this year?

Answer: Yes.

Question: My wife submitted a form last year and was selected. An application has been submitted with her as a co-sponsor. Can I submit another request this year for different family member?

Answer: No, you cannot submit another request until the person your wife sponsored has been in Canada for one year.

Question: When do I know if I am selected or not?

Answer: By the end of March.

Question: If I do not have internet or know how to fill out the form online can I submit a handwritten form?

Answer: No, we only accept the online form so please find a friend or relative to help you. Public libraries also have computers.

Question: How many applicants are accepted each year?

Answer: This depends on the number of available spaces and that changes from one year to another.

Question: How do I check to see the result of my request?

Answer: Please use your email address and D-number to check your status at huronrefugees.ca under the section *Check Status*.

Question: I am receiving financial support from Ontario Works can I submit a request to sponsor my relative/friend?

Answer: No, you are not eligible to apply.

Question: I am on disability (ODSP) can I submit a request to sponsor my relative/friend who is dependant on me sending them money?

Answer: No, you are not eligible to apply.

Question: I am living in government subsidized housing and I pay full rent. Can I submit a form to sponsor my relative/friend?

Answer: Yes you may, as long as you pay full rent.

Question: If I am selected for an interview and I am not ready can I have interview on a different date?

Answer: Yes, you will be given enough time (two weeks) to be re-scheduled, but if you are not ready the second time the spaces will be given to the next person on the list.

Question: Can I call your office to find out about the result of my application after submitted?

Answer: No, please do not call. You may use your D-number and email address to check the results by the end of March. If you lose your D-number please email refugeeshuron@gmail.com with your name, the name of the person you sponsored and how many people were on the request form.

Question: I have an application to sponsor my relative/friend with a SAH or group elsewhere in Canada and the person I sponsored is waiting to be interviewed, can I submit another application through the Diocese of Huron in London, Ontario?

Answer: No, we will not accept an application if you already have one in progress anywhere in Canada (we will check).

Question: Can I sponsor my relative/friend who wants to live with my cousin in Toronto?

Answer: No, the refugee should live in the same city as you when he/she arrives. You are responsible for him/her for the first year not your cousin.

Question: What happens if I get a job in Alberta before my relative/friend arrives.

Answer: You will have to find somebody else in this area to replace you as co-sponsor or we will have to withdraw your application.