

## The Metro Vancouver Refugee Response Team invites you to attend A Networking Event about Refugee Private Sponsorship

### **WHAT** Event Agenda:

- Overview of the Metro Vancouver Refugee Response Team
- Overview of the Private Sponsorship Program
- Cultural Sensitivity in Working with Refugees
- Working with refugees who might have experienced loss or grief
- What does it mean to be sponsored by a private group? Reflections from a recently arrived newcomer
- Settlement Issues and Approaches - Best Practices in working with refugees
- Small Group Discussions and Networking

**WHEN** Saturday, November 5, 2016 @ 10am to 1pm

**WHERE** City of North Vancouver Library,  
120 West 14th Street, North Vancouver

**WHO** Private sponsors, community workers,  
settlement workers, volunteers, persons  
interested in supporting refugees

Refreshments will be provided.

**HOW** To register, contact Saleem Spindari:  
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Please RSVP by Friday, October 28<sup>th</sup>

### **MVRRT Vision**

“All refugees in Metro Vancouver have access to the information, services and supports to ease their settlement and expedite their integration into the community.”

### **MVRRT Communities**

Vancouver  
Burnaby  
New Westminster  
Richmond  
Coquitlam  
North Shore  
Port Coquitlam  
Port Moody  
Tsawwassen

For more information about the Metro Vancouver Refugee Response Team, visit [www.metrovanrrt.ca](http://www.metrovanrrt.ca)



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