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## SYRIAN REFUGEES: MONTH 13 & BEYOND

DATE: WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 7, 2016 TIME: 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM

LOCATION: WEBINAR – [REGISTRATION LINK](#)

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### AGENDA

1:30 – 1:35 pm	<b>Welcome &amp; Introductions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Introduction to speakers</li><li>- Goals and objectives of training</li></ul>	Tracy Wideman, AMSSA
1:35 – 1:50 pm	<b>Resettlement Assistance Program (RAP)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- What is RAP?</li><li>- Q&amp;A Session</li></ul> Handouts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Infographic: RAP &amp; Settlement Services in Year 1</li><li>✓ Checklist: RAP Supports &amp; Activities in first 3 weeks</li><li>✓ Client Memo – 2016 Tax Returns</li></ul>	Kathy Sherrell, ISSofBC
1:50 – 3:05 pm	<b>Social Assistance Strategy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Introduction to Social Assistance</li><li>- Eligibility and application process</li><li>- Q&amp;A Session</li></ul> Handouts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Save time – go online</li><li>✓ How do I access online services?</li><li>✓ Self serve assessment and application</li></ul>	Leah Campo and Rainer Nicdao, Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation
3:05 – 3:25 pm	<b>Pathway to Employment for Syrian Refugees</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Settlement-Employment Program (IRCC)</li><li>- WorkBC (Province of BC)</li><li>- Canada-BC Job Grant (Province of BC)</li><li>- Other Supports &amp; Services</li></ul> Handouts: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Overview of Settlement-Employment Services</li><li>✓ Refugee Fund Eligibility Criteria</li><li>✓ JTST Presentation: Canada-BC Job Grant</li></ul>	Jennifer York, ISSofBC
3:25 – 3:30 pm	<b>Closing Remarks</b>	Tracy Wideman, AMSSA

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