REFUGEE MENTAL HEALTH

BIBLIOGRAPHY

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This bibliography is an effort to compile prominent research and literature on refugee mental health, from general information to screening and assessment processes, effective interventions and best practices in therapy, clinical treatment and culturally specific modalities.

The purpose of this bibliography is to provide an available resource for scholars, researchers, service providers, students, and community members who work and provide care to refugees and asylum seekers. This bibliography is not an exhaustive document, thus our team considers this as a living document. We aimed to develop a comprehensive file that could be helpful for beginner to advanced practitioners whom are passionate to learn more. It is likely that we missed sourcing significant literature. As such, we will continue to add to this document and look forward to receiving feedback and cooperation from readers to extend this work. If you have any concerns or would like to add to this document please contact us at:

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Part V – List of useful websites

Archived World Refugee Surveys (USCRI)  www.refugees.org/resources
Bhutanese Refugees:  www.bhutaneserefugees.com
Bridging Refugee Youth & Children's Services:  www.brycs.org
Center for Applied Linguistics Refugee Orientation:  www.cal.org
Center for Disease Control:  wwnc.cdc.gov
Center for Victims of Torture:  www.cvt.org
Cultural Orientation Resource Center:  www.culturalorientation.net
ETHNOMED:  www.ethnomed.org
Florida Center for Survivors of Torture:  http://gulfcoastjewishfamilyandcommunityservices.org/refugee/refugee-programs/florida-center-for-survivors-of-torture/
Freedom from Torture:  http://www.freedomfromtorture.org/
Gulf Coast Jewish Family and Community Services:  http://gulfcoastjewishfamilyandcommunityservices.org/
Harvard Program in Refugee Trauma:  http://hprt-cambridge.org/
Heal Torture:  www.healtorture.org
Health and Human Services Global Health:  www.globalhealth.gov
Healthy Roads Media:  www.healthyroadsmedia.org