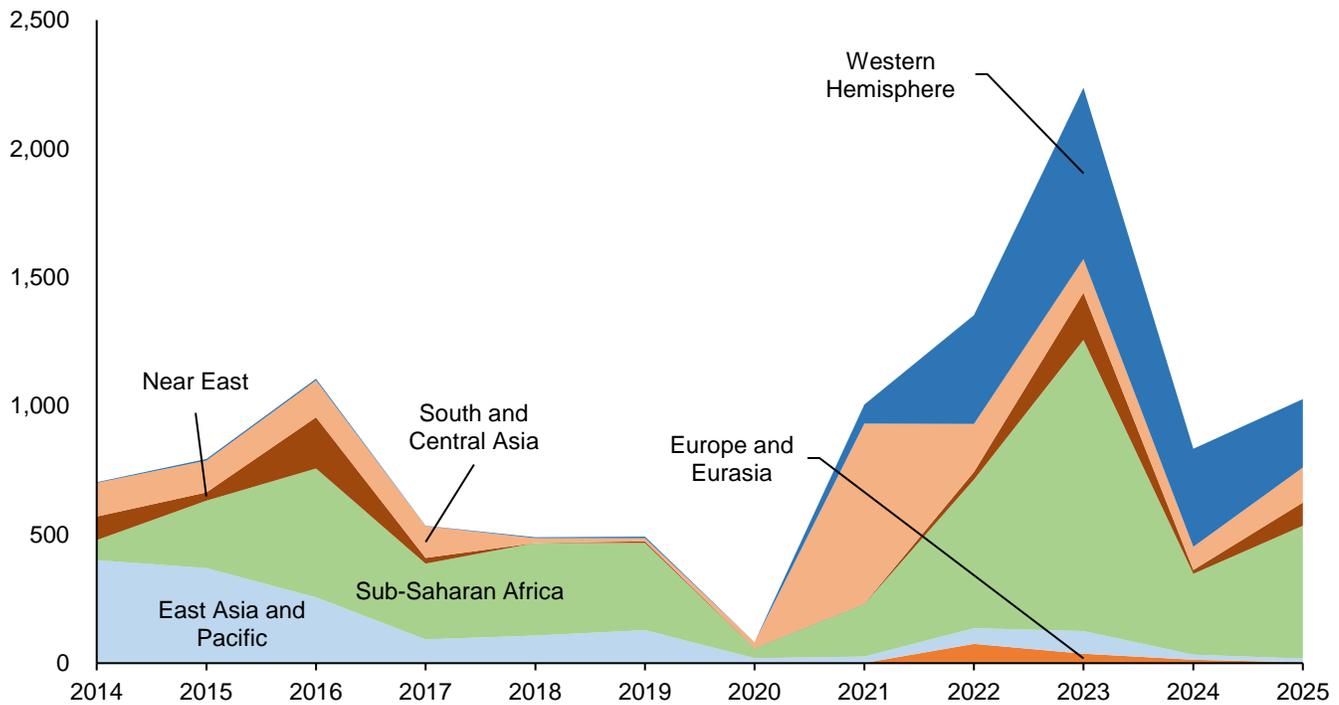


Refugee Arrivals in Iowa



| Federal Fiscal Year | Europe and Eurasia | East Asia and Pacific | Sub-Saharan Africa | Near East | South and Central Asia | Western Hemisphere | Total |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-----------|------------------------|--------------------|-------|
| 2014 | 0 | 401 | 77 | 92 | 131 | 3 | 704 |
| 2015 | 0 | 370 | 262 | 32 | 124 | 6 | 794 |
| 2016 | 1 | 255 | 501 | 199 | 143 | 7 | 1,106 |
| 2017 | 0 | 93 | 294 | 22 | 124 | 1 | 534 |
| 2018 | 1 | 106 | 360 | 0 | 19 | 3 | 489 |
| 2019 | 0 | 128 | 339 | 7 | 12 | 6 | 492 |
| 2020 | 1 | 19 | 38 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 82 |
| 2021 | 1 | 25 | 204 | 1 | 700 | 75 | 1,006 |
| 2022 | 75 | 61 | 578 | 29 | 187 | 423 | 1,353 |
| 2023 | 37 | 88 | 1,131 | 184 | 131 | 666 | 2,237 |
| 2024 | 14 | 19 | 314 | 15 | 90 | 381 | 833 |
| 2025 | 3 | 15 | 516 | 90 | 136 | 267 | 1,027 |

Note: Refugees, according to the U.S. Department of State, are persons of special humanitarian concern who can establish that they have experienced persecution or a well-founded fear of persecution related to race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion.

The U.S. Department of State has changed the way that countries of the world are listed by region, so the Bureau of Refugee Services has had to change the data source used to compile the historical data. The Bureau now relies on data in Iowa's refugee information system rather than other sources. This means reporting now reflects refugees resettled in Iowa who were served by the Bureau or one of the Bureau's contractors. For this reason, prior year refugee arrival numbers may be different than those formerly reported.