

MISSION

Our mission is to serve all African and African-descent immigrants, refugees and their families by creating a community focal point that provides community-building opportunities and direct family services.



HOW YOU CAN HELP

You can help support IRCO and Africa House through donations and volunteering. To donate new or gently used items to IRCO, email donations@irco.org for more details.

If you're interested in upcoming volunteer opportunities, email volunteer@irco.org to begin the application process!

For more info, visit irco.org

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Our Mission

To welcome, serve, and empower refugees, immigrants, and people across cultures and generations to reach their full potential.

Our Vision

A future where refugees and immigrants belong, our staff are nurtured, and all communities thrive.



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GROWING STRONG TOGETHER



COMMUNITY



AFRICA HOUSE

(IRCO) Immigrant & Refugee Community Organization

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IRCO AFRICA HOUSE - 16+ YEARS OF SERVICE

WHO WE ARE

Africa House has over a decade of experience as the **only culturally and linguistically specific one-stop community center** targeting the increasingly diverse and growing number of African immigrants and refugees living in Oregon.

We are dedicated to working alongside our clients to help them achieve equality and self-sufficiency. We strive to help our clients understand and successfully adjust to the American way of life, while still celebrating their own heritage.

IRCO Africa House served 4,137 community members last year, representing dozens of ethnic and cultural backgrounds.

“Volunteering at the Africa House is certainly a privilege which I really appreciate wholeheartedly.”

- Penda Sidibeh



We are always seeking dedicated volunteers and mentors for our various programs. Join us!

HOW WE HELP

We provide our clients with a number of resources and services to assist them in overcoming the challenges of moving to a new home and adjusting to a new culture. We help by providing **utilities and housing support, youth, family and senior services**. Our ultimate goal is to help our clients achieve self-sufficient lives and develop a strong sense of community.

**Contact us at
irco.org or (503) 802-0082
for more information on ways
you can get involved!**

SERVICES WE PROVIDE

We provide a number of culturally and linguistically specific services to African immigrant and refugee families. These services emphasize healthy, vibrant families and community cohesiveness, and include:

- **Early Learning**
- **Academic Support**
- **Gang Prevention & Intervention**
- **Mentoring**
- **Family Engagement**
- **Leadership Development**
- **Elders Citizenship & Support Services**
- **Health Enrollment & Navigation**
- **Computer Literacy & ESL Classes**
- **Poverty Reduction, Housing & Energy Assistance**

