



BIC Annual Report FY 2018-2019 BIC's Goal: To unite all agencies and organizations in the greater Winston-Salem area in order to create a "one-stop shop" by way of the online Winston-Salem BIC Cultural Resource Guide and the Winston-Salem BIC Pipeline educational workshop series.





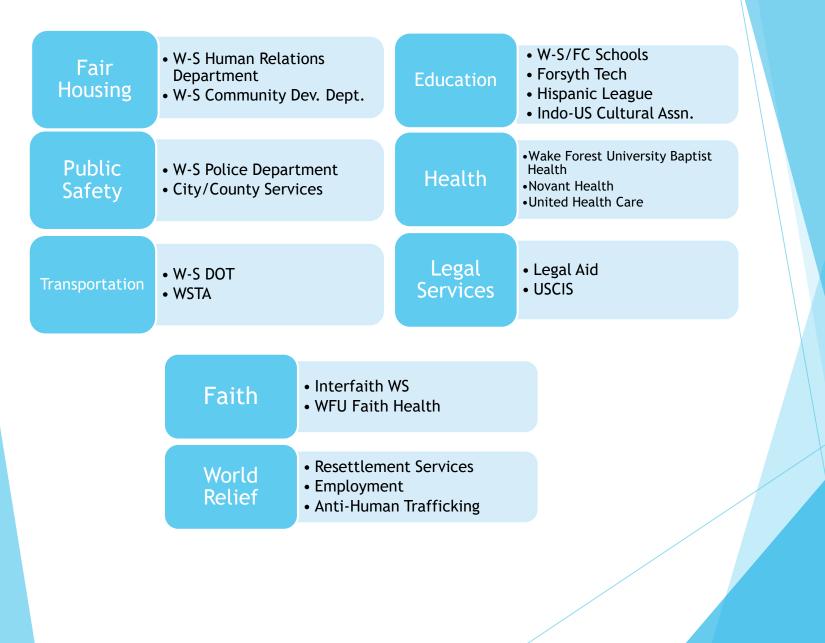
## The Winston-Salem BIC Pipeline Program



**BIC Pipeline- Information Sessions** 

- Immigrants, refugees, and/or asylees matriculate through a series of information sessions.
- The BIC Pipeline takes into account language and cultural barriers and differences.
- Attendees are provided with direct contact information and other avenues for follow-up, as needed, in verbal and/or written format through translators and interpreters.









# 14 Languages Spoken in FY 18-19

Spanish, Swahili, Arabic, Mandarin, Russian, Portuguese, Farsi, Filipino, Karenni, Amharic, Tigrinya, Romanian, French, and German



- Inaugural Statewide Newcomers Symposium
- Over 125 Participants from all over the state
- 12 breakout sessions with various topics on immigrant and refugee issues
- SAVE THE DATE-Newcomers Symposium: October 17, 2019







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2019-2020 WSBIC PIPELINE Welcome Sessions

July 17, 2019 October 23, 2019 January 15, 2020 April 15, 2020

## 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

#### Forsyth Tech West Campus Auditorium 1300 Bolton Street, Winston-Salem NC

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