

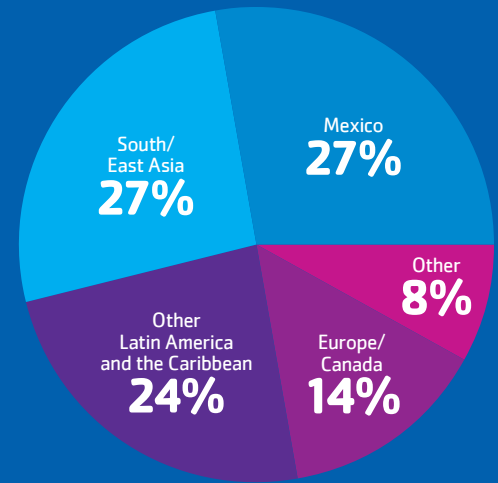
CELEBRATING OUR NEWEST NEIGHBORS








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At the Y, we believe that our communities are stronger and more vibrant when everyone feels welcome and can fully contribute their unique talents for the greater good. For more than 170 years, the Y has helped immigrants access the integration support needed to thrive, which contributes to the economic, civic and cultural strength of a community.

Snapshot of immigrants in the U.S. by place of origin¹



Immigrants represent 13% of the population² and make big a impact in communities by:

<p>Paying taxes that sustain critical services like public schools and police departments.</p>	<p>Stimulating the economy and helping businesses to thrive.</p>	<p>Contributing to a skilled workforce that enables key industries to grow and innovate.</p>	<p>Advancing entrepreneurship, creating jobs and revenue.</p>	<p>Volunteering their time to help their neighbors.</p>
 <p>The average immigrant contributes nearly \$120,000 MORE IN TAXES than they consume in public benefits.³</p>	 <p>The collective spending power of immigrant-led households is \$9.3 TRILLION representing more than 14% of the U.S. total.⁴</p>	 <p>48% of newly arrived immigrants age 25 and older hold at least a college degree.⁵ 18% of scientists and engineers in the U.S. are immigrants.⁶</p>	 <p>1 IN 4 NEW U.S. BUSINESSES is started by immigrants.⁷ Immigrant-owned small businesses employ 4.7 million workers and generate \$776 billion in revenue.⁸</p>	<p>On average, immigrants who are engaged with an organization volunteer</p>  <p>That's two weeks more than their U.S.-born counterparts.⁹</p>

¹ <http://assets.pewresearch.org>

² <http://www.migrationpolicy.org>

³ <https://www.americanimmigrationcouncil.org>

⁴ <http://www.newamericaneconomy.org>

⁵ <http://www.migrationpolicy.org>

⁶ <https://www.nsf.gov>

⁷ <http://immigrationimpact.com>

⁸ <http://www.fiscalpolicy.org>

⁹ <http://www.newamericaneconomy.org>

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