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Asylum Quarterly Engagement



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Reminders



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Welcome Remarks

Ted Kim, Associate Director

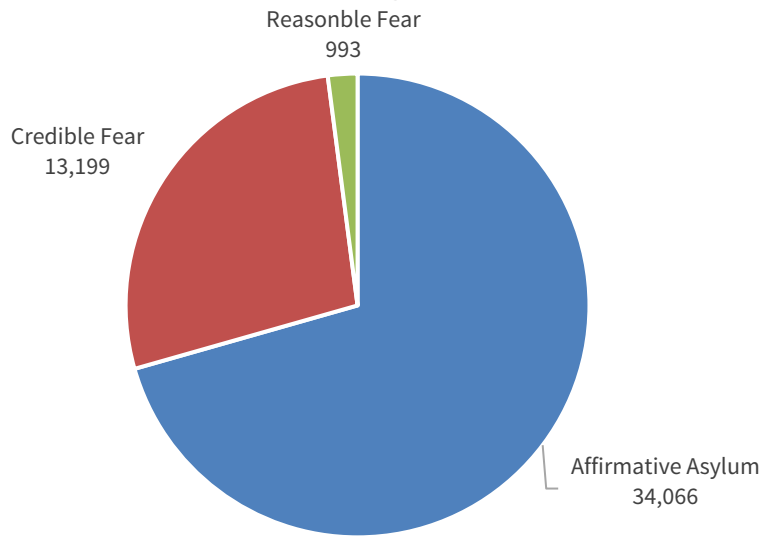
Refugee, Asylum and International Operations

Asylum Division Receipts (FY 2023)

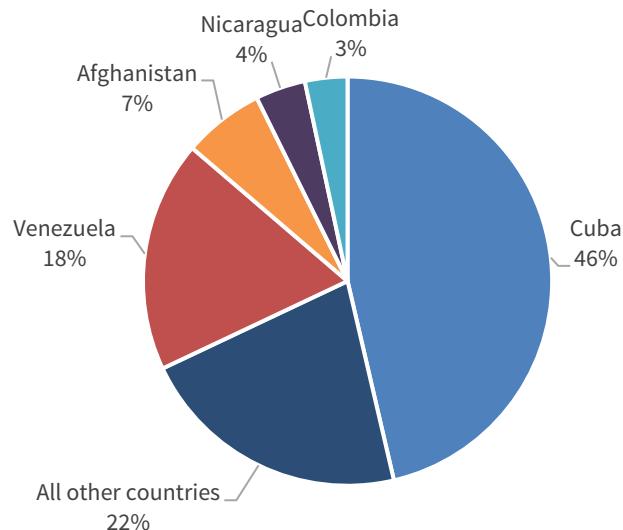


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Receipts per Program, FY 2023



Top Affirmative Asylum Nationalities, FY 2023



Data for FY 2023 includes receipts from Oct. 1, 2022, through Nov. 15, 2022.

AMI Statistics



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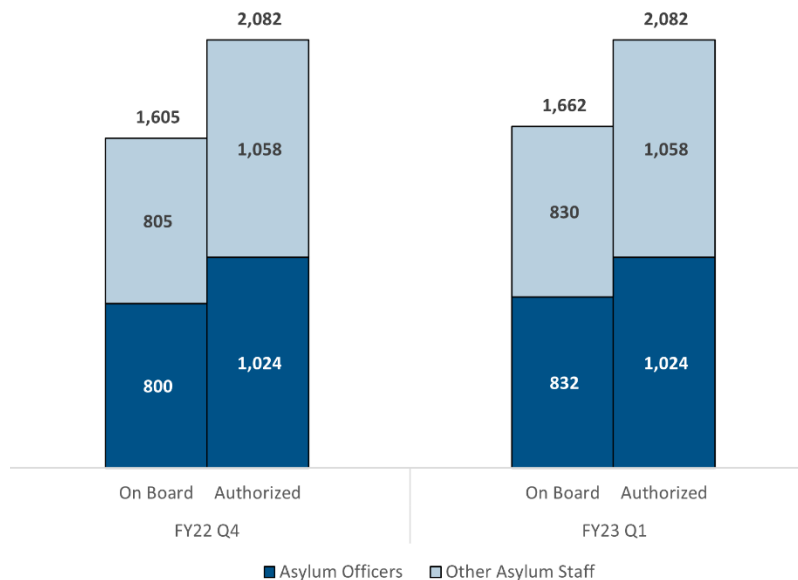
Asylum Processing Rule: Outcome Summary	Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22	Sep-22	Total
AMI-Eligible Credible Fear Claim Outcomes	600	579	845	486	2,510
Positive Fear Findings ¹	288	222	338	87	935
Negative Fear Findings ²	298	325	453	89	1,165
Admin Closed ³	3	9	6	0	18
IJ Dismissals ⁴	3	17	0	0	20
Pending Completion ⁵	8	6	48	310	372
AMI USCIS Case Outcomes	185	143	248	45	621
Asylum Granted	39	17	6	0	62
IJ Referral	85	49	2	0	136
Admin Closed ⁶	39	28	4	0	71
Pending Completion	22	49	236	45	352
AMI Cases Referred to EOIR - Comprehensive EOIR Case Outcomes	83	50	4	0	137
Relief ⁷	1	0	0	0	1
Removal Orders ⁸	10	2	0	0	12
Dismissed by IJ	1	0	0	0	1
Terminated	1	0	0	0	1
Pending	70	48	4	0	122

Asylum Hiring



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Staff Authorized and On Board by Quarter

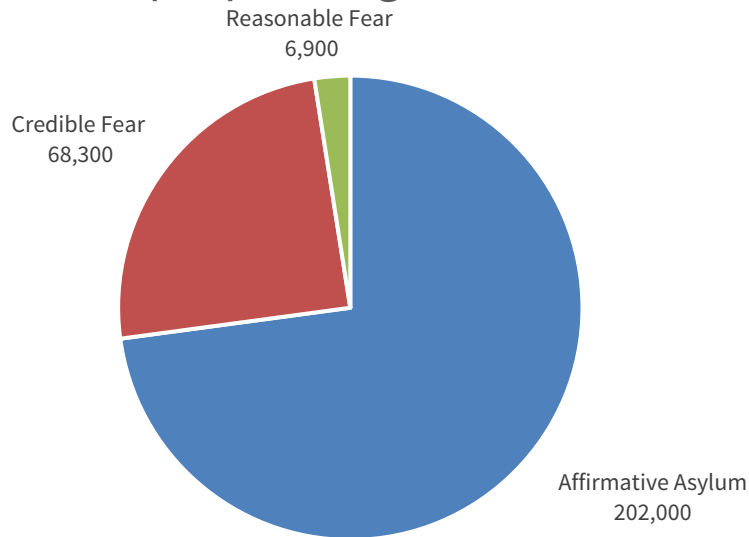


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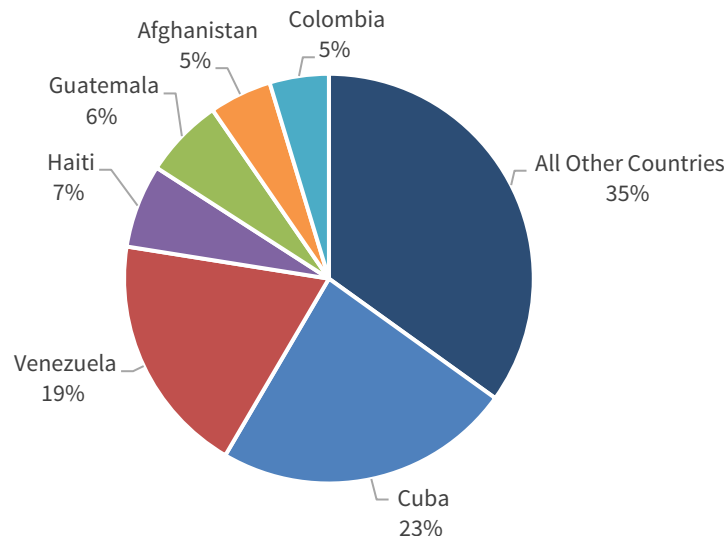


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Listening Session



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We want to hear from you!

- Operator will provide the instructions on how you can share your feedback via the phone.
- Please provide your full name and organization to the operator to make a comment.
- Limit your feedback to the topics discussed today.
- We cannot address case-specific questions.

Concluding Remarks



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USCIS Resources



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Asylum

uscis.gov/asylum

Form I-589, Application for Asylum and for Withholding of Removal (available to submit online)

uscis.gov/i-589

Information for Afghan Nationals

uscis.gov/allieswelcome

Circuit Ride Locations (Operation Allies Welcome)

uscis.gov/humanitarian/information-for-afghan-nationals/oaw-circuit-ride-locations

Exploring Refugee Officer Careers

uscis.gov/about-us/careers/career-opportunities/exploring-refugee-officer-careers

Upcoming USCIS National Engagements

uscis.gov/outreach

Electronic Reading Room

uscis.gov/records/electronic-reading-room

DHS Office of Immigration Statistics

<https://www.dhs.gov/office-immigration-statistics>

Office of Refugee Resettlement Benefits and Services Available for Asylees

acf.hhs.gov/orr/programs/refugees/factsheets

Resources available in English, Arabic, Hindi, Mandarin,
Russian, Spanish, Turkish

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