

# Sub-Saharan African Immigrant & Refugee (SSAI) Resilience Survey

# A Snapshot of Who Responded

### **Toronto**

### **Toronto Survey Respondents**



## Top Countries by Birth

Ghana (64) Ethiopia (58) Somalia (50) Nigeria (49) South Sudan (28)



My African immigrant community helps me to adapt to my new environment in Canada.

41% Agreed with this statement.

29% Strongly Agreed with this statement.

Em	ployment
Full-time:	41%
Part-time:	<b>17</b> %

Religion		
Perce	entage	
Anglican	10%	
Baptist	5%	
Catholic	25%	
Muslim	20%	
Pentecostal	12%	
Orthodox or Coptic	17%	
Other	9%	
No religion/secular beliefs	2%	

#### **PRAN Survey**

#### What & Where

- Carried out in:
  - Edmonton, Halifax, Montreal, Toronto
- Completed (1,524):
  - in English or French
  - online or paper questionnaire

#### When & How, Toronto

- January-March 2024: pilot data collection
- August 2024 March 2025: data collection
- Shared via community organizations, networks, events, & activities.

# 2021 Canadian Census SSAI population in Toronto

90% Population growth 1996 to 2021 (25 years)

#### **Top Countries by Birth**

Nigeria (23,935) Ghana (13,785) South Africa (13,165) Ethiopia (12,695) Somalia (12,400)

Total SSAI population in 2021

Official Languages
79,025
English Only
7,300
French Only
2,120
Bilingual
250
Neither









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