



# Refugee Elders Program

# Refugee Elders

- 50 and older
- 9 Countries Represented:
  - Somalia
  - Bhutan
  - Iran
  - Cuba
  - Congo
  - Sudan
  - Ethiopia
  - Burundi
  - Rwanda



# Refugee Elders Program Addresses...

- Mental Health
- Physical Health
- Acculturation
- Independence



# Program Activities



- Beginner English and Citizenship Class
- Pre-Beginner English
- Off-site Activities



# Values and Benefits

- Access to community resources
- Heavy community involvement and integration
- Opportunity to create and maintain new relationships





*Elders' Independence Day Party 2010*