



Hamilton

WELCOME AND INFORMATION GUIDE

For Ukrainians in Hamilton, Ontario

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Welcome to Hamilton

Welcome! The City of Hamilton is pleased to welcome and support you and your family as you start a new life in Canada.

Hamilton is a mid-size city in southern Ontario with a diverse population, including a strong Ukrainian community. We have a long history of welcoming displaced people from other parts of the world. A strong network of local service providers, ethnic associations, and faith communities are here to help you.

Our city is also home to world-class hospitals, highly ranked postsecondary institutions, and a vibrant economy.

Here are some facts about Hamilton:

- Population: 569,000
- 26% of Hamilton's population was born outside Canada.
- Close to 19,000 Hamiltonians identify as Ukrainian.
- Hamilton has the most diversified economy in the country.
- As a regional hub for healthcare, Hamilton was named as the best Canadian city for hospitals in 2018.
- There are over 100 waterfalls in Hamilton and many parks, including on the waterfront.

As you start your new life in Hamilton, this document provides important information about what you need to know on your first few days as well as services and supports to help you.



Pathways to immigrate to Canada

Following the invasion of Ukraine in February 2022, the Government of Canada announced special measures to bring Ukrainians to safety in Canada, including temporary and permanent pathways.

- Temporary Pathway: Ukrainians and their family members can travel to Canada through [the Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel \(CUAET\)](#) program.
- Permanent Pathway: Ukrainians with family members in Canada can be sponsored to come to Canada permanently. For more information, click [here](#) or visit <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/ukraine-measures/bring-family.html>
- To learn more about the immigration measures for Ukrainians, visit <https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/ukraine-measures.html>

Your first few days

Coming to a new country can be overwhelming, but here are some early things you can do to get started when you arrive in Canada:

When you first arrive in Canada, there is a lot to do, but there is also a lot of help available. The Welcome Package below proposes a list of things you should do before arrival and during your first days in Canada.

To find more information for Ukrainians coming to Canada, scan the QR code:



Who's eligible for temporary, emergency accommodation?

You're eligible for temporary, emergency accommodation in Canada if you meet all the following requirements:

- You've landed in Canada
- You're a CUAET holder
- You have no other place to stay

The temporary, emergency accommodations are **not** a long-term solution. You must find a place to live before your 14-night temporary stay is over. The stay cannot be extended beyond 14 nights.

Contact referral partner **Canadian Ukrainian Immigrant Aid Society (CUIAS)** to find temporary, emergency accommodations for up to 14 nights in Canada.

Canadian Ukrainian Immigrant Aid Society (CUIAS)

Email: welcomeon@cuias.org

24/7 Phone number: 1-888-557-6133

Website: <https://cuias.org/wp/>

The referral partner will:

- screen you for eligibility
- submit a referral for you through the online web portal

Please have your passports and other documentation ready before you contact the referral partner.

- For immediate emergency services and life-threatening situations, please call 911 from any phone (mobile, home or public phones).
- If you have any non-urgent medical questions or need to know where to find a clinic or hospital, call 1-866-797-0000.
- If you are experiencing stress, or would need to talk, there are on-site mental health specialists who can help. You can also access support by calling Red Cross team at the toll-free number 1-833-354-1628.

Follow COVID-19 guidelines

COVID-19 continues to be a risk to the health of everyone in Canada. Public Health Ontario has created resources in several languages, including Ukrainian, about COVID-19 and ways to protect yourself from it: <https://www.publichealthontario.ca/en/diseases-and-conditions/infectious-diseases/respiratory-diseases/novel-coronavirus/public-resources?tab=27>

Please remember that there are masking requirements in place in certain settings in Ontario. These requirements are rapidly changing, but you can keep up to date by visiting <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/public-health-measures#overview>

Hamilton has various clinics that offer COVID-19 vaccines. For locations, visit www.hamilton.ca/GetYourVaccine or by calling the **COVID-19 Vaccine Hotline at 905-974-9848, option 7**. Translation is available.

Apply for Social Insurance Number (SIN)

You will need a SIN to work or access government programs and benefits. You must complete an application for your SIN, and the application requires some supporting

documents. To check what documents you need and how to apply online, visit sin-nas.canada.ca/en/Sin/

Alternatively, you can apply in-person at a Service Canada location. Find the address for your local Service Canada location at <https://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/tbsc-fsco/sc-hme.jsp?lang=eng>

Apply for public health insurance (OHIP)

To access healthcare such as seeing a physician or using hospital services, you need to have an Ontario Health Insurance Program (OHIP) card.

Learn how to apply for OHIP at <https://www.ontario.ca/page/apply-ohip-and-get-health-card>, including what documents are needed, or call ServiceOntario INFOline at [1-866-532-3161](tel:1-866-532-3161) (TTY: [1-800-387-5559](tel:1-800-387-5559)).

Open a bank account

In order to open a bank account, you must visit a bank and show identification such as a passport, a driver's license, a SIN, or another acceptable document.

For a list of acceptable documents, visit <https://settlement.org/ontario/daily-life/personal-finance/banks/how-do-i-open-a-bank-account/> or call the Financial Consumer Agency of Canada at 1-866-461-3222 for more information.

Connect with Ukrainian-Canadian Congress

The Canadian-Ukrainian Congress Hamilton Branch is the umbrella organization that coordinates activities and supports for Ukrainians in Hamilton.

To learn more, visit <https://www.facebook.com/ucchamilton.ca/> or <https://www.ucchamilton.ca/> or phone 905 962 1916.

UCC also operates a store for new arrivals under the CUEAT program at the back of 855 Barton St. (& Gage) called "Stricha-Gathering Place", providing clothing, footwear, household, dry goods and furniture.

Store is open on the following days/times:

Wednesdays from 11:00 am-3:00 pm

Fridays 4:00pm-7:00pm

Saturdays 12:00 noon-4:00 pm

The Canadian-Ukrainian Congress national headquarters also has a website: www.ucc.ca

Contact a local settlement service provider

Local service providers assist newcomers to settle in Hamilton by providing assistance with orientation, information and referrals, language instruction, employment supports, community connections and more.

To see a list of these organizations, what service they offer and their contact information, visit <https://www.hamiltonimmigration.ca/find-services>

Housing

Finding a place to live is likely to be one of your top priorities. Your housing options depend on your needs and your budget. Housing services and supports can help you find a place to rent, access financial supports, and answer questions about rights and responsibilities as a tenant.

- Those looking for housing supports, this can be temporary, permanent or being placed with a host home they can fill out this form and our housing support team will connect with them. <https://www.ymcahbb.ca/ukrainian-housing-support-application>
Email: host.home@ymcahbb.ca
- Hamilton Housing Help Centre can help you find housing, access subsidized or supporting housing, understand your rights as a renter, and more. Visit <https://www.housinghelpcentre.ca/about-us.html>.
- This site also has rental listings <https://www.housinghelpcentre.ca/rental-listings.html>

Income support

Ukrainians in Ontario under the [Canada-Ukraine authorization for emergency travel](#) are eligible to apply for Emergency Assistance which provides temporary financial support for basic needs and shelter in crisis situations while you apply for the Federal Income Supports.

If you live in the City of Hamilton and do not have enough money for things like food, housing and prescription drugs, you may qualify for Emergency Assistance.

To apply:

- If you have a Canadian social insurance number (SIN), you can [apply online](#) <https://ea.mcass.gov.on.ca/>
- If you do not have a social insurance number, contact your local Hamilton [Ontario Works office](#) or call 905-546-4800

As a Ukrainian newcomer, you are eligible for one-time financial assistance. This assistance is a one-time payment for you to meet your basic needs. To apply, visit https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/ukraine-measures/settlement/get-financial-assistance.html?utm_source=fact-sheet&utm_medium=pdf&utm_campaign=ukraine

There are **food banks** across Hamilton that provide food items on an emergency basis to individuals and families in need. Identification for each family member and proof of income and/or residency may be required. Most food banks distribute baby food as well. For a list of food banks, visit <https://www.hamiltonfoodshare.org/contact-2/food/>

Settlement services

Settlement organizations provide you with information and assistance while you adjust to living in Canada. They provide culturally sensitive services in several languages, including assistance in finding a place to live, learning English or French, finding employment, assessing educational and professional qualifications, referrals to other services such as legal help, connecting with the community, filling out forms and applications, and answering other general concerns related to immigration or settlement.

The following organizations can provide you with orientation and information as well as assess your needs and refer you to appropriate resources in the community:

- Immigrants Working Centre
Contact Person: Rosemary Aswani, Manager of Frontline Settlement Services
Email Address: raswani@iwchamilton.ca
Phone Number: 905-529-5209 Ext 3224
Website: www.iwchamilton.ca
- YMCA of Hamilton, Burlington and Brantford
Phone Number: 905-586-8452
Email: host.home@ymcahbb.ca
Website: www.ymcahbb.ca
- YWCA Hamilton
Contact Person: Tehreem Zafar - Manager, Immigrant & Settlement Services
Email Address: tzafar@ywcahamilton.org
Phone Number: (289) 556-8059
Website: www.ywcahamilton.org/join
- Wesley
Contact Person: Leave a message with detailed information; you will receive a call back within 48 hours.
Email Address: Ukrainian.support@wesley.ca
Phone: 905 5285629 ext. 235
Website: <https://wesley.ca/program/newcomer-services-ukrainian-support/>

Language instruction

Newcomers can access free English and French language classes. Language classes help you learn or improve your language skills, provide opportunities to learn about Canadian culture and

connect with the community. Classes are offered for people with different levels of English, from literacy to advanced and occupation specific.

- In order to enroll in these classes, you first need to book a language assessment appointment with YMCA of Hamilton, Burlington and Brantford by email at immigrant.settlement@ymcahbb.ca or call 905-526-8452 or 905-662-9400.
- For information about which organizations offer language instruction, visit <https://www.hamiltonimmigration.ca/find-services>

If you'd like to participate in informal English conversation circles to improve your English and make friends, contact the following organizations to register for upcoming sessions:

- YWCA Hamilton
Rana Aldibs, RAldibs@ywcahamilton.org, 905.522.9922 ext. 180
- Hamilton Public Library
Kendra Couldery, nlc@hpl.ca
- Mohawk College
Lil Acive, lil.acive-vargas@mohawkcollege.ca, (905) 575-1212 x 3092
- YMCA of Hamilton, Burlington and Brantford
Abir Alsaïd, abir.alsaid@ymcahbb.ca, 905-531-3953
- BGC Hamilton-Halton
Rebekah Clause, rebekah.clause@bgchh.com, 905-549-2814 ext. 269
- Immigrants Working Centre
Rosemary Aswani, raswani@iwchamilton.ca, 905-529-5209 Ext #3224
Wasan Mohamad, wmohamad@iwchamilton.ca, 905-529-5209 x1252

Employment supports

Service providers in Hamilton can help you find employment. They can assist you with building job search skills, writing a resume, and preparing for interviews. They can connect you to mentorship opportunities, job placement opportunities, and more.

The following are some employment service providers in Hamilton and contact persons:

- **Mohawk College**
Beth Gibson, beth.gibson1@mohawkcollege.ca, 905-575-2421
- **College Boreal**
Luc Bonaventura, ucbonaventurea.amoussou@collegeboreal.ca, (905) 777-1562

- **YMCA**
Una Gibbons, una_gibbons@ymca.ca, 905-540-9613 or Michael Caudle, michael.caudle@ymcahbb.ca, 647-424-3271
- **YWCA**
Titilayo Adedeji, TAdedeji@ywcahamilton.org, 289. 527.4969
- **Immigrants Working Centre**
Uzma Qureshi, uqureshi@iwchamilton.ca, (905) 529-5209 x #1239
- **Wesley**
Orsida Gorishti, Orsida.gorishti@wesley.ca, 289-237-8950
- **VPI Solutions**
Ivana Zlatic, IvanaZlatic@vpi-inc.com, 905-387-2220 ext. 1410
- **Goodwill** – focus on persons with disabilities
Rachel Hunt, rhunt@goodwillonline.ca, 905-575-2177
- **Path Employment** – focus on persons with disabilities
reception@pathemployment.com, 905-528-6611

Job Bank Canada has created a portal to connect Ukrainians to job opportunities. If you need help to find work, you can contact job bank and indicate that you are a Ukrainian national:

<https://www.jobbank.gc.ca/findajob/resources/jobsforukraine>

Workforce Planning Hamilton has a job board where you can find employment opportunities in the Hamilton area: <https://www.workforceplanninghamilton.ca/jobs/>

For more information on how to navigate Hamilton's Largest Job Board, please contact info@workforceplanninghamilton.ca

Translation and interpretation

Organizations in Hamilton have staff who speak Ukrainian or Russian or can refer you to appropriate interpretation services.

If you are looking for an interpreter or need a document translated from Ukrainian or Russian, you can contact Ukrainian Canadian Congress Hamilton Branch at 906-962-1916 or Wesley at 905-528-5629 x 302 or interpretation.services@wesley.ca.

For document translation and interpretation service, you can also visit ITS Hamilton at <https://www.itshamilton.com/>. Please note that there this service is not free of charge.

Healthcare

All Canadian residents have access to health care. Canadian citizens, permanent residents, and those with a valid work permit or a temporary resident permit in Ontario qualify for public health insurance in Ontario known as OHIP. This includes people arriving in Ontario under the Canada-Ukraine Authorization for Emergency Travel (CUAET). Your OHIP card covers most health services, such as services from physicians and hospital stays. Visit a Service Ontario location to apply and obtain your OHIP card: <https://www.ontario.ca/locations/serviceontario>

Health Emergencies

- For immediate emergency services and life-threatening situations, please **call 911** from any phone (mobile, home or public phones).
- There are two urgent care centres that are operated and open 365 days a year. You are encouraged to visit an urgent care centre ***if your condition cannot wait for a scheduled doctor's appointment.***
 1. HHS Main Street West Urgent Care
690 Main St W, Hamilton, ON L8S 1A4
Noon – 7:00 p.m., 7 days a week
 2. Urgent Care-King Campus (St. Joseph's Healthcare Hamilton)
2757 King St, Hamilton, ON L8G 5E4
8:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m., 7 days a week

General Health Advice

- For general medical advice, you can call Telehealth Ontario at [1-866-797-0000](tel:1-866-797-0000)

Prescription Medications

- The Ontario Drug Benefit Program helps cover the cost of about 5,000 prescription drugs. [Learn how to get help paying for prescription drugs.](#)

Local Health Services:

If you require health care services, you can contact one of the following agencies to begin the process:

- Hamilton Urban Core Community Health Centre
Website: <http://hucchc.com>
Address: 181 Main Street West, Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y4
Phone: 905-522-3233
- Compass Community Health Centre
Website: <https://compassch.org/>
Address: 438 Hughson St. North, Hamilton, ON L8L 4N5
Phone: (905) 523-6611 ext 2000

- Refuge Hamilton Centre for Newcomer Health
Website: <https://newcomerhealth.ca/>
Address: 183 Hughson St South, Lower Level, Hamilton, L8N 2B6
Phone: 905-526-0000
- Centre de Santé Communautaire Hamilton/Niagara
Website: <http://www.cschn.ca/>
Address: 1320 Barton Street East, Hamilton, Ontario, L8H 2W1
Phone: 905-528-0163

Dental Services

- Children and youth 0-17 years old who meet the income eligibility criteria can access routine and emergency dental care through the Healthy Smiles Ontario (HSO) program. **Call 905-546-2424 ext. 5369 or visit <https://www.ontario.ca/page/get-dental-care>**
- Adults 18-64 years old with dental treatment needs may qualify for Emergency Assistance through Ontario Works. Please contact your Ontario Works case manager at 905-546-4800 for more information.
- Low income seniors 65 and older can receive free routine dental services, including dentures through the Ontario Seniors Dental Care Program (OSDCP). **Call us at 905-546-2424 ext. 3789 or email dentalclinic@hamilton.ca for more information.**

COVID-19 Vaccination

- COVID-19 Vaccines are available for free for everyone. You can book an appointment or learn more about vaccines at www.hamilton.ca/GetYourVaccine or by calling the **COVID-19 Vaccine Hotline at 905-974-9848, option 7** for vaccine clinic information. Translation is available.

Long-Term Physical Disabilities

- If you have a long-term physical disability, you can get help paying for equipment and supplies through the [Assistive Devices Program](#).

Enrolling children in school

Public schools are free and provide education to children from kindergarten to grade 12. Students are placed in their age appropriate grade.

As newcomers to Canada, there are extra supports available to your children in order to adapt to schooling in Canada. In several schools across Hamilton, a settlement (SWIS) worker is available to provide families with important information to ensure their children's needs are met.

Publicly-funded schools are managed by district school boards. Hamilton has two English-language public school boards: Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board (HWDSB) and Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board (HWCDSB).

Catholic elementary schools are open to all students who are baptized as Roman Catholic and to children who have 1 or 2 Roman Catholic parents. Sometimes, non-Catholic students can be

admitted into a Catholic elementary school. English Public elementary and secondary schools, and English Catholic secondary schools are open to all students.

1) For registration with the Hamilton-Wentworth Catholic District School Board (HWCDSB), follow these steps:

- Step 1: Contact Nicole Baldini (Assessment Clerk) at **905-525-2930 Ext 2006**
- Step 2: Complete the online or enclosed HWCDSB Registration Form
- Step 3: Have the registration documents ready to bring with you to the school
- Step 4: Connect with the school to arrange an appointment to bring the documentation and complete the registration process

Online registration forms can be found below:

- Kindergarten (4-5 years old): [Kindergarten Registration Link](#)
- Elementary (6-13 years old): [Elementary Registration Link](#)
- Secondary (14-17 years old): [Secondary Registration Link](#)

The following are documents required for registration, but if you are missing any of these documents, HWCDSB will ensure there is no delay in the process:

1. Status Documentation (i.e. Visitor Visa, Electronic Travel Authorization, etc.);
2. Student(s) passport and/or birth certificate;
3. Proof of residency in the City of Hamilton; and
4. Previous school report card (secondary only, if available).

2) For registration with the Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board (HWDSB), follow these steps:

- Step 1: Contact the HWDSB WELCOME CENTRE at **905-521-2554** to arrange a time for children to meet with a teacher for an English language assessment which will provide a starting point for English language programming at school.
- Step 2: Complete the enclosed or online HWDSB Registration Form
- Step 3: Prepare these documents for school registration: parent and child's passport, immigration documents (work permit or visitor record), proof of address i.e. a lease, and child's transcript (secondary only, if available. Even if you do not have all the required documents, continue with the registration process.
- Step 4: Connect with the school to arrange an appointment to bring the documentation and complete the registration process.

Online registration forms can be found below:

- Junior and senior kindergarten (year of birth 2018 or 2017):
<https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/kindergarten/>
- Elementary grade 1-8 (year of birth 2016-2009):
<https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/elementary/plan-for-school/>
- Secondary grade 9-12 (year of birth 2008-2003):
<https://www.hwdsb.on.ca/secondary/plan-for-high-school/>

English as a Second Language support is available in elementary schools and at four secondary schools: Westdale, Bernie Custis, Glendale, and Nora Frances Henderson.

Finding childcare

Childcare centres offer care for children while their parents work or study.

The City of Hamilton offers [financial support for childcare](https://www.hamilton.ca/people-programs/early-years-child-care/child-care-services/financial-support-child-care) to assist low-income families with their childcare expenses. <https://www.hamilton.ca/people-programs/early-years-child-care/child-care-services/financial-support-child-care>

You can look for childcare centres across the city by access Hamilton Child Care Registry at: <https://www.hamilton.ca/people-programs/early-years-child-care/child-care-services/child-care-registry>

There are different types of childcare available in Ontario:

- Licensed childcare centre
- Licensed home childcare
- Before-school and after-school care
- Unlicensed care

To learn more about the different types of childcare and how they are regulated, or to search for licensed childcare for your children, please visit the [Ontario Ministry of Education website](https://www.ontario.ca/page/ontario-ministry-of-education).

Credentials assessment

Educational and professional qualifications and standards vary from country to country. Regulated occupations and trades need you to be licensed by a provincially regulatory body to work in that occupation. That is why it is important to assess your qualifications in Canada.

Recognizing that individuals displaced by war may have limited documentation to prove their education or qualifications, the World Education Service (WES) Gateway Program offers credentials assessment services to such individuals, including Ukrainians.

To learn more about steps needed to assess your credentials, visit

<https://www.mohawkcollege.ca/new-to-canada-we-have-free-english-classes-and-more/more-programs-and-services/wes-gateway-program>

Transportation

There are many transportation options to get around the city or travel outside the city. Hamilton has public buses and dedicated bike lanes within the city as well as train and bus services to other cities. Public transit is wheelchair accessible, and there are special transportation services for people living with disabilities.

- If you would like **to drive your own vehicle**, an Ontario driver's license and insurance are required. Visit drivetest.ca to book your test and find your nearest DriveTest location.
- HSR is Hamilton's **public transit service**, with almost 300 buses operating across most of the city. HSR is a safe, convenient and affordable way to travel. For information about how you can use HSR transit, including bus schedules, fares and payment options, visit hamilton.ca/HSR.
 - There are **discounts** for seniors (65+), youth (13-19), children (0-12) and eligible low-income individuals. Hamilton residents who are 80+ can also travel for free with a Golden Age Pass.
 - HSR customer service is available 7-days-a-week to answer your questions about traveling – call 905-546-CITY. Phone translation into any language is available.
 - All buses are accessible for seniors and persons with disabilities.
 - HSR is always hiring bus drivers. If you would like a career at HSR, visit hamilton.ca/busoperator for more information.
- Hamilton has a network of bike lanes across the city. You can rent a bike from many Bike Share locations. To learn more, visit hamilton.socialbicycles.com

Recreation

The City of Hamilton offers recreation programs and services for families and residents at many pools, arenas, and centres across the city. Programs include open drop-in programs (swimming, ice skating, open gym), registered instructed programs (swimming lessons, fitness classes, sports classes), and community programs (golf, programming on parks).

- General information about recreation facilities and programs - <https://www.hamilton.ca/recreation>.
- Drop in programs - <https://www.hamilton.ca/recreation/drop-in-programs>
- Registered programs - <https://www.hamilton.ca/recreation/registered-programs>
- Recreation facility locations: <https://www.hamilton.ca/recreation/locations>
- Golf locations - <https://www.hamilton.ca/golf-hamilton>
- The Park Finder tool allows you to search for a park near you: <https://www.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=03aa87d666854771829b772a8fcc7c1e>
- The Recreation Assistance Program provides free passes and discounts for individuals and families with a low income. For more information, visit <https://www.hamilton.ca/recreation/recreation-assistance-program>
- To contact City of Hamilton's Recreation:
Email: recreation@hamilton.ca
Phone: 905-546-2424 ext. 3747

SportHamilton is the Official Sport Council for the City of Hamilton. It provides information and resources regarding sport and physical activity for all Hamilton community members, including

children, youth, adults, coaches, volunteers and administrators of over 200 registered sport organizations.

- To learn more, visit www.sporthamilton.com
Email info@sporthamilton.com
Call Helen Downey President SportHamilton 905-966-5498

Resources for Seniors

There are services and programs for seniors in Hamilton. Hamilton Public Library has put together a **Guide to Community Resources for Older Adults**, which provides information about programs and opportunities for seniors to get connected to the community as well as information about accessing financial, housing, transportation, health and mental health supports. Visit <https://seniorshamilton.ca/>.

211 Ontario helps you find programs and services in communities across Ontario, including Hamilton. It is free of charge and available 24/7. You can either search for programs online at <https://211ontario.ca/> or dial 211 on your phone to speak to a Community Navigator. 211 is available in over 150 languages.

- For a list of senior centres and clubs in Hamilton, visit <https://www.hamilton.ca/recreation/senior-centres-clubs>
- For home or community care support in Hamilton, visit Home and Community Care Support Services of Hamilton-Niagara-Haldimand-Brant (CCSS) at <http://healthcareathome.ca/hnhb/en>.
- St Matthew's House provides emergency food boxes once a month for older adults 55 years of age or older in wards 1 – 5. To book a delivery, email seniors@stmatthewshouse.ca or call 905-523-5546 ext. 240.

Ukrainian organizations and groups

Volunteer-based ethnic associations in Hamilton provide support, programs and activities to increase your sense of belonging and connections in the community. Members often share a common language and culture.

Ukrainian-Canadian Congress in Hamilton is the umbrella organization that coordinates activities and supports for Ukrainians.

Ukrainian organizations/groups in Hamilton:

- Ukrainian-Canadian Congress Hamilton Branch:
Website: <https://www.ucchamilton.ca/>
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ucchamilton.ca/>
- Ukrainian Youth Association (Hamilton Branch)
Email: cymhamilton@gmail.com
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/CYM-Hamilton-751200621618456/>
- Ukrainian National Federation (Hamilton Branch)
Website: <https://unfcanada.ca/branch/branch-hamilton/>
Address: 170 Parkdale N, Hamilton, ON L8H 5X2
Phone: 1.905.544.5664
- Ukrainian Women's Organization (Hamilton Branch)
No contact information.
For inquiries, contact Ukrainian National Federation Hamilton Branch above.
- League of Ukrainian Canadians (Hamilton Branch)
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pg/LeagueofUkrainianCanadians/events/>

Ukrainian places of worship in Hamilton:

- Holy Spirit Ukrainian Catholic Church
Website: <https://holyspirit.hsucc.ca/>
Address: 15 St Olga St, Hamilton, ON L8L 6R3
Phone: (905) 545-2914
- Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral of St. Vladimir
Website: <https://www.stvladshamilton.com/>
Address: 855 Barton St. E., Hamilton, ON L8L 6Y5
Phone: (905) 547-9777
- Ukrainian Catholic Church of the Resurrection
Address: 821 Upper Wentworth St., Hamilton, ON L8V 2H7

Phone: (905) 807-4255

- St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church
Address: 260 Melvin Ave, Hamilton, ON L8H 2K2
Phone: (905) 545-8002
- All Slavic Full Gospel Church
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