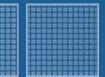


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IRIS Affiliate Agency Staff Users' Guide

Part 2: Pre-Arrival

IRIS Version 5.5.3

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Pre-Arrival

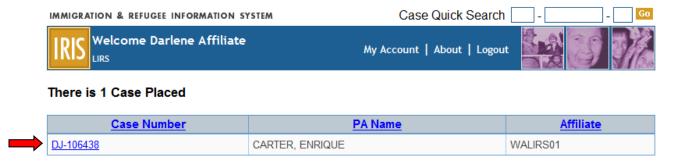
The **Pre-Arrival** tabs contain information that you need to use in preparing for your case to arrive. We will look at these functions in the following sections.

New Cases

When a case is placed or transferred to your agency, an online notification is displayed. Click on the **NEW Cases** notification link to see the list of your new cases.



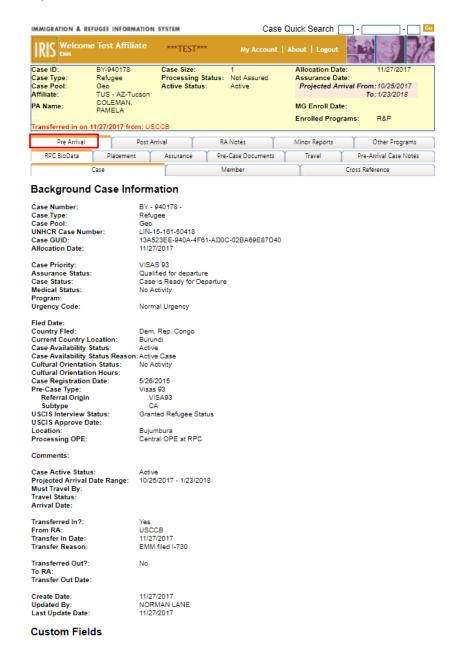
The list of new cases is displayed. Click on the **link** for a particular case number to access that case.



Reviewing BioData

Case Background

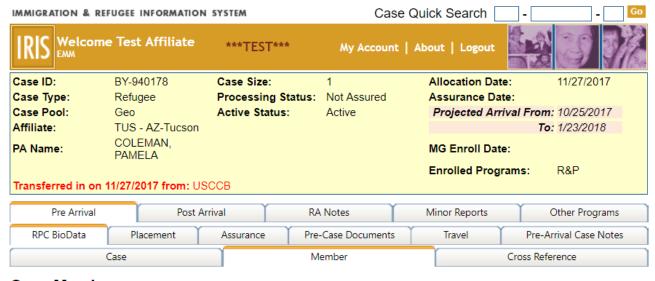
The Case and Member BioData is located in the **Pre-Arrival** section under **RPC BioData**. **Case BioData** is normally displayed as soon as you open an unarrived case. Once the case has arrived, the Post Arrival section is displayed by default. Note that the **Case BioData** information is not editable. The data is imported from RPC and can only be changed by the Resettlement Agency (RA – aka VOLAG) when RPC sends updates. A sample **RPC BioData** / **Case** screen is shown below:



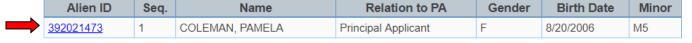
Click on the **Member** tab to view individual members of the case.

The BioData may be printed from this screen, but since some of the information in it is confidential, only those staff with medical permission may print it. If you do not have permission to see medical data, the Print Biodata Report button shown below will not be visible on your screen. See page 10 for detailed information on printing the BioData report.

The Alien number is a **link**. Clicking on it will give you on-screen access to BioData specific to that individual.



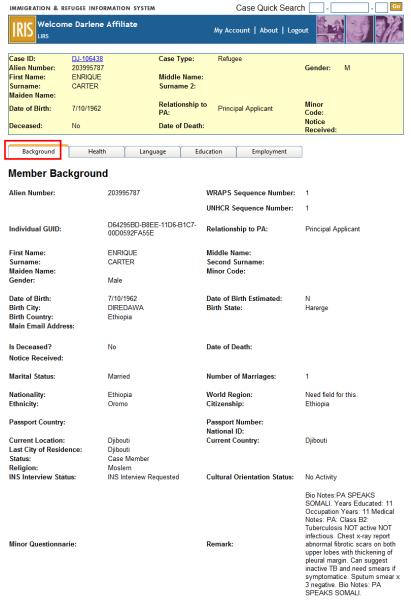
Case Members



Print Biodata Report

Case Members

Once you have clicked on an individual case member, the following Member screen is displayed. This screen contains a Member Header section at the top and five tabs: **Background**, **Health**, **Language**, **Education** and **Employment**. Note that there could also be a sixth tab if the member is a minor whose Minor Code requires that a Minor Suitability Determination Report be created. Notice that the Case ID in the Member Header is also a link; clicking on it will take you back to the case screens.



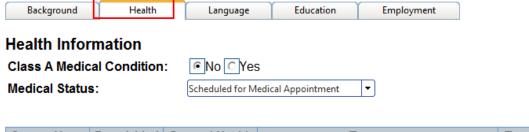
Custom Fields

Member Background

The information on this screen is, like all BioData, for viewing only. It contains information on the selected individual that was imported from the WRAPS system.

Health Information

The **Health** tab is only available to staff with medical permission.



Source Name	Date Added	General Health	Treatment	Treatment Urgency
OF-157	3/30/2002	Tuberculosis	Post Arrival Treatment is not known at this time	None

Language History



Language History

Language		Proficiency Levels	Native Language?		
Language	Reading	Reading Speaking Writing		Native Language :	
Auchania	Unknown	Good	Unknown	Yes	
<u>Amharic</u>	Created by Data Migration. The original code that cannot be translated: AM				
Factor	Good	Good	Good	No	
English	Created by Data M	ranslated: AM			
Oromo, West Central	Unknown	Unknown	Unknown	No	

Education History

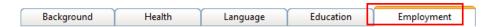


Education History

Overall Education Level: Secondary

School Name	Field of Study	School Address	Country	Level	Start Date	End Date	Degree
Kezirea Junior		97 South Walk	Cyprus	Primary	1/1/1967	11/30/1973	Diploma/Certificate
Diredawa High School		87 Lakeview Trail	Bahamas	Secondary	1/1/1974	11/30/1977	Diploma/Certificate

Employment History

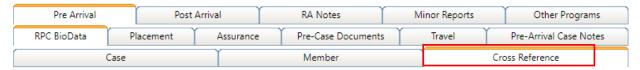


Previous Employment and Skills

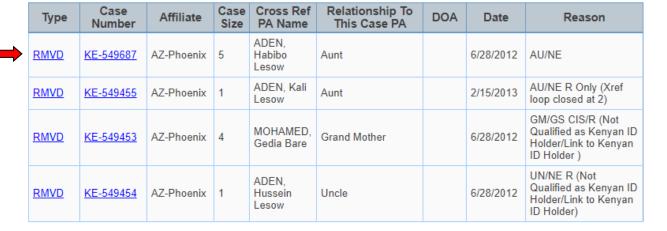
Occupation	Country	Start Date	End Date	Employer	Employment Type
Driver: Truck Diver Heavy	Svalbard				Record of a Skill

Cross References

The **Cross Reference** tab contains BioData that shows how this case may be related to other cases in the system. You may view more information about a specific cross reference by clicking on the link under Type. If the cross-referenced case is also in IRIS, then the **Case Number** would appear as a link – use the link to navigate to that cross-referenced case.

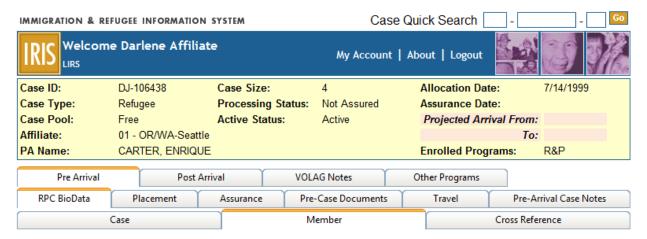


Cross References

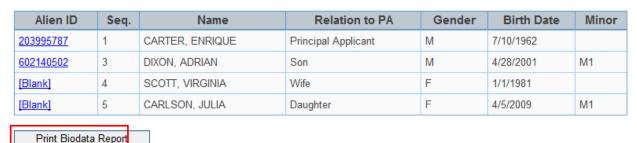


Printing BioData

In IRIS, if you have medical permission, you are able to view BioData on the screen, or you can print the traditional BioData Report from the Member screen using the Print Biodata Report button.



Case Members



The BioData will be displayed in a separate window. You can review the BioData information on the screen, **save** it to a PDF file, or **print** it.

Lutheran Immigration And Refugee Service BIODATA FORM

Case Number: DJ-106438

Principal Applicant: CARTER, ENRIQUE

Case Size: 4

Anchor Relative:

Pre-Case Document:

Case Type: Free

Urgency Level:Normal UrgencyAffiliate:OR MA-SeattleAllocation Date:07/14/1999

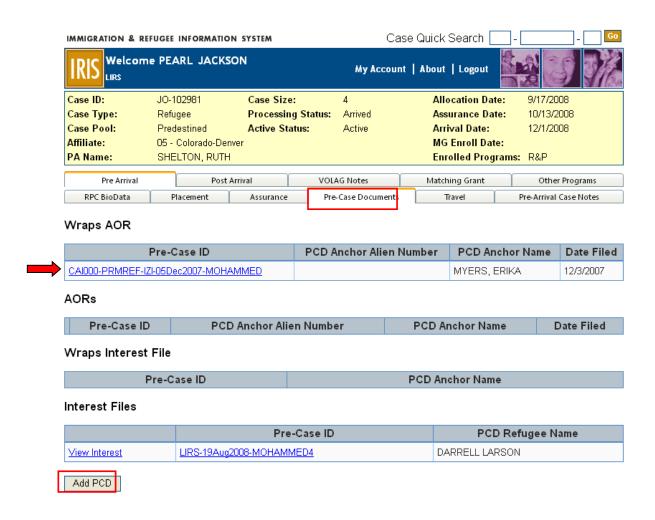


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Pre-Case Documents

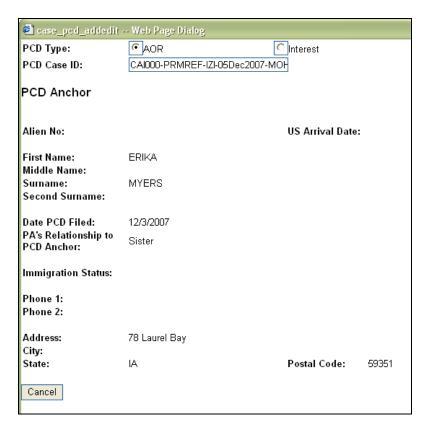
Click on the **Pre-Case Documents** tab to view any **AORs**, **Interests** or **overseas** documents that are associated with this case.

In the example below, the WRAPS BioData file contained information about an AOR associated with the case; this is shown under **WRAPS AOR**. If the AOR was matched to one that was already in IRIS, you would also see a link for it under the AORs section, with a link that would take you directly to the full AOR. The **WRAPS Interest File** and **Interest Files** sections work similarly. In this example, WRAPS did not send an interest, but IRIS interest was matched.



If you suspect or know that a case originated from an AOR or interest filed by you, use the Add PCD button to link the pre-case document to this case.

You may now view the imported data:



Linking an AOR or Interest to a Case Manually

In many cases, you can use the Advanced Search link under the **Pre-Case Processing** section on the Dashboard to locate the AOR or Interest and then link to it on this screen.

- 1. Search for Principal Beneficiary or Principal Beneficiary family members using their name or available anchor information.
- 2. Locate and note the Pre-Case ID either AOR or Interest.
- 3. Return to case and click Add PCD button
- 4. Enter Pre-Vase ID and hit Search button.
- 5. Hit Add button
- 6. Now both WRAPS AOR and AOR sections are populated.

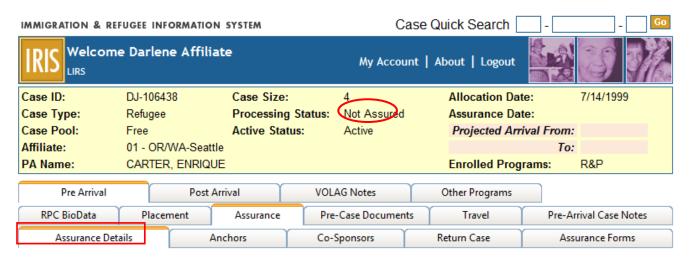
Assuring a Case

You are required to assure – or reassure – a case, in any of the following circumstances:

- A case has been placed with or transferred to your agency by the RA
- A case has been assured for one year and a new assurance is requested
- The composition of a case changes
- The anchor's address changes, a new co-sponsor for the case is identified, or one or more of the following fields for an existing co-sponsor is changed: City, State or > 50 miles checkbox is checked
- For whatever other reason, RPC requests reassurance of a case

The Assurance Status is found on the **Assurance Details** tab. Whenever a case needs to be assured, the Assurance Status is set to "Requested." In the example below, the RA just placed the case with your agency:

- Assurance Status set to "Requested"
- Processing Status changes from "Allocated" to "Not Assured"



Assurance

Target Assurance Date: 1/24/2013 Assured Date:
Assurance Status: Requested

Case Members

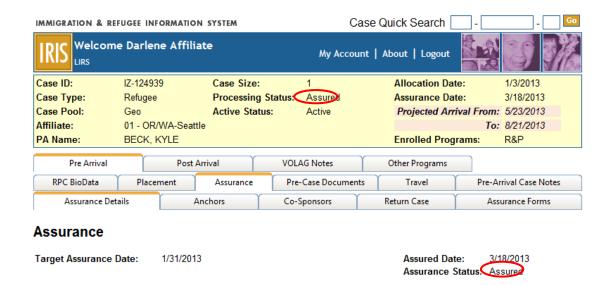
Assuring a case in IRIS is a two step process:

- 1. Affiliate completes the information on the Assurance screen (see details on pages 18-19) and submits to RA. When this occurs, the case changes status:
 - Assurance Status changes from "Requested" to "Ready to Assure"
 - Processing Status is still "Not Assured" it does not change until the RA reviews and submits the assurance to RPC

In the screenshot below, the affiliate user has just completed the assurance screens and submitted it to the RA:



- 2. The RA reviews the assurance and submits it to RPC. When this occurs, the case changes status:
 - Assurance Status changes from "Ready to Assure" to "Assured"
 - Processing Status changes from "Not Assured" to "Assured"



Note: Assurances are not transmitted to RPC individually. Rather, they are collected and sent in a **batch**, anywhere from daily to weekly, depending on volume and timing.

Various Notifications will alert you to the need for case assurance. In the screenshot below, you would click the **ALL Cases To Be Assured** notification link to see the list of one or more cases to be assured.



When you click on the **ALL Cases To Be Assured** notification link, the list of one or more cases that require assurance is displayed. The notification list shows whether the assurance is New, Amended, or Waived. Click on the Case Number of the case you wish to assure.



There are 8 cases to Assure

Assurance Target Date	Case Number	PA Name	<u>Affiliate</u>	Assurance Type
1/24/2013	DJ-106438	CARTER, ENRIQUE	WALIRS01	New
1/31/2013	<u>IZ-120536</u>	OWENS, DORA	WALIRS01	New
1/31/2013	<u>IZ-124939</u>	BECK, KYLE	WALIRS01	New
2/6/2013	<u>IZ-119962</u>	ROBERTSON, CLARENCE	WALIRS01	New
2/6/2013	KE-554056	RUSSELL, CHRISTINA	WALIRS01	New
2/6/2013	<u>IZ-132662</u>	PEARSON, DIANE	WALIRS01	New
2/6/2013	<u>IZ-119250</u>	MEDINA, DAN	WALIRS01	New
2/6/2013	KE-556142	WARREN, JOHNNY	WALIRS01	New

The Assurance Details screen for that case will be displayed. The screen should look similar to the screenshots on the next two pages.

Assurance Details

This is the main assurance screen. From here you will finalize and submit this case's assurance to the RA.

The Target
Assurance Date is
the assurance due
date, set by IRIS
based on the
BioData Urgency
Code for this case.
Generally, it is 4
weeks from the
allocation date.

Assured Date will be blank if this is a new assurance, but may be populated if you are reassuring the case.

Assurance Status

will be one of the following:

Requested – when assurance for a new case is being requested.

Ready to Assure – the affiliate office has completed the assurance and submitted it to the RA.

Case Quick Search IMMIGRATION & REFUGEE INFORMATION SYSTEM Welcome TEST AFFILIATE ***TEST*** Case ID: AF-964884 Case Size: Allocation Date: Case Type: Case Pool: Refugee SIV U.S. Ties Processing Status: Not Assured Assurance Date: Projected Arrival From: 11/7/2018 Active Status: Active 531 - TX-Fort Worth Affiliate: To: 2/5/2019 FOX, BERNARD MG Enroll Date: PA Name: Enrolled Programs: R&P Post Arrival Pre Arrival **RA Notes** Other Programs RPC BioData Pre-Case Documents Pre-Arrival Case Notes Assurance Details Return Case Assurance Forms

Assurance

Target Assurance Date: 11/14/2018 Assured Date: Assurance Status: Requested

Case Members

Name	Relationship to PA	Birth Date	Class A Addendum Required	Minor Code	Suitability Determination Required	Suitability Determination Received
FOX, BERNARD	Principal Applicant	7/23/1978	No		N/A	N/A
FERGUSON, SYLVIA	Wife	5/1/1986	No		N/A	N/A
NICHOLS, MILDRED	Daughter	5/14/2006	No	M1	N/A	N/A
SUTTON, ALICIA	Daughter	4/21/2007	No	M1	N/A	N/A
LITTLE, MICHELLE	Daughter	4/11/2011	No	M1	N/A	N/A
THOMAS, JENNIE	Daughter	6/3/2014	No	M1	N/A	N/A
SCOTT, RHONDA	Daughter	7/11/2016	No	M1	N/A	N/A

Co-Sponsors

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Assure this as an Agency Sponsored Case

Assured – the RA has signed off and submitted it to RPC via WRAPS.

Waived – an Assurance Waiver has been submitted.

Inactivated – two successive waivers have passed with no assurance submitted.

Update Info – When the affiliate updates information on an assured case. It will show what was updated on the history grid

Case Members lists the members of the case and shows if additional information – Class A Addendum or Minor Suitability Determination is needed to assure the case.

Co-Sponsors shows one or more sponsoring organizations or individuals. This information is populated by clicking the cosponsor's name or the Co-**Sponsors** tab.

To assure a free case with no anchor or local sponsor, click the "Assure this as an Agency Sponsored Case" checkbox. This will allow the assurance to be submitted without entering a validated anchor or co-sponsor.

Present Location is pre-filled from the case information but

can be updated.

Placement Office is pre-filled with

your agency name and cannot be changed.

Placement City is

the city where the case will be placed. For agency sponsored cases, IRIS will pre-fill this with agency city.

Placement State

is the state where the case will be placed. For agency sponsored cases, IRIS will pre-fill this with agency state.

Placement Code

is assigned by the RA before they submit assurance to RPC.

Final Destination

is the airport where the case members will be picked up when they arrive.

Special Instructions is added by RA before they submit to RPC.

Present Location: * Placement Office: Placement City: * Placement State: * Placement Code:	Afghanistan Refugee Services of Texas, Inc Fort Worth Fort Worth TX
Final Destination: * Special Instructions:	DFW - Dallas/Fort Worth Int'I ▼
Other Bio Information:	

I confirm all of the information is correct and this case is ready to be assured by Resettlement Agency.

Assure Save

Fields marked by an asterisk (*) are required.

Assurance History

Date	Status	Reason	ChangedBy
11/8/2018	Requested		

Other Bio Information can be added either by affiliate agency or RA.

When you have completed this page and are ready to submit the assurance, check the checkbox stating "I confirm all of the information is correct and this case is ready to be assured by VOLAG" and then click the Assure button. The case is not fully assured until the RA has review and submitted it to RPC.

Note that the Confirm checkbox and the Assure button will only be activated if an anchor is confirmed or if the case is being assured as an Agency Sponsored case. Learn how to confirm an anchor in the next section.

You can save the form without submitting it by clicking on the Save button.

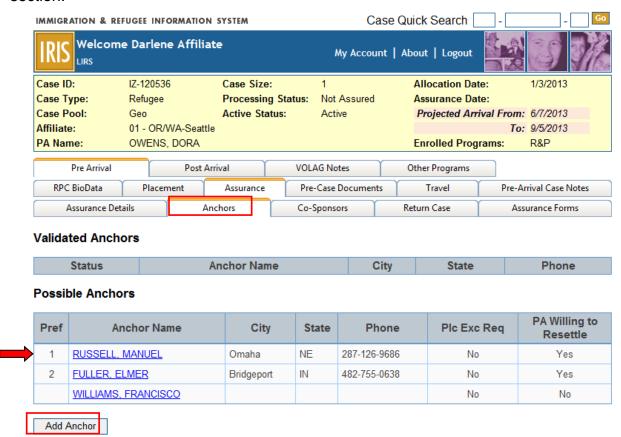
A record of this case's assurance(s) can be viewed in the section titled **Assurance History** at the bottom of the screen.

Once you submit an assurance, the case is removed from your <u>ALL Cases To Be Assured</u> notification.

Anchors

Navigate to the **Anchors** tab to identify or add an Anchor for this case. Note that you get to the Anchors tab by clicking on the Assurance tab. When you click the **Anchors** tab, you may see a list of Possible Anchors. This information, if it exists, was imported along with the case BioData.

You will also see a section for Validated Anchors, which will be empty, initially. To assure an anchor, you will either be **adding** an anchor using the Add Anchor button, or you will be taking one of the Possible anchors and moving them to the Validated section.



You can either click on the **link** for a particular possible anchor to see additional information populated from BioData, or you can use the Add Anchor button to get a blank Anchor Form so that you can add a new anchor to the system for this case.

A pre-populated form for the existing anchor is shown on the following page.

IMMIGRATION & RI	FUGEE INFORMATION	ON SYSTEM	С	Case Quick Search 60			
IRIS Welcome Darlene Affiliate				My Account About Logout			
Case ID:	IZ-120536	Case Size:	1	Allocation	on Date: 1/3/2013		
Case Type:	Refugee	Processing St			ce Date:		
Case Pool:	Geo	Active Status:			ed Arrival From: 6/7/2013		
Affiliate:	01 - OR/WA-Sea	ittle			To: 9/5/2013		
PA Name:	OWENS, DORA			Enrolled	I Programs: R&P		
Pre Arrival	Post	t Arrival	VOLAG Notes	Other Prog	rams		
RPC BioData	Placement	Assurance	Pre-Case Documen	ts Travel	Pre-Arrival Case Notes		
Assurance De	tails	Anchors	Co-Sponsors	Return Case	Assurance Forms		
Anchor Info	rmation				Anchor For		
First Name: *	MANUEL		US Residen	? * • Yes O No	1		
Middle Name:			Gender: *	Male ○ F			
Surname: *	RUSSELL		Gender.	iviale C	emale		
Second Surname:							
Marital Status:	Married						
Maiden Name							
Nationality:	United States of Am	erica 🔻					
Birth Date:	1/1/1967		Estimated?	C Yes © No)		
Birth City:	Basra IZ		Country:		▼		
Deceased Date:	Buora IL		oounay.				
Deceased Date.		100					
Case Number:							
U.S. Arrival Date:							
US Address: *	39 Ridge Rd						
City: *	Omaha						
State: *	Nebraska	▼	Zip: *	26981			
Country: *	United States of Am	erica 🔻					
Phone 1: * 287-12	26-9686	7					
Phone 2:		=					
		-					
Phone 3:							
Cell Phone:							
Email:							
Comments:							
Comments.			w				
	s a Placement Exce eption Form Upload						
Case Resettler	nent Preferenc	es			PA Willingness To Resett		
Case Member	Alien Number	Relationship T	o Case Member	Preference			
Case Member 022672273	Alien Number	Relationship T	o Case Member	1	Yes		
022672273 Validation Final Destination:		Brother	o Case Member				
022672273 Validation	Seattle Tacoma Int'l	Brother					

Anchor Information

If you clicked an existing Anchor link, you will see an **Anchor Information screen** that is already completed (as shown at left). You can update the information that is here by filling in missing or changing incorrect fields. In many cases, the information provided by RPC is outdated by the time you get it.

If you clicked the
Add Anchor button,
you will get the same
screen, but it will be
blank. Complete the
required information to
continue.

If you check the "Anchor Requires a Placement Exception" box, this will trigger a placement exception request.

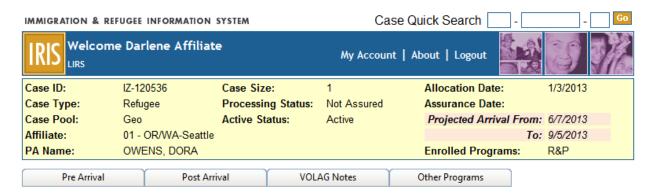
If this is the anchor you are assuring for the case, then check the box "I confirm that the anchor was validated" and click the Save button.

Checking this box will place the anchor in the Validated Anchors section.

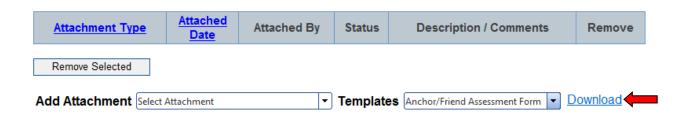
Anchor Forms

On the Anchor Information screen, you can click on the **Anchor Forms** link to access anchor template documents, and to upload your completed documents about this anchor into the IRIS system.

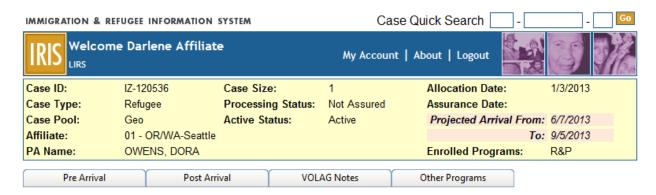
To open a blank copy of a form, click on the **Template** dropdown and select the template form you wish to download. A **Download** link will appear. Click on that link, complete the form, and save the form on your system.



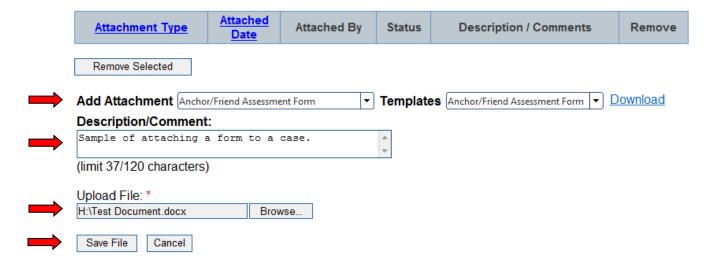
Anchor Forms



Now that you have completed the form, you are ready to attach it to the case. To do so, click the **Add Attachment** dropdown. Once you have selected the type of document you will be attaching, a **Description/Comment field** and an **Upload File** field will appear. Add a comment if you desire and click **Browse** to locate the file you saved on your system. Upon selection, the name of the file will display in the Upload File field. Click **Save File** to complete the process of uploading the form to the case. If you do not do this, the file will not be uploaded.

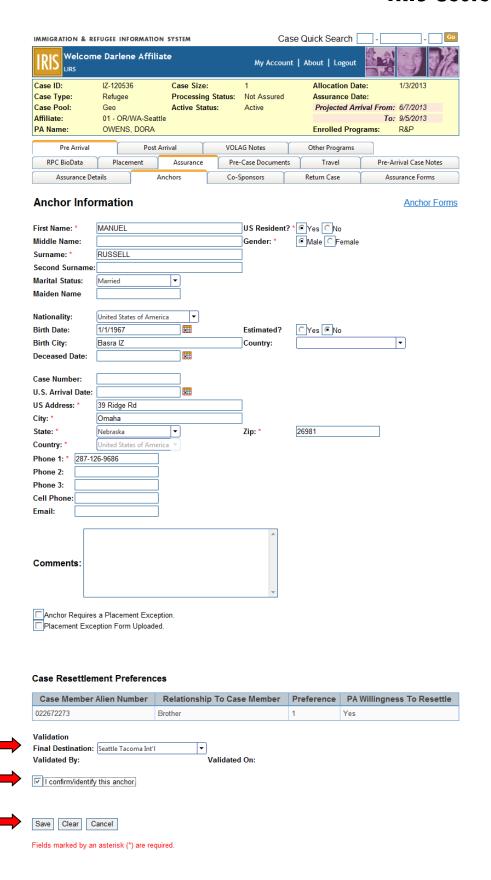


Anchor Forms

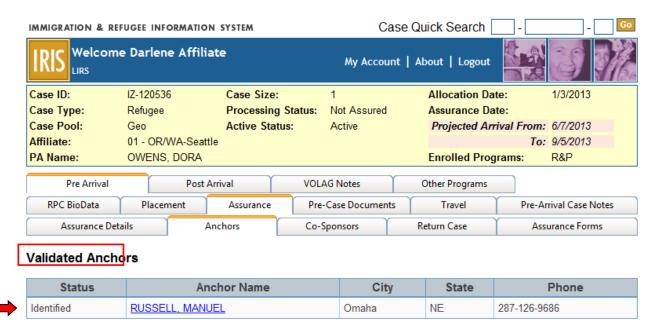


Validating an Anchor and Completing an Assurance

On the Anchor Information screen for the anchor you wish to validate, enter a final destination airport, check the confirmation checkbox, and click the Save button.



IRIS will return you to the **Anchors** tab, where you will see the **newly confirmed** anchor, which is now in the **Validated Anchors** section.



Possible Anchors

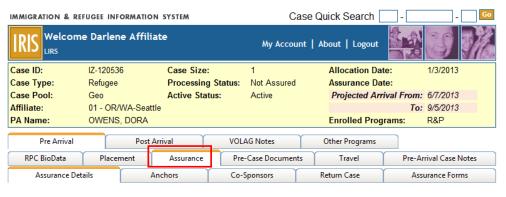
2 FULLER, ELMER Bridgeport IN 482-755-0638 No Yes WILLIAMS, FRANCISCO No No No	Pr	ref	Anchor Name	City	State	Phone	Plc Exc Req	PA Willing to Resettle
WILLIAMS, FRANCISCO No No	:	2	FULLER, ELMER	Bridgeport	IN	482-755-0638	No	Yes
			WILLIAMS, FRANCISCO				No	No

Add Anchor

You can now navigate back to the Assurance tab and complete the assurance, as described below. **Note:** The assurance is not submitted to the RA until you complete the assurance and the Assurance Status changes to "**Ready to Assure**".

Completing an Assurance

Click the **Assurance** tab to assure a case. Scroll down to the bottom section of the screen, after Co-Sponsors. Complete the required fields – **Present Location** and **Final Destination**. You may also add **Other Bio Information** if desired. Then check the checkbox to confirm that the case is ready to be assured, and click the **Assure** box. After clicking the **Assure** box, you will notice that the **Assurance Status** has changed from "Requested" to "**Ready to Assure**" and that a corresponding entry has been made in the **Assurance History** grid.



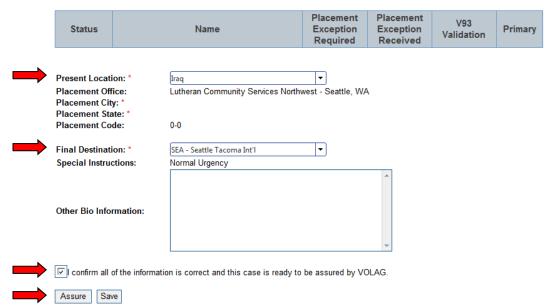
Assurance

Target Assurance Date: 1/31/2013 Assured Date: Assurance Status: Ready To Assure

Case Members

Name	Relationship to PA	Class A Addendum Required	Minor Code	Suitability Determination Required	Suitability Determination Received
OWENS, DORA	Principal Applicant	No		N/A	N/A

Co-Sponsors



Fields marked by an asterisk (*) are required.

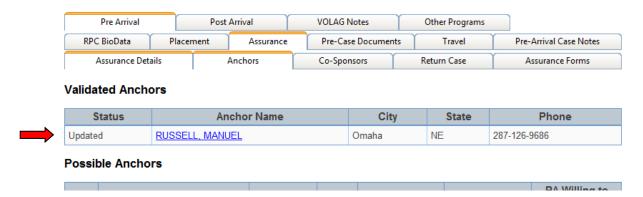
Assurance History

Date	Status	Reason		ChangedBy
3/18/2013	Ready To Assure		Darlen	Affiliate
3/18/2013	Updated Info	Anchor has been confirmed.	Darlene	e Affiliate
1/3/2013	Requested			

Replacing or Editing Anchors

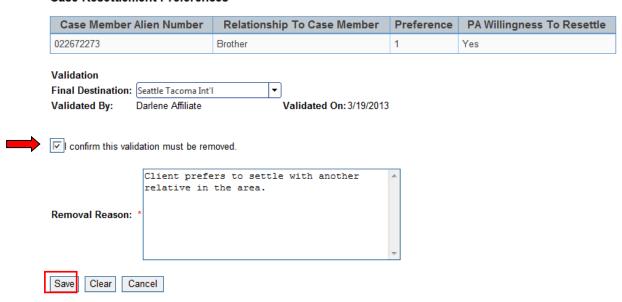
If information on a validated anchor changes, you can update the information and reassure the case at any time. Navigate to the **Anchors** tab, click on the link of the **validated anchor's** name, update the appropriate fields and click the Save button.

The sample screen below shows how the status of a "Confirmed" Anchor changes to "Updated" after you make a change:

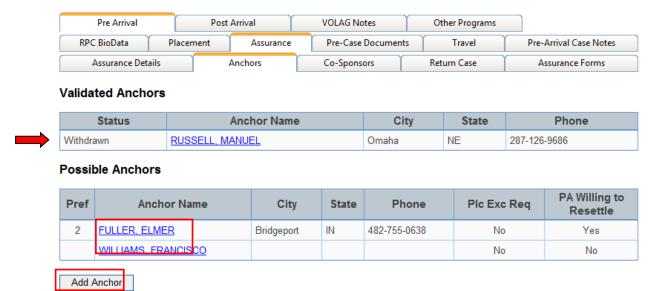


If the person who anchors the case actually changes, either **during** the assurance process or **afterward**, you can remove and replace the validated anchor. Start by clicking on the **validated anchor's name**. At the bottom of the Anchor Information screen, a new checkbox is displayed: "I confirm this validation must be removed." Check this box, enter a reason in the **Removal Reason** text box and then click the Save button.

Case Resettlement Preferences



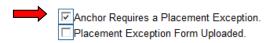
The Validated Anchor section still has the anchor listed, but with a status of "Withdrawn" rather than "Confirmed".



Note: Once you have withdrawn a validated anchor, that person cannot be confirmed again. Either select a different Possible Anchor, or add a new anchor using the Add Anchor button.

Anchor Placement Exception

If the anchor is located more than 100 miles from the Affiliate office or over a state line (regardless of distance), check the "Anchor Requires a Placement Exception" box and click the Save button. Note that you will not be able to validate the anchor until the placement exception is approved by the RA.

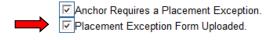


Case Resettlement Preferences

Case Member Alien Number	Relationship To Case Member	Preference	PA Willingness To Resettle
049150283	Friend	1	Yes
Validation Final Destination: Seattle Tacoma Int' Validated By: I confirm/identify this anchor.	∨ Validated On:		
Save Clear Cancel			

You will find the Placement Exception Form template under the **Assurance Forms** tab. (Note: All forms in IRIS may also be located from the dashboard under **Administration/All Forms**). Complete and save the form in IRIS. The process is the same as that for anchor forms discussed on page 22.

Once you have saved the form in IRIS, check the "Placement Exception Form Uploaded" box on the Anchor Information screen and click the Save button.



Case Resettlement Preferences

Case Member Alien Number	Relationship To Case Member	Preference	PA Willingness To Resettle
049150283	Friend	1	Yes
	▼ Validated On: De validated. Please check that any needed	d placement exc	eptions are approved.
Save Clear Cancel			

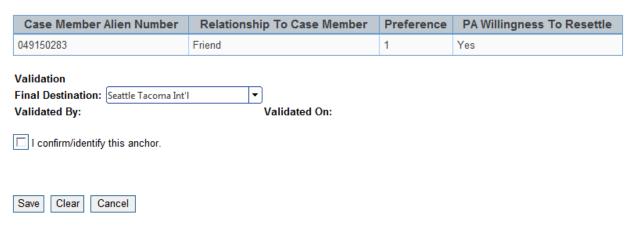
IRIS will send the RA an e-mail to alert them your form is ready for review. If they approve it, they will then submit it to RPC. Upon receipt of approval from RPC, the RA will complete the Placement Exception fields on the Anchor Information screen, indicating when they received approval from RPC. The below fields are only open to the RA, but are shown here for your information. You will receive an e-mail once the RA has completed these steps.



Once the placement exception has been approved, your Anchor Information screen will look like this:



Case Resettlement Preferences



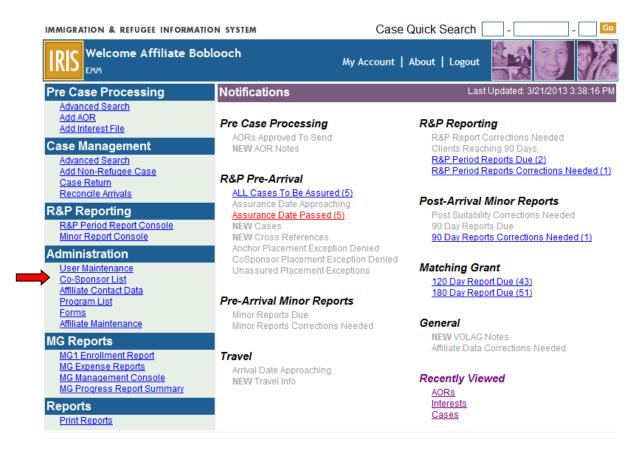
You may now complete the anchor validation process, as described on page 23.

Co-Sponsors

Some Resettlement Agencies use Co-Sponsors and some do not. Check with your RA if you are uncertain about this.

Adding a New Co-Sponsor

Click the Co-Sponsor List link under the Administration section of the Dashboard.

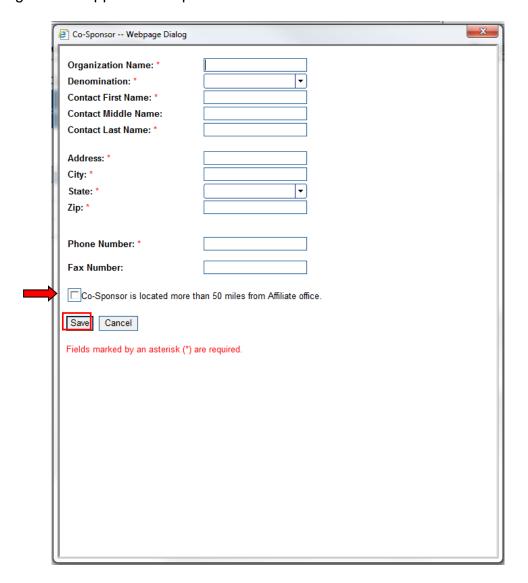


Click the Add Co-Sponsor button.

Co-Sponsors

Christ Episcopal Church	Terry Franzen	770-447-1166	Norcross	GA
St. Luke's Episcopal Church	Panke Miller	404-636-7172	Atlanta	GA
JUBILEE PARTNERS	Jennifer Drago-Smith	706-783-5131	Comer	GA

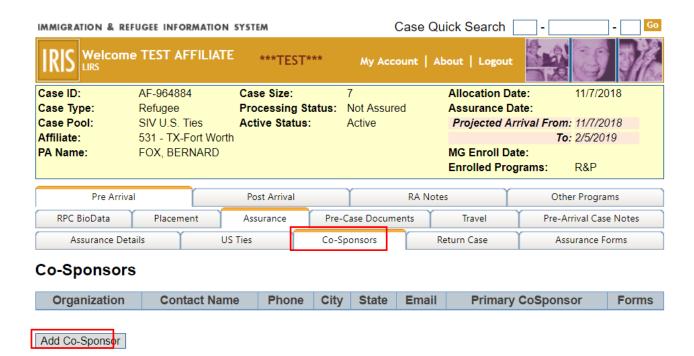
A dialog box will appear. Complete the information and click the **Save** button.



Adding a Co-Sponsor to a Case

On the **Co-Sponsors** tab you can enter one or more organizations or individuals who will volunteer or otherwise assist with the case.

Initially, there will be no co-sponsors in the Co-Sponsor list. To add one, click the Add Co-Sponsor button.



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When you click the Add Co-Sponsor

button, a dialog box will appear, allowing you to select a Co-Sponsor from a dropdown.

Notice that Organization is the only field available at the top of the screen. Open the dropdown and select the appropriate organization or person. If what you are looking for does not appear in the dropdown, contact an affiliate supervisor to have it added to the Co-Sponsor List.

Organizations: *

Once you have selected the co-sponsor, all of the co-sponsor information is filled in.

A case may have more than one co-sponsor identified, but only one can be used to assure a case. The one with "Primary Co-Sponsor" will be the one used to assure the case.

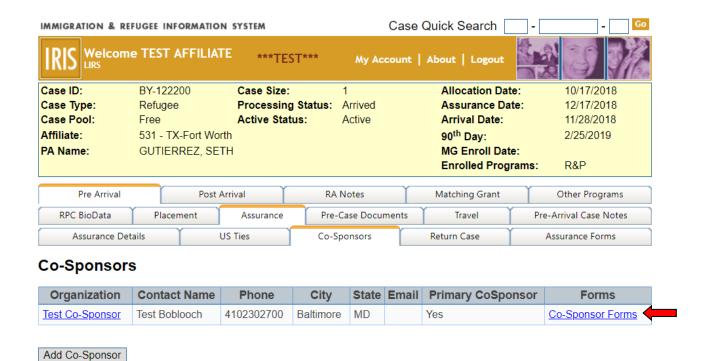
If the co-sponsor is located more than 50 miles away, you will be required to confirm that the refugees will live within 50 miles of your office by checking the checkbox before you can save the co-sponsor.

Click the Save button to save this co-sponsor for this case.

	· .
Organization Name: Denomination: Contact First Name: Contact Middle Name: Contact Last Name:	Test Co-Sponsor Non Lutheran Church Test Test Boblooch
Address: City:	700 Light Road Baltimore
State:	MD
Zip:	21231
Phone Number:	4102302700
Fax Number: Cell Number: Email:	
	more than 50 miles from affiliate office or across a state line. gees will live within 50 miles of the affiliate office in the same state.
Case Comments:	
Primary Co-Sponsor.	
Save Clear Cancel	
Fields marked by an aster	isk (*) are required.

Test Co-Sponsor

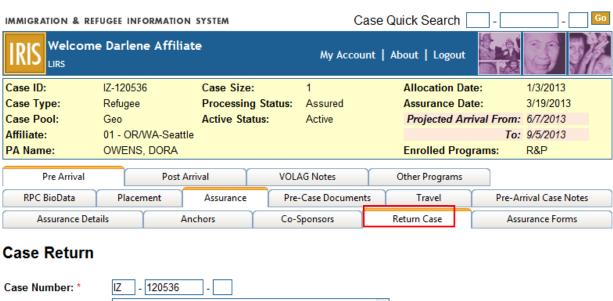
Use the **Co-Sponsor Forms** link to access templates and upload completed forms for this Co-Sponsor.

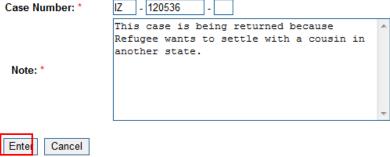


Return Case

Return Case is a supervisory function that allows the affiliate, in coordination with the RA, to send the case back to the RA. This removes the case from the affiliate's roster, and allows the RA to then place it with a different affiliate, or to transfer it to a different RA.

Enter a note in the **Note field** documenting why the case is being returned. Once the Enter button is clicked, the case is returned and IRIS notifies the RA that they are getting the case back.

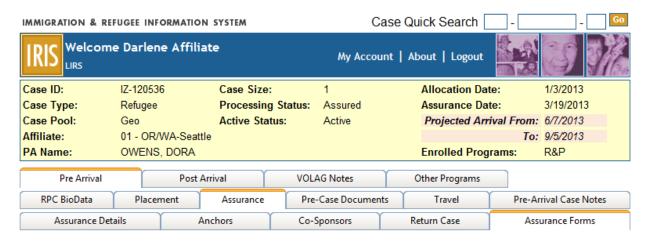




Fields marked by an asterisk (*) are required.

Assurance Forms

You can use this section to attach any documentation about the assurance as a whole.



Assurance Forms



Please see page 22 for instructions on how to use templates and upload completed forms into IRIS.

Minor Suitability Determination

If there is a minor in the case that requires a **Minor Suitability Determination** (M5, M6), the **Assurance Details** tab will show a "**Yes**" in the suitability Determination Reg. column next to the appropriate members. The screen shot below depicts an example.

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Case Quick Search



Welcome ARTHUR JOHNSON

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Case ID: Case Type: EG-108278 Refugee

Case Size: Processing Status: Arrived Allocation Date: Assurance Date: 11/15/2 1/2/20

Case Pool:

Geo

Active Status: Active

Arrival Date:

4/24/2

Affiliate:

17 - FL-Tampa

MG Enroll Date:

Enrolled Programs: R&P

PA Name:

JENKINS, FERNANDO

Post Arrival VOLAG Notes Pre Arrival Matching Grant Minor Reports Other RPC BioData Placement Assurance Pre-Case Documents Travel Pre-Arrival Cas Assurance Details Return Case Assurance F Anchors Co-Sponsors

Assurance

Target Assurance Date: 11/29/2012 Assured Date:

1/2/2014

Assurance Status: Assured

Print

Case Members

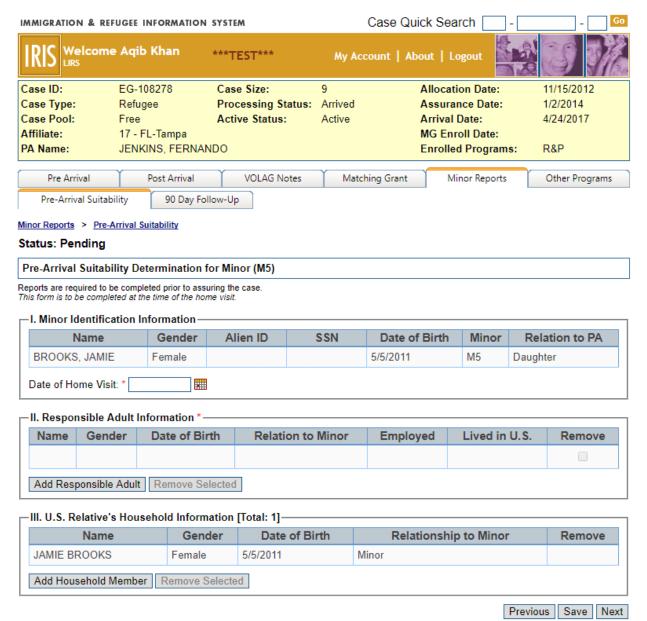
Name	Relationship to PA	Birth Date	Class A Addendum Required	Minor Code	Suitability Determination Required	Sui Deter Re
JENKINS. FERNANDO	Principal Applicant	10/26/1965	No		N/A	
SULLIVAN, ERIKA	Wife	1/29/1969	No		N/A	
WARD, AMANDA	Daughter	8/31/1993	No		N/A	
REYNOLDS, RENE	Son	2/28/1995	No		N/A	
JONES, JASON	Son	7/4/1997	No	M1	N/A	
BROOKS, JAMIE	Daughter	5/5/2011	No	M5	Yes	
LAWSON, ROBERTO	Son	3/8/2004	No	M1	N/A	
MORRIS, JOANN	Foster Daughter	5/5/2011	No	M2	N/A	
RICHARDS, KELLY	Son	10/23/2013	No	M1	N/A	

To complete a Pre-Arrival Minor Suitability Determination Report, navigate to the **Minor Reports** tab and click on the minor's **Suitability Status**. Suitability Type will display the type of suitability determination required for the minor.

Note: New Pre-Arrival Minor Suitability Determination forms are displayed in IRIS with an effective date of 10/01/2017. The effective date can be changed from IRIS Variables.



Click on the **Pending** hyperlink and fill in the fields on the form. An example of the online form is shown below.



If you cannot complete the entire form in one session, you can save without submitting to the RA by clicking the Save button. Previous button will take you back to Minor Suitability grid and Next button will take you to Section IV of the form. When ready to submit it to the RA, click the Submit button.

IMMIGRATION & REFUGEE INFORMATION SYSTEM Case Quick Search							
IRIS Welcome	Aqib Khan	***TEST***	Му Асс	ount About Log	out		
Case ID: Case Type: Case Pool: Affiliate: PA Name:	EG-108278 Refugee Free 17 - FL-Tampa JENKINS, FERNA	Active Status	9 tatus: Arrived : Active	Allocatio Assurand Arrival D MG Enro Enrolled	ce Date: ate:	11/15/2012 1/2/2014 4/24/2017 : R&P	
Evaluation	Pre Arrival Post Arrival VOLAG Notes Matching Grant Minor Reports Other Programs Pre-Arrival Suitability 90 Day Follow-Up Evaluation Minor Reports > Pre-Arrival Suitability > Evaluation						
Pre-Arrival Suitabi	e completed prior to as	suring the case.					
This form is to be comple Name	Gender	Alien ID	SSN	Date of Birth	Minor	Relation to PA	
BROOKS, JAMIE	Female			5/5/2011	M5	Daughter	
IV: Evaluation of Living situation When you select "No" to question(s) 1, 3, 5, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22 and/or 23, a text box will display for your required explanation(s) and recommendation(s). 1. Do the adult and minor know each other? * Yes No 2. When and where did the Responsible Adult last see the minor? * (Limit 0/2000 characters)							
3. Was the responsible adult a caretaker to the minor outside the U.S.? * Yes No 4. Describe the nature and extent of any previous relationship between the child and the family unit prior to the minor's							
arrival in the United	l States. (i.e. did m	inor previously	live in the same l	nousehold?) *	,	r	
						//	
5. Will the responsi	ble edult be living	with the miner?					

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Yes No

6. What are the Responsible Adult's expectations about the potential reunification of the minor with her/him? * (Limit 0/2000 characters)
7. Does the minor have other family members in the U.S. that are not listed in the same household? * Yes No
8. Will the minor share a bedroom? * Yes No
9. Will the minor share a bed? * Yes No
10. Is the minor of school age? *
 ─ Yes ─ No (Under School Age) ─ Not Applicable (Over School Age)
11. Will the minor need supervision when he or she is not attending school/daycare? * ○ Yes ○ No ○ N/A
12. Has the responsible adult been informed of the minor's Medical/mental history? * Yes No N/A (No medical or mental health noted)
13. Does the home appear to be safe for the minor (age appropriate safety measures)? *
○ Yes ○ No Please provide a description of the home, neighborhood, and community conditions (e.g. housing quality, community safety, relationship with neighbors, etc.) as observed by the caseworker and described by the Responsible Adult. * (Limit 0/2000 characters)
14. How does the responsible adult plan to handle the additional financial responsibilities associated with caring for the minor? *
If not, what follow-up actions are being taken to ensure the financial stability of the minor? * (Limit 0/2000 characters)
15. Is the responsible adult informed of the legal guardianship requirements from the Statement of Responsibility? * ○ Yes ○ No ○ N/A (M5 cases)
16. Does the responsible adult intend to obtain legal guardianship? * ☐ Yes ☐ No ⑥ N/A (M5 cases)
17. Does the responsible adult understand that they will be legally responsible for payment of the IOM Travel Loan? * Yes No
18. Does the responsible adult understand the state laws pertaining to child abuse/neglect? * ○ Yes ○ No

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19. Has anyone in the household age 16 and over ever been found responsible for a substantiated case of abuse/neglect to a minor? *YesNo
20. Does the responsible adult understand the ongoing care and supervision needs of the child? * \odot Yes \odot No
21. Is the responsible adult willing to provide ongoing care and supervision of the child? * Yes No
22. Is the responsible adult able to provide ongoing care and supervision of the child (i.e. they are physically, mentally, emotionally, and financially able to meet the child's care and supervision needs.)? * Yes No
 23. Based on your answers above, is the family unit willing and able to provide ongoing care and supervision of the minor?* Yes No
Caseworker Assessment * (Limit 0/6000 characters) Describe your overall impressions of the minor's placement. Be specific, and use concrete examples to support your assessment.
Section V: Recommendation
On the basis of the information documented in this suitability determination, I recommend:* The placement is approved. Please identify airport of final destination. The placement is denied. Please contact Resettlement Agency HQ immediately.
Print Save Submit

Fields marked by an asterisk (*) are required.

Once you have submitted the Pre-Arrival Minor Suitability Determination Report to the RA, the bottom of the report will change to look like the following. You will notice that the Save and Submit buttons have been removed and an entry has been added to the Suitability Determination Report History grid.

Suitability Determination Report History

Status	Incomplete Reason	Changed By	Date
Submitted		Aqib Khan	8/23/2017

The RA will receive a notification that the report has been submitted.

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Case Quick Search

Welcome Agib Khan LIRS

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Pre-Case Processing

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Pre-Case Processing

AORs Sent by Affiliate (114) AORs Submitted to RPC/RSC **NEW AOR Pre-Case Notes** Minor Aging/Aged Out (14) P3 Filing Deadline (2)

Case Composition Alerts

Split Cases & Members Added (126)

R&P Pre-Arrival

ALL Cases To Be Assured (26) Assurance Date Approaching Assurance Date Passed (26) Assurance Inactivated (10) Assurance Ready (3) Cases Returned by Affiliate (1) **NEW Cases** Unassured Placement Exceptions (1) Minors Who Aged Out Prior To Arrival (28) Unarrived URMs About To Age Out

Pre-Arrival Minor Reports

Minor Reports Due

Minor Reports Submitted (2)

Minor Reports Corrections Needed

Travel

Arrival Date Approaching (7) **NEW Travel Info** No Final Booking View Unmatched Travel View eABN Imports

R&P Cultural Orientation

Case CO Assessment Due/OverDue (744) Case CO Assessment Submitted (36) Member CO Assessment Due/OverDue (1023) Member CO Assessment Submitted (63)

R&P Period Reports

R&P Period Reports Due (205)

R&P Period Reports Submitted (42)

R&P Period Reports OverDue (119)

R&P Period Reports Corrections Need

Post-Arrival Minor Reports

Post Suitability Due (1)

Post Suitability Submitted

Post Suitability Corrections Needed

90 Day Reports Due (5)

90 Day Reports Submitted

90 Day Reports Corrections Needed (

Matching Grant

120 Day Report Due (55)

120 Day Report Status Change

180 Day Report Due (109)

180 Day Report Status Change

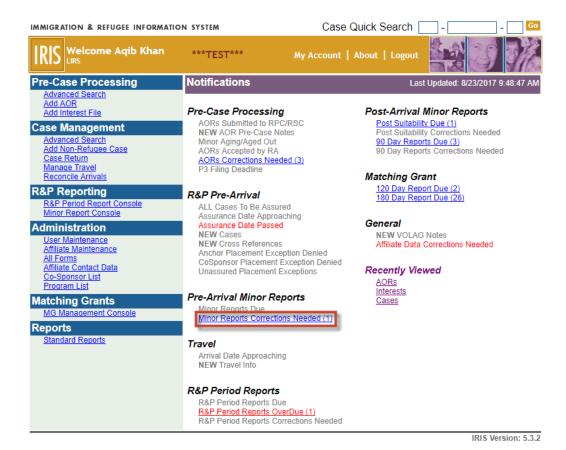
General

NEW VOLAG Notes WRAPS Assurance File Verification RP Period File Verification (281) Affiliate Data Submitted (33) Email Archive Report History (1) Unknown WRAPS Codes

Recently Viewed

AORs Interests Cases

If the RA rejects the report due to corrections needed, you will receive notification of it on your Dashboard. Click on the **Minor Reports Corrections Needed** link to see the reason why corrections are needed.



The link provided takes you directly into the report for ease in making the corrections. Once you have made the corrections, once again hit the Submit button to resubmit it to the RA.



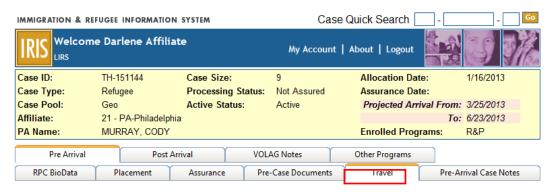
changed to **Accepted**. Scroll to the bottom of each report to see the report history.

Suitability Determination Report History

Status	Incomplete Reason	Changed By	Date
Accepted		Aqib Khan	8/23/2017
Submitted		Aqib Khan	8/23/2017
Corrections Needed	Please change answer for Q8 where minor shares a bedroom.	Aqib Khan	8/23/2017
Submitted		Aqib Khan	8/23/2017

Travel/Arrival Tracking

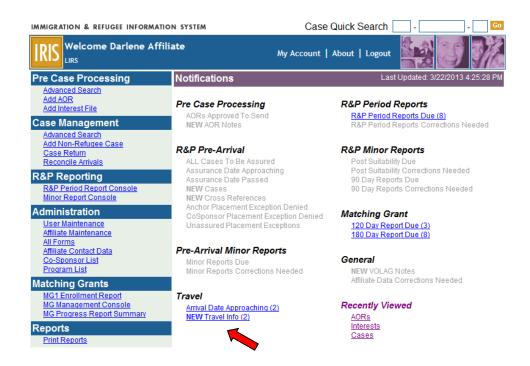
Typically, when a case is first placed with you, no travel information is known. If you open one of your cases and click on the **Travel** tab, you will see this indicated:



NO TRAVEL SCHEDULED

Once travel is added, modified or cancelled, the system gives you a notification on the Dashboard. As soon as travel information is added for a case, the Case Processing Status in the header changes to "Scheduled To Travel."

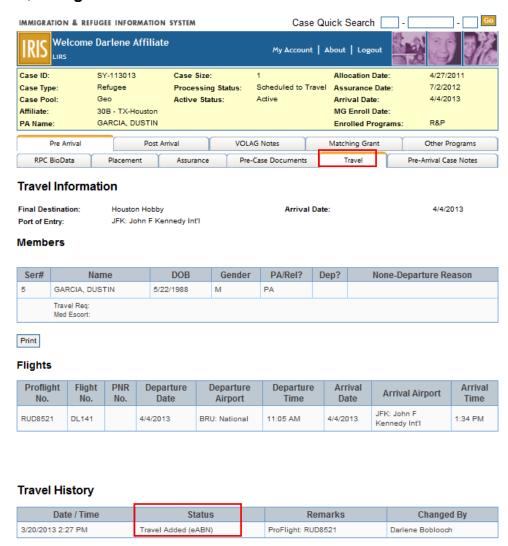
In the screenshot below, Advance Booking Notice (ABN) has just been entered into IRIS. Immediately, a new notification link appears in the **Travel** section of the Notifications pane labeled **NEW Travel Info.**



Clicking on the **NEW Travel Info** link displays all of your cases where travel data has been **added** or **changed** - in this example, just two cases:

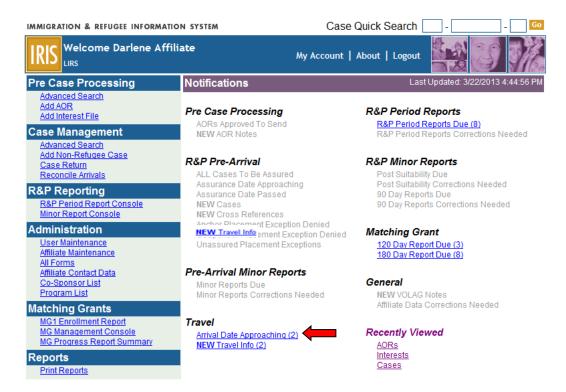


Click on a Case Number link to see the **Travel Information** screen for that case. Note the **Travel History** section at the bottom of the screen, which shows when information was **added**, **changed** or **deleted**.



Typically, the International flight (Advanced Booking Notice) is received and entered days or weeks before the Domestic Booking is received. As soon as the RA makes any **additions**, **deletions** or **changes** to a case's travel information, the affiliate agency handling the associated case is notified on the dashboard with the **NEW Travel Information** Notification.

Two weeks before a flight is scheduled to travel, a new notification will appear on the IRIS Dashboard: **Arrival Date Approaching**.



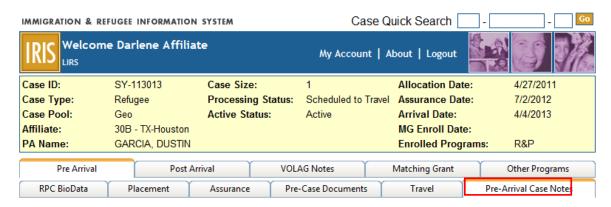
Clicking on the **Travel Day Approaching** notification link will display any cases that are traveling in the next fourteen days:



On the day following the travel date, the case will no longer appear in the **Arrival Date Approaching** notification.

Pre-Arrival Case Notes

The **Pre-Arrival Case Notes** tab lets you document your preparation for receiving the refugee family. View or add Pre-Arrival Case Notes by clicking on the **Case Notes** tab.



Case Notes

Туре	Mode	Description	Date	
Other	Other	Initial WRAPS Import	4/28/2011	
Other	Other	WRAPS update	4/28/2011	
Other	Other	WRAPS update	5/4/2012	
Other	Other	WRAPS update	6/29/2012	
Add New Case Notes Print Case Notes				

Adding Case Notes

Click the Add New Case Notes button. The Case Note detail screen will be displayed. Complete the fields on this screen and click the Save button to save the note in the system.

Case Notes Type – prepopulated with R&P.

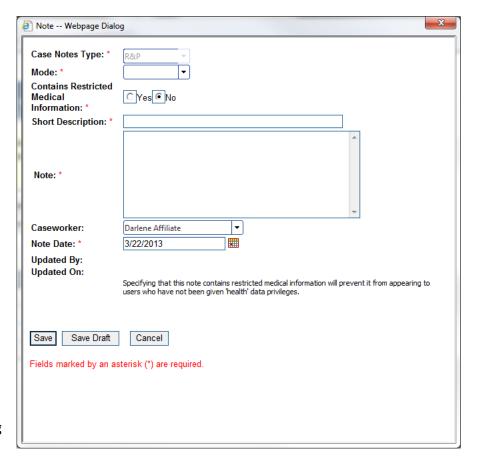
Mode – for specifying the mode of contact with the case (home visit, phone, office visit, etc.)

Contains Restricted
Medical Information – for
hiding the note from those
users who do not have
medical data permission.

Short Description – this is the title of the case note, which will be displayed on the Case Notes screen.

Note – the full text of the case note.

Caseworker – for indicating who performed the action described by the note – this can be different than the person entering the note.



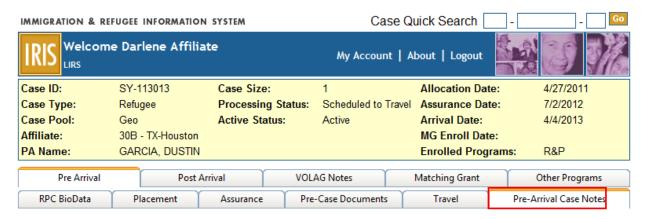
Note Date – for entering the date on which the **note activity** took place.

The Save button will complete the case note. Saving is only successful if all required fields are filled in.

The Save Draft button allows you to save the case note with whatever data you have currently entered. Later, you can return and complete the case note. Draft case notes will not print.

Use the Cancel button to discard case note changes without saving.

Notes that have been saved appear in list form in the **Case Notes** tab. The notes will order themselves from oldest to newest, regardless of the order in which they are entered.



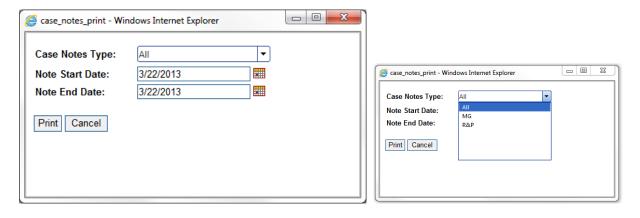
Case Notes



The Description – which comes from what you entered in Short Description on the **Case Note details** screen – is a link. When the link is clicked, the full Case Note detail screen reopens for viewing and/or editing.

Printing Case Notes

Clicking on the Print Case Notes button will open a dialog box in which you may choose which **type of case notes** to print. This will allow you to keep your R&P and MG case notes separate in the case file. You may also choose the date range you would like to print. By default, the dates of the earliest and latest notes are entered.



A preview screen similar to the one below will be displayed. You can **save** as a PDF (Adobe Acrobat Reader), **print** or **close** the case notes.

