
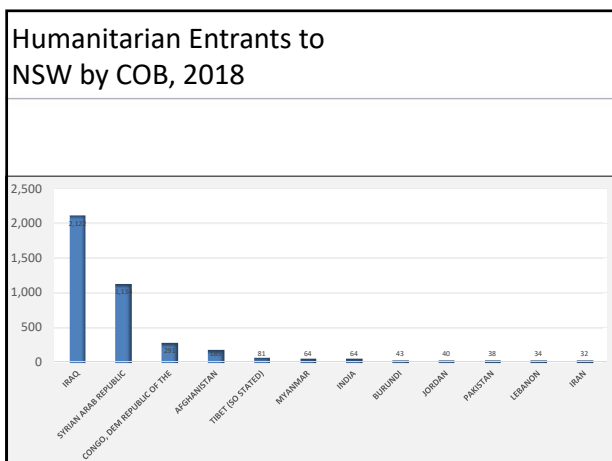
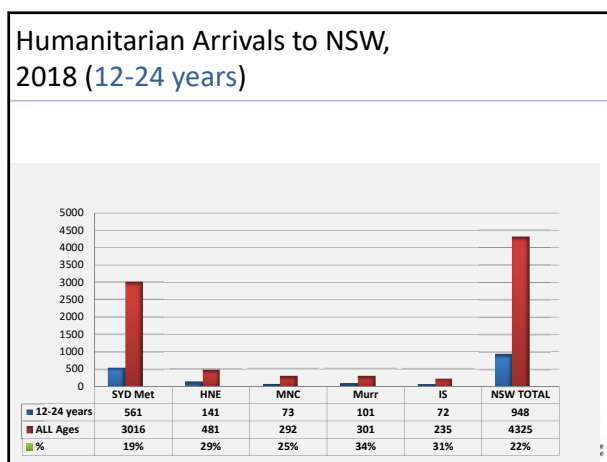



## The what, where & who of refugee young people in NSW

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### Intro

- Young people from refugee backgrounds are diverse; however
  - Background of displacement, disruption to education & family life
  - Forced migration to a new country
  - Psychological trauma is common



### Key issues

- Refugee YP resilient & motivated
- However, a number of issues may impact on health & well-being:
  - Limited health literacy
  - Mental health impacts
  - Poor dental health
  - Overweight & obesity
  - Disability
  - Lack of appropriate health care services
  - Sexual health education lacking
  - Discrimination

