



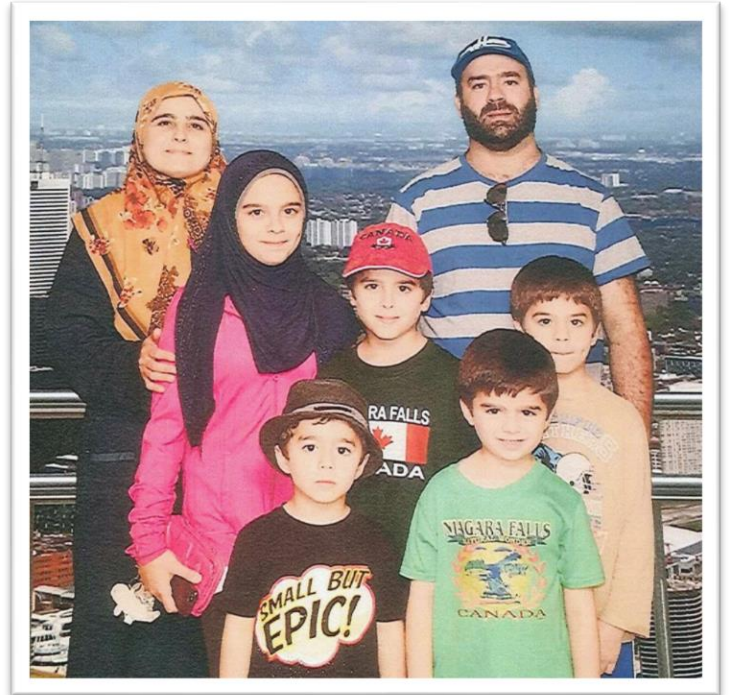
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## Hadi and Hanaa

Hadi and Hanaa moved to Canada 16 years ago from the Middle East. They have six children, Sereen, 13, Mohamad, 11, Hamza, 9, Abed-arahman, 7, Momin, 5, and baby Ahmad.

For Hadi and Hanaa, becoming homeowners in their adopted country is something that was only a dream for a very long time.

The family currently lives in a cramped rental unit with only one bathroom and it is located in an area known for drug and gang activity.



Hadi works full-time at the Royal Canadian Mint and Hanaa is a busy stay-at-home mom. They are determined to build and purchase a home for their children that they can call their own and where they can realize the big dreams they hold for the future. Research shows that the safety and security afforded by a safe, affordable home is a major contributor to long-term life success.

The family is really looking forward to have a place to call their own in a safe community in Orléans as they realize their dream of homeownership.

“I want to make a better life for my family,” says Hadi. “This new home will be better for my family and encourage my kids to look forward to a better life.”