

Table 6-9

**Youth Refugees' Assessments of Issues that are Important for Settlement In/Living Successfully  
in Canada by Region of Origin**

	% Important and % Very Important <sup>#</sup>				Total	N
	C/S America	Former Yugoslavia	Middle East	Other <sup>^</sup>		
Learning to speak English	100	98	100	100	99	(91)
Finding a good job	93	97	100	100	99	(91)
Being welcomed by the people who live here	100	94	73	82	89 *	(91)
Making Canadian friends	87	85	69	90	82	(90)
Having relatives close by	74	72	58	82	71	(91)
Having your own place of worship	74	54	74	82	65	(91)
Having friends from the same cultural background	67	61	58	73	63	(91)
Total 'N' in each category	(15)	(46)	(19)	(11)	(91)	

<sup>#</sup> Respondents answered on a 1-5 scale with '1' representing "Not Important" and '5' representing "Very Important". Values of '4' (Important) and '5' (Very Important) have been combined and are shown in table.

\* Region differences are statistically significant ( $p < .05$ )

<sup>^</sup> Other category includes refugee youth from Africa, Asia, and Poland, as their numbers are too small for comparison.