## JOIN A SPONSOR TEAM



Why **Welcoming a Ukrainian Family** Might Be the Most Meaningful Thing You Do This Year

## Right now, there are thousands of Ukrainian families seeking a pathway to the United States under the Uniting for Ukraine Program. Could you be the one to light the way?

By joining a sponsorship team, you will be part of a lifechanging moment for a Ukrainian family, standing alongside them as they bravely move beyond the terror of war and begin building lives in the U.S. Each sponsor team will be made up of several Welcomers-groups of neighbors, friends, or family members-who will ensure these newest Minnesotans have a soft, safe, successful place to land.

As Minnesotans, we have a history of welcoming new neighbors with warmth. We know the importance of making newcomers feel cared for as they build new connections and become familiar with their surroundings. These Ukrainian families have had their everyday lives disrupted with instability and uncertainty. A new country means new systems and unknown challenges. With Alight's help, you and your sponsor team will guide a family through a maze of new experiences, lending a hand with all the details big and small, while offering them hope along their journey, too.

For Ukrainian families coming to the U.S this is a chance to regain a sense of safety and security. They can't do it alone—they need your guidance to change the trajectory of their futures. Ukrainians need Americans willing to welcome them.

Alight is looking for amazing Minnesotans who are ready to help Ukrainian families create homes in our wonderful communities.

## Will you join us?

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