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Touring Family Diversity Projects Exhibit, BUILDING BRIDGES: Portraits of Immigrants and Refugees, visits <insert location>.

An exhibition of BUILDING BRIDGES: Portraits of Immigrants and Refugees, a touring photo-text display created by the award-winning Family Diversity Projects of Amherst, Massachusetts is scheduled to be featured at <insert event information>.

Building Bridges includes photographs by Mark Chester and Gigi Kaeser and interviews who have come to the United States as immigrants, refugees, and asylum-seekers from all over the world. The exhibit seeks to challenge damaging myths and stereotypes about immigrants and refugees as a way to prevent bullying and hatred towards this marginalized group of people.

“BUILDING BRIDGES is crucial in this time of political divisiveness. The exhibit, which seamlessly combines exquisite photos with moving text, breaks down stereotypes about immigrants and refugees in a unique and powerful way. It makes an indelible impression on the heart and soul of everyone who sees it.” — *Bill Newman, ACLU of Massachusetts attorney, Western Massachusetts Legal Office*

Created by Family Diversity Projects, Inc. a non-profit organization based in Amherst, Massachusetts, this powerful and moving exhibit travels nationwide to mental health centers, hospitals, high schools, colleges, universities, corporations, museums, libraries and faith houses. BUILDING BRIDGES consists of photographs by Mark Chester and Gigi Kaeser and text from interviews conducted by Peggy Gillespie.

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