



# Supports for Organizations

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The Department of Education, Culture & Employment (ECE) delivers programs for individuals, employers, organizations and communities. This fact sheet provides information about our labour and employment programs for organizations.<sup>1</sup>

## Eligible Partners

Registered businesses, industry or employee associations, local housing authorities, nongovernmental organizations, Crown Corporations, postsecondary institutions, community and special interest groups, boards and agencies, Indigenous organizations, and Indigenous, municipal or local governments are eligible for assistance.

Registered businesses must be licensed to operate in the Northwest Territories, and registered with the Worker's Safety and Compensation Commission of the Northwest Territories (WSCC).

## Job Creation Partnerships

Job Creation Partnerships provide work experience opportunities to improve employment prospects of the participants. The program assists unemployed individuals who need work experience and training to obtain meaningful long-term employment.

The program provides support for up to 52 weeks to organizations to deliver local activities that either include a work experience component or have a guarantee of employment at the end of the project. Work experience projects may also include a skills development component.

## Employment Assistance Services

Employment Assistance Services provide career and employment assistance to NWT residents for particular local needs and helps individuals prepare for the workforce, find work, or maintain work through organizations.

## Community Training Partnerships

Community Training Partnerships provide training and skills development opportunities to unemployed individuals to improve their employment prospects and obtain meaningful long-term employment. Support is provided for up to 26 weeks to organizations to deliver local activities aimed at increasing skill development, including workplace essential skills.

## Strategic Workforce Initiatives

Strategic Workforce Initiatives support organizations with labour market activities that promote labour force development, workforce adjustments and human resources planning. Activities must address a community labour market need and may include identifying economic trends, creating strategies, and initiating projects to develop a responsive local labour force.

<sup>1</sup> Support for these programs is provided through the Canada - Northwest Territories Labour Market Development Agreement and Canada - Northwest Territories Workforce Development Agreement.

## Want to Learn More?

For additional information on programs available, please contact the ECE Service Centre in your region:

### Sahtu

Edward G. Hodgson Bldg.  
1A Raven Road  
1-867-587-7157  
Toll Free 1-866-814-9840

### South Slave - Fort Smith

Sweetgrass Building  
177 McDougal Street  
1-867-872-7425  
\*collect calls accepted

### Dehcho

Dehcho Regional Education Centre  
9802 - 98th Ave  
1-867-695-7338  
\*collect calls accepted

### Beaufort Delta

GNWT Multi-Use Building  
106 Veterans Way  
1-867-777-7365  
Toll Free 1-855-283-9311

### South Slave - Hay River

Courthouse Building  
8 Capital Drive  
1-867-874-5050  
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### North Slave

Main Floor, Nova Plaza  
5019 - 52nd Street  
1-867-767-9356  
Toll Free 1-866-768-8145