







BENEFITS – DISABILITY


FEDERAL AND PROVINCIAL

 FEDERAL BENEFITS	CONTACT
<p><u>Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Disability Benefits</u> CPP provides a monthly taxable benefit to contributors who are disabled and to their dependent children Application <u>Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Disability Benefits - Form</u></p>	<p>Toll-Free: 1-800-277-9914 TTY: 1-800-255-4786</p>
<p><u>Canada Pension Plan Disability Vocational Rehabilitation Program</u> The Canada Pension Plan Disability Vocational Rehabilitation Program offers vocational counselling, financial support for training, and job search services to recipients of Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Disability Benefits to help them return to work. To be eligible, you must also be receiving <u>Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Disability Benefits</u></p>	<p>Toll-Free: 1-800-277-9914 <u>Canada Pension Plan Disability Vocational Rehabilitation Program - Regional Offices</u></p>
<p><u>Disability Tax Credit (DTC)</u> The DTC is a non-refundable tax credit used to reduce income tax payable for eligible individuals Additional Information - The Canada Revenue Agency does not consider an individual's ability to work when it is determining eligibility for the DTC</p>	<p>Toll-Free: 1-866-741-0127 <u>Disability tax credit (DTC) - Regional Offices</u></p>
<p><u>Federal Excise Gasoline Tax Refund Program</u> The Federal Excise Gasoline Tax Refund Program refunds a portion of the federal excise tax on gasoline bought for use by eligible persons or organizations</p>	<p><u>General Inquiries</u></p>

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<u>Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP)</u> RDSP is a long-term savings plan to help Canadians with disabilities and their families save for the future. The Government of Canada assists by paying a matching Canada Disability Savings Grant. Individuals who open an RDSP may also be eligible to receive a Canada Disability Savings Bond	Toll-Free: 1-800-622-6232 Fax (Long-distance charges may apply): 1-613-941-1827 TTY: 1-800-926-9105
<u>Residential Rehabilitation Assistance Program (RRAP) On-Reserve</u> This program provides funding to First Nation councils and members so that they can repair on-reserve housing that does not meet minimum federal health and safety standards, or make homes accessible to persons with disabilities	Toll-Free: 1-800-668-2642 TTY: 613-748-2447 <u>Residential Rehabilitation Assistance Program (RRAP) On-Reserve - Regional Offices</u>
<u>Veterans Disability Pension (VDP)</u> Veterans Affairs Canada (VAC) provides disability benefits to eligible veterans, serving and former members of the Canadian Forces and of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and to their spouses and dependents Application - <u>Veterans Disability Pension (VDP) - Form</u>	Toll-Free: 1-866-522-2122
<u>Rehabilitation Program (Veterans)</u> The Rehabilitation Program helps disabled Canadian Forces (CF) veterans who need support to re-enter civilian life	General Inquiries: 1-866-522-2122
<u>Disability Award Program (Veterans)</u> The Disability Award Program is meant to recognize and compensate for the non-economic impacts of a service-related disability	General Inquiries: 1-866-522-2122

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<u>Access to Travel</u> This Web site provides information on accessible transportation and travel across Canada with the aim of making traveling an easier and more enjoyable experience for Canadians with disabilities	Toll Free: 1-800-665-6478 TTY: 1-800-823-3823
<u>Accessible Parking Permit (APP)</u> The Accessible Parking Permit (APP) is issued to individuals and entitles the vehicle in which it is displayed to be parked in a designated accessible parking space	Toll-free: 1-800-268-4686 Toronto: 416-235-4686
<u>Assistive Devices Program</u> This program provides financial assistance to help Ontario residents with long-term physical disabilities obtain basic, competitively priced, personalized assistive devices essential for independent living Application: <u>Assistive Devices Program - Form</u> Required Documentation - Health Card	Toll-Free: 1-800-268-6021 Toronto: 416-327-8804 TTY: 1-800-387-5559
<u>Attendant Services</u> Attendant Services provide homemaking and personal support services to people over the age of 16 with permanent physical disabilities who require assistance with activities of daily living and have the ability to direct an attendant to carry-out pre-determined tasks that they cannot physically do for themselves. The Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care has three programs which provide trained attendants to help people with physical disabilities live independently in their homes: Attendant Outreach program /Attendant Services in Supportive Housing - contact local LHIN for info on these programs Self-Managed Attendant Services - For information on this program, contact the <u>Centre For Independent Living in Toronto</u> (CILT) at 416-599-2458	Toll Free: 1-866-532-3161 TTY: 1-800-387-5559
<u>Blindness and Low Vision - Family Support and Intervention Services</u> This program is designed to give children who are born blind or with low vision the best possible start in life	Toll-Free: 1-866-821-7770 TTY: 1-800-387-5559
<u>Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Benefits for Children under 25</u> Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Children's Benefits provide a monthly benefit to the dependent children of disabled or deceased contributors Application - <u>Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Children's Benefits - Form</u> Additional Information - You must have a Social Insurance Number	Toll-Free: 1-800-277-9914 Outside Canada and U.S. Collect calls accepted: 613-957-1954 TTY: 1-800-255-4786

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<p><u>Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Death Benefit</u> The Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Death Benefit provides a one-time payment to, or on behalf of, the estate of a deceased contributor Application - <u>Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Death Benefit - Form</u> Additional Information - Apply as soon as possible after contributor's death as CPP can only make back payments for up to twelve months</p>	<p>Toll-Free: 1-800-277-9914 TTY: 1-800-255-4786</p>
<p><u>Children's Rehabilitation Services</u> This program provides physiotherapy, occupational therapy, and speech and language therapy for children who have physical disabilities or communication disorders</p>	<p>Toll-Free: 1-866-821-7770 TTY: 1-800-387-5559 <u>Children's Rehabilitation Services - Regional Offices</u></p>
<p><u>Local Health Integration Network</u> LHINs coordinate services for seniors, people with disabilities and people who need health care services in the community to help them live independently in their own homes for as long as possible. Staffs provide information and coordinate professional, personal support and homemaking services for people living in their own homes and for school children with special needs, and make arrangements for admission to long-term care facilities</p>	<p>Toll Free (in Ontario): 1-800-268-1154 Toronto: 416-314-5518 TTY: 1-800-387-5559</p>
<p><u>Home Oxygen Program</u> This program offers financial assistance to help cover the costs of oxygen and related equipment for people who require long-term oxygen therapy Required Documentation - Health Card</p>	<p>Toll Free: 1-800-268-6021 Toronto: 416-314-5518 TTY: 1-800-387-5559 TTY Toronto: 416-327-4282</p>
<p><u>Infant Hearing Program</u> This program provides parents of deaf or hard of hearing infants with the services their children need in order to develop communication and language skills</p>	<p>Toll Free: 1-800-268-1154 Toronto: 416-314-5518 TTY: 1-800-387-5559 <u>Regional Offices</u></p>
<p><u>Lived or Living Outside Canada-Pensions and Benefits</u> The International Benefits program may provide retirement, disability or survivor benefits to eligible individuals who have lived or worked in another country, or the surviving spouse, common-law partner or children of eligible individuals who have lived or worked in another country</p>	<p>Toll Free: 1-800-454-8731 Ottawa: 613-957-1954 TTY: 1-800-255-4786</p>

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<p><u>Ontario Disability Support Program: Assistance for Children with severe Disability</u> This program helps parents with some of the extra costs of caring for a child who has a severe disability to help the child live as normal a life as possible at home and in the community Additional Information -To qualify for this program, financial and medical criteria must be met -Child must be under 18 years of age and live at home with a parent or legal guardian. -The child must have a severe disability that results in a functional loss and extraordinary costs are incurred directly as a result of the disability</p>	<p>Toll Free: 1-800-668-9938 Toronto: 416-326-5300 TTY: 1-800-268-7095 Assistance for Children with Severe Disabilities - Regional Offices</p>
<p><u>Ontario Disability Support Program Income Support</u> This program helps people with disabilities who are in financial need pay for such living expenses as food and housing</p>	<p>Toll Free: 1-888-256-6758 TTY: 416-326-3372</p>
<p><u>Ontario Disability Support Program: Employment Supports</u> This program can help you get ready for work and find a job or start up your own business</p>	<p>Toll Free: 1-888-256-6758 TTY: 416-326-3372</p>
<p><u>Ontario Student Assistance Programs (OSAP) Grants and Loans</u> Most of the programs listed below are included as part of the OSAP applications for either full-time or part-time students. OSAP determines which loan and grant programs you're eligible for once you submit your application <u>Ontario Student Assistance Program (contd)</u> Bursary for Students with Disabilities Canada Student Grant for Persons with Permanent Disabilities Canada Student Grant for Services and Equipment for Persons with Permanent Disabilities Ontario Out-of-Country Bursary for Deaf Students Severe Permanent Disability Benefit</p>	<p>416-325-2929 Toll Free: 1-800-387-5514 TTY: 416-325-3408 Toll Free: 1-800-268-7095</p>
<p><u>Provincial Land Tax Deferral Program for Low-Income Seniors and Low-Income Persons with Disabilities</u> Low-Income Seniors and Low-Income Persons with Disabilities may apply for a partial deferral of Provincial Land Tax and Education Tax. The tax deferral applies to the tax increase in the current year and not to outstanding taxes</p>	<p>Toll-Free: 1-866-400-2122 TTY: 1-888-321-6774</p>
<p><u>Special Services at Home</u> This program helps families who are caring for a child with a developmental or physical disability</p>	<p>Toll-Free: 1-866-821-7770 TTY: 1-800-387-5559</p>

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