



Job Match, Placement and Incentive Program

The Ontario government is committed to providing recruitment and financial assistance to employers that are in the process of hiring and will provide on-the-job training to new employees, including apprenticeship training and work experience.

The Job Match and Placement Incentive for employers is intended to:

- Assist employers find suitable employees to fill their current vacancies or augment their staff complement
- Encourage employers to provide on-the-job-training opportunities for unemployed or underemployed individuals
- Offset some of the employers' costs, such as temporary reductions in productivity, increased supervision requirements and out of pocket training expenses
- Encourage employers to register/hire and train individuals as an apprentice

How can I apply for incentive funding?

To be eligible for hiring incentive funding, you must:

- Be licensed to operate in Ontario
- Be compliant with legislation (health and safety, employment standards, etc.) and covered by safety insurance
- Provide job placements that do not displace current or laid-off employees.

How much funding can I get and what can I use it for?

Employers can receive up to \$6,000 per placement. However, the amount of the incentive will vary based on the employer's commitments, complexity of the job skill level required, length of training required and employee previous experience and skill level contribution.

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