Employment and Social Development Canada – ESDC 101

ESDC builds a strong Canadian economy where all Canadians have opportunities to participate and benefit.

Who we are 3 Portfolios: Grants and **ESDC** contributions Labour Program programs Service Canada 2018-2019: \$130.3B = 35% government Flagship expenditures1 programs: 3 transfers to Old Age Security / provinces / **Guaranteed Income** territories² **Direct** Supplement \$3.3B / 2.6% benefits to Canadians · Canada Pension Operating budget Plan \$122.0B³ / 93.6% \$3.4B / 2.6% Employment 5.5%4 Insurance Other⁵ – e.g. of Canada's CPPIB, Workers Canada Student **GDP** Compensation Loans and Grants \$1.6B / 1.2% Over Over 65% 25 000 are outside of the employees National Capital Region.

What we do

ESDC develops economic and social policies and programs that support and improve the well-being of Canadians.

Our core responsibilities

Social development

Increase opportunities for Canadians to participate in their communities.

Pension and benefits

Assist Canadians in maintaining income for retirement and provide financial benefits to surviving spouses, people with disabilities and their families.

Learning, skills development and employment

Help Canadians access post-secondary education, obtain the skills and training to participate in a changing labour market, and provide supports to those who are temporarily unemployed.

Working conditions and workplace relations

Promote safe, healthy, fair and inclusive work conditions and cooperative workplace relations.

Information and service delivery

education...

Canada Child Benefit

(Led by Finance with

support from ESDC)

Early Learning and

Child Care

Deliver a wide range of federal programs and services and information, including on behalf of other government departments.

Portfolio organizations

- Canada Employment Insurance Commission
- Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation
- Social Security Tribunal Of Canada
- Canada Industrial Relations Board
- Canadian Centre For Occupational Health and Safety
- Policy Horizons Canada
- Canadian Accessibility Standards Development Organization

Where you can find us

Service Canada provides Canadians with a single point of access to a wide range of government services and benefits.



From early childhood to ...from school to post-secondary work,

- Canada Student Loans and Grants
- Trades and Apprenticeship Program



...from one job to another,

ESDC delivers a wide range of programs and services

that help Canadians move through life's transitions, for example:

- Canada Training Benefit (2020)
- Job Bank
- Future Skills

...from unemployment to employment,

- Employment Insurance
- Training programs

...from the workforce to retirement.

- Old Age Security / Guaranteed Income Supplement
- Canada Pension Plan





Helping Canadians with distinct needs.

- Canada Pension Plan / Disability
- Enabling Accessibility Fund