



ESDC 101

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

» Who we are

3 Portfolios:

- ESDC
- Labour Program
- Service Canada



30+ Grants and contributions programs¹

4 Flagship Programs:

- Old Age Security/Guaranteed Income Supplement
- Canada Pension Plan
- Employment Insurance
- Canada Student Loans



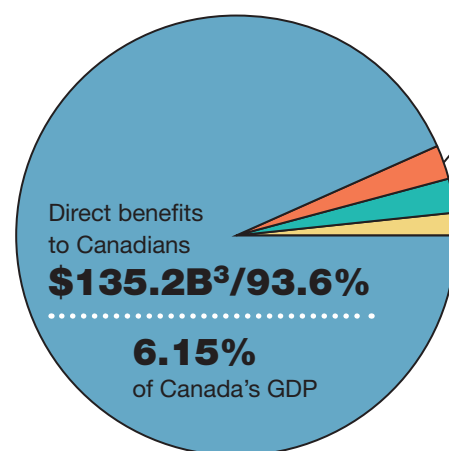
35,000+ employees



74%+ are outside of the National Capital Region

ESDC Expenditures:

\$144.4B² = 37% of federal government expenditures



Transfers to provinces/territories⁴

\$3.7B/2.6%

Operating budget

\$3.5B/2.4%

Other⁵ – e.g. CPPIB, Workers Compensation

\$2B/1.4%

Direct benefits to Canadians
\$135.2B³/93.6%
6.15% of Canada's GDP

» Where you can find us

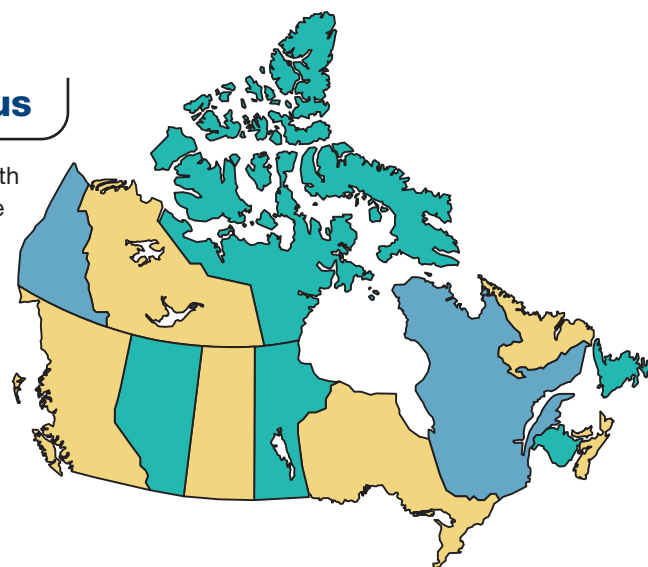
Service Canada provides Canadians with a single point of access to a wide range of government services and benefits.

317 Service Canada centres

247 Scheduled outreach sites

15 Service delivery partner sites

25 Passport service sites



» What we do

Employment and Social Development Canada develops economic and social policies and programs that support and improve the well-being of Canadians.

Our Core Responsibilities

Social development



Increase inclusion and opportunities for Canadians to participate in their communities

Pensions 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



Provide information to the public on the programs of the Government of Canada, and provide services for government departments and other partners

Key Portfolio Organizations

- Canada Employment Insurance Commission
- Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation
- Social Security Tribunal of Canada
- Policy Horizons Canada
- Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety
- Canada Industrial Relations Board
- Accessibility Standards Canada
- National Advisory Council on Poverty
- National Seniors Council



Employment and Social Development Canada delivers a wide range of programs and services that help Canadians move through life's transitions, for example:

From early childhood to post-secondary education...



- Canada Child Benefit (led by Finance with support from ESDC)
- Early Learning and Child Care
- Social Insurance Number

...from school to work,



- Canada Student Financial Assistance Program
- Youth Employment and Skills Strategy

...from one job to another,



- Job Bank
- Skills for Success

...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
- Supporting Black Canadian Communities Initiative
- New Horizons for Seniors

¹ In 2019-2020, ESDC administered \$ 1.7B in Grant and Contribution across more than 30 programs in five portfolios.

² Figures are based on 2019-2020 expenditures.

³ \$135.2B represents benefits to Canadians through statutory programs and Grants and Contributions.

⁴ The transfers to provinces and territories include Labour Market Development Agreements (Employment Insurance-funded), Workforce Development Agreements and Early Learning and Child Care.

⁵ This includes administrative costs related to Canada Pension Plan Investment Board, administrative costs of other federal departments related to delivery of Employment Insurance benefits, Employment Insurance integrity and Workers Compensation.