



Links to Health

Employment Resources

for

Renfrew County

Services for General Population

Ontario Works

- Eligibility
 - social assistance clients
 - spouses of ODSP clients
 - ODSP clients on discretionary benefits (dentures, specialized supplies etc.)

- Employment Resource Centre
 - employment supports
 - basic education
 - community placements
 - self-employment resources

- Help with resumes, work placements, counseling, academic training

Renfrew County

-1-888-281-7526 General Inquiries

-1-866-897-4849 Intake

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Service Canada/Service Ontario Programs

Employment Ontario:

Can help you get the training, education, skills and experience to achieve your goals by connecting people looking for work with employers looking for workers.

For more information, contact: <http://www.edu.gov.on.ca/eng/tcu/threeWays.html>

Services Canada:

Provides information and access to Government of Canada programs and services including Employment Insurance, Canada Pension, Old Age Security, Social Insurance, Canada Education Savings Grants, a job vacancy bank and much more.....

For more information, contact: 1-800-206-7218

www.servicecanada.gc.ca

Service Canada and Service Ontario		
Eligibility	Services	
Employment Insurance -enough hours to qualify dependent on area unemployment rate	-skills development (one year programs generally such as office techniques, PSW) -self employment (cleaning, trades businesses) -job development services -wage subsidy for employers -assistive supports -Job Creation Partnership -development of work skills -paid training allowance (max EI rate) -up to one year to complete project -non-profit agencies	-action plan needs to be developed outlining work related barriers

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Service Providers

<p>Algonquin College Employment Ontario Programs 141 Lake Street Pembroke, Ontario K8A 5L8 Telephone: (613) 735 – 4308 Fax: (613) 635 – 4862 Email: dickb@algonquincollege.com</p>	<p>Employment Networks 231 Argyle Street South Renfrew, Ontario K7V 1T6 Telephone: (613) 432 – 3424 Fax: (613) 432 – 7304 Email: contactus@employmentnetworks.ca www.employmentnetworks.ca</p>
<p>ONTRAC – Employment Resource Services Kenwood Corporate Centre 160 William Street W. Suite 110 Arnprior, Ontario K7S 3W4 Telephone: (613) 623 – 4680 Fax: (613) 623-2486 e-mail: arnprior@getontrac.ca</p>	<p>Rural – Outreach Employment Services Tyerman & Daughters Inc. 232 Bridge St. Eganville, Ontario K0J 1T0 Telephone: (613) 628 – 1700 Fax: (613) 628 – 3538 Email: tyerman1@NRTCO.net</p>
<p>Rural – Outreach Employment Services Tyerman & Daughters Inc. 19536 Opeongo Line Barry's Bay, Ontario K0J 1B0 Telephone: (613) 756 – 8079 Fax: (613) 756 – 9207 Email: tyerman2@NRTCO.net</p>	

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Services for Disabled Population

Ontario Disability Support Program – Employment Supports:

Provides support to individual's with disabilities to prepare for, obtain and maintain competitive employment, through approved Service Providers in your community. Many other supports may be available such as wage subsidy, job coaching and work related assistive devices.

For more information, contact:

www.mcass.gov.on.ca/mcass/english/pillars/social/programs/odsp.htm

- **Role of Service Provider**-develops an individualized employment strategy for each client based on strengths, skills and interests

ODSP-Employment Supports

<p>-16 years of age -ODSP recipients -May qualify if not on ODSP income support and have a disability which possess a barrier to employment Disability Verification by: family doctor/psychiatrist, physiotherapist, optometrist, audiologist, psychologist/psychological associate, chiropractor, occupational therapist, speech language pathologist, registered nurse. Those in receipt of OW and private insurance benefits are not eligible for ES.</p>	<p>Job Placement (work trials, unpaid work experiences, training, wage subsidies, job coaching)</p> <p>Self Employment Job Retention Exceptional Services Special Projects</p>	<p>Role of Service Provider -develop an individualized employment strategy for each client based on strengths, skills and interests</p>
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<p>Employment Supports ODSP Office 450 O'Brien Rd. Renfrew, Ontario K7V 3Z2 1-800-267-5872 Or Employment Supports ODSP Office 77 Mary Street, 3rd Floor Pembroke, Ontario K8A 5V4 1-800-267-0112</p>	<p>Service Providers -Links to Health -1-877-525-2142 -Performance Plus Rehab.-1-800-427-6214 -Marlies Vandenberg - 613-401-1574</p>
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Opportunity Fund is available who self-identify as disabled Opportunity Fund

- skills development (one year programs generally such as office techniques, PSW)
- self employment (cleaning, trades businesses)
- wage subsidy for employers
- assistive supports

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CPP Disability

Canada Pension Plan Disability- Vocational Rehabilitation.

<http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/eng/isp/pub/factsheets/vocrehab.shtml#info> -

For more information about the program or to refer someone who is currently receiving a CPP disability benefit please contact us toll-free at 1-800-277-9914 (TTY: 1-800-255-4786).

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Services for At Risk Youth

Skills Link-Federal Programs for Youth

Eligibility	Program components	Barriers
<p>-15 to 30 at time of intake/section</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Out of school -Canadian citizen, permanent citizen, refugee status -Legally entitled to work according to prov. Regulations -Not in receipt of EI Need assistance to overcome barriers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Employability skills through community service -Employability skills through work experience -Employability skills through entrepreneurship (can include team businesses) -Work experience -Individual skills enhancement (training) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -High school non completion -Disability -Aboriginal status -Visible or ethnic minority -Health, drug and/or alcohol related problems -Residence in remote and rural community -Lone (single) parent -Low levels of literacy and numeracy -Language barriers -Street involvement -Contact with the justice, child welfare or other social assistance systems -Homeless or at risk of becoming homeless -Lack of social supports: family, friends or community supports -Poor self-management and/or behavior management abilities -Other to be specified and assessed as part of a the proposal approval process

(check frequently to ensure funding is available)

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