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# Rural Canadians' Guide to Programs and Services

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# Introduction: Getting in Touch with the Government of Canada

This is a guide of Government of Canada programs and services, put together especially for Canadians in rural and remote communities. It is a part of the Canadian Rural Partnership (<http://www.rural.gc.ca>), the federal government's rural initiative.

In addition to a short description of each program or service, there is also a point of contact where Canadians can go for information by telephone, fax, email, Internet\* or all.

The programs and services are divided into two sections: the first section focuses on national/regional initiatives; the second section provides information specifically for Northern Canada. They have been listed alphabetically under the main federal department responsible for the program or service.

**Key Contact Points** can help answer general questions, and find specific information on Government of Canada's programs and services.

\* Free public access to the Internet is available at many schools, libraries and employment centres, and through Community Access Program sites located in many communities in rural and remote Canada.

# Key Contact Points

**Service Canada** offers quick, easy and convenient one-stop access to Government of Canada programs and services.

- Call 1 800 0-Canada (1 800 622-6232), (TTY 1 800 926-9105) toll-free from anywhere in the U.S. or Canada for information on government programs and services.
- Visit **Service Canada Access Centres** for one-stop access to information on Government of Canada programs and services.
- Click <http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca>

**Canada Business Service Centres** and **the Canada Business Web** site offer quick, easy and convenient access to Government of Canada programs, services and regulations for business, and information on provincial/territorial programs.

- Call 1 888 576-4444 (TTY 1 800 457-8466) toll-free for more information or to find a location in your community.
- Visit <http://canadabusiness.gc.ca>

**Community Access Program** gives thousands of Canadians affordable access to the Internet in places like schools, community centres and libraries.

1 800 575-9200 (Toll-free)  
1 800 465-7735 (TTY toll-free)  
<http://cap.ic.gc.ca>

**Canadian Rural Information Service** responds to the information needs of rural and remote Canadians by providing pathfinders (guides) to information resources, customized information packages on specific queries, a Web site of rural development resources, referrals to expert sources of information, and customized bibliographic searches.

1 888 757-8725 (Toll-free)  
<http://www.rural.gc.ca/cris>

**Rural and Remote Canada Online** is a single window to knowledge, information, programs and services for and about rural and remote Canada.

<http://www.rural-canada.ca>

## Rural Canadians' Guide to Programs and Services

## Aboriginal Canada Portal

**Aboriginal Canada Portal (ACP)** provides a single window to Canadian Aboriginal online resources, contacts, information, and government programs and services, with listings of Aboriginal associations, jobs, businesses, organizations, bands, communities, peoples and news.

1 888 399-0111 (Toll-free)

ACP@inac.gc.ca (Email)

<http://www.aboriginalcanada.gc.ca/>

## Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (AAFC)

**Advance Payments Program (APP)** provides cash advances with an interest-free feature on the first \$50,000 to eligible producers to store eligible crops after harvest allowing them to market their crops later in the season when market conditions could result in better prices and thereby encourage orderly marketing of the crops.

1 888 346-2511 (Toll-free)

langevinb@agr.gc.ca (Email - Eastern Canada)

jeromej@agr.gc.ca (Email - Western Canada)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/misb/nmp/app/overview\\_e.html](http://www.agr.gc.ca/misb/nmp/app/overview_e.html)

**Advancing Canadian Agriculture and Agri-Food (ACAAF) Program** is a five-year program aimed at positioning Canada's agriculture and agri-food sector at the leading edge to seize new opportunities. Under the ACAA program, funding is provided for eligible projects identified and carried out by the agriculture and agri-food sector that will further advance the sector's progress by engaging industry stakeholders in undertaking new activities which complement existing programming.

(613) 759-6175

(613) 759-7490 (Fax)

acaaf@agr.gc.ca (Email)

<http://www.agr.gc.ca/acaaf/>

**AgriWeb Canada** is a national directory of Canadian agriculture and agri-food information resources available via the Internet.

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/agriweb/index\\_e.cfm](http://www.agr.gc.ca/agriweb/index_e.cfm)



## Benchmarking Your Farm

Understanding your own financial profile is important for the success of your farm operation. Benchmarking helps you assess your farm operation and determine its strengths, weaknesses and areas where improvement is possible. To help you with this process, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada has developed a free, easy-to-use financial tool called "Benchmark for Success".

<b>Newfoundland and Labrador</b>	(709) 637-2077 or 1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)
<b>Prince Edward Island</b>	1 866 PEI-FARM or 1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)
<b>Nova Scotia</b>	(902) 893-6580 or 1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)
<b>New Brunswick, Québec</b>	1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)
<b>Ontario</b>	1 877 424-1300 or 1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)
<b>Manitoba, Saskatchewan</b>	1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)
<b>Alberta</b>	1 866 882-7677 or 1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)
<b>British Columbia</b>	1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)

[https://www2.agr.gc.ca/ren/succ\\_e.cfm](https://www2.agr.gc.ca/ren/succ_e.cfm)

## Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization (CAIS)

**Program** integrates stabilization and disaster protection into a single program, helping producers protect their farming operations from both small and large drops in income. The CAIS program is a whole-farm program available to eligible farmers regardless of the commodities they produce.

1 866 367-8506 (Toll-free)  
(204) 983-3947 (Fax)

<http://www.agr.gc.ca/caisprogram/main.html>

## Canadian Agricultural Skills Service (CASS) is

designed to help Canadian farm families improve farm profitability and increase their income options through skills development and training. CASS will assist farm families to acquire on-farm skills, or skills and training to pursue other income options, or both.

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/ren/index\\_e.cfm?s1=cass-scdca&page=intro](http://www.agr.gc.ca/ren/index_e.cfm?s1=cass-scdca&page=intro)

## Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, British Columbia and Yukon

1 800 0-Canada (1 800 622-6232) (Toll-free)

<http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca/en/goc/cass.shtml>

## Ontario

(416) 340-0200 or 1 877 830-0200 (Toll-free)

(416) 340-0300 (Fax)

[casscentre@collegeconnect.on.ca](mailto:casscentre@collegeconnect.on.ca) (Email)

<http://www.ontario.ca/cass>

## Manitoba

1 866 668-CASS (1 866 668-2277) (Toll-free)

(204) 622-2308 (Fax)

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/agriculture/programs/updates/aab20s01.html>

## Saskatchewan

1 888 887-7977 (Toll-free)

(306) 787-9623 (Fax)

[http://www.agr.gov.sk.ca/docs/programs\\_services/apf\\_renewal.asp](http://www.agr.gov.sk.ca/docs/programs_services/apf_renewal.asp)

## Alberta

310-0000 (Toll-free phone or fax)

\*310 (Free Rogers Wireless cell phone access)

#310 (Free Telus and Bell cell phone access)

(780) 427-9999 (TTY in Edmonton)

1 800 232-7215 (TTY in other Alberta locations)

<http://www1.agric.gov.ab.ca/general/progserv.nsf/all/pgmsrv74>

## Prince Edward Island

(902) 566-9642 or 1 866 734-3276 (Toll-free)

(902) 629-4268 (Fax)

[kdempsey@ccgw.cc.hollandc.pe.ca](mailto:kdempsey@ccgw.cc.hollandc.pe.ca) (Email)

<http://www.gov.pe.ca/af/agweb/index.php3?number=1005963&lang=E>

## Québec

The Canadian Agricultural Skills Service is not currently available in Québec. A skills initiative is still under development for the province of Québec.

## Northwest Territories

(867) 874-5408

(867) 875-4078 (Fax)

## Nunavut

(519) 763-8135 or 1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)

(519) 836-3213 (Fax)

**Canadian Agriculture and Food International (CAFI)**

**Program** matches industry funds dollar for dollar to support activities that enhance and promote Canada's reputation as the world leader in supplying safe, high-quality agriculture, agri-food, beverage and seafood products that meet the changing demands of world markets.

1 800 0-Canada (1 800 622-6232) (Toll-free)

1 800 465-7735 (TTY toll-free)

(613) 759-7478 (Fax)

<http://www.agr.gc.ca/int/caf-picaa>

**Canadian Farm Business Advisory Services (CFBAS)**

offers eligible producers access to a range of services, such as Farm Business Assessment and Specialized Business Planning Services.

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/ren/index\\_e.cfm?s1=cfbas-sceac&page=intro](http://www.agr.gc.ca/ren/index_e.cfm?s1=cfbas-sceac&page=intro)

**British Columbia, Alberta, Yukon, Northwest Territories**

1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)

(780) 495-3971 (Fax)

**Saskatchewan, Manitoba**

1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)

(306) 780-7353 (Fax)

**Ontario, Nunavut**

1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)

(519) 836-3213 (Fax)

**Québec**

1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)

(418) 648-2439 (Fax)

**New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland and Labrador**

1 866 452-5558 (Toll-free)

(506) 452-4975 (Fax)

**Canadian Rural Information Service (CRIS)** responds to the information needs of rural and remote Canadians by providing pathfinders (guides) to information resources, customized information packages on specific queries, a Web site of rural development resources, referrals to expert sources of information, and customized bibliographic searches. These services are provided through the Internet, telephone, fax, mail, or email.

1 888 757-8725 (Toll-free)

1 800 884-9899 (Fax)

[cris@agr.gc.ca](mailto:cris@agr.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.rural.gc.ca/cris/about\\_e.phtml](http://www.rural.gc.ca/cris/about_e.phtml)

**Community Pasture Program (CPP)** helps producers strengthen their operations by allowing them to use community pastures for summer grazing of cattle and encourages high quality, long-term cattle production by providing a breeding service using good quality bulls. It also protects marginal land from erosion by maintaining a permanent cover on these lands.

(306) 780-5019 or (306) 780-5154

(306) 780-5018 (Fax)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/cpprog\\_e.htm](http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/cpprog_e.htm)

**Co-operative Development Initiative (CDI)** is the Government of Canada's program which aims to help people develop co-ops and to research and test innovative ways of using the co-operative model.

1 888 781-2222 (Toll-free)

(613) 759-7489 (Fax)

[coops-progr@agr.gc.ca](mailto:coops-progr@agr.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://coop.gc.ca/index\\_e.php?s1=init&page=intro#mnu1](http://coop.gc.ca/index_e.php?s1=init&page=intro#mnu1)

**Crop/Production Insurance** provides risk protection for farm production by minimizing the economic effects of crop losses caused by natural hazards.

(613) 759-7518

[gpikor@agr.gc.ca](mailto:gpikor@agr.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/index\\_e.php?s1=prod&page=pi-ap](http://www.agr.gc.ca/index_e.php?s1=prod&page=pi-ap)

**Alberta**

(780) 679-1311 (Camrose Central Office)

1 800 396-0215 (Toll-free – Lacombe Central Office)

(403) 310-0000 (Alberta Government Rite Line)

[CAISP@afsc.ca](mailto:CAISP@afsc.ca) or [afsc.lending@afsc.ca](mailto:afsc.lending@afsc.ca) (Email)

<http://www.afsc.ca>

**British Columbia**

1 888 332-3352 (Toll-free) or

(250) 387-5121 (Kelowna – Head Office)

(250) 861-7490 (Fax)

1 888 221-7141 (Toll-free – Abbotsford)

(604) 556-3030 (Fax)

1 877 772-2200 (Toll-free – Dawson Creek)

(250) 784-2299 (Fax)

1 888 822-1345 (Toll-free – Fort St. John)

(250) 787-3299 (Fax)

1 888 823-3355 (Toll-free – Kamloops)  
 (250) 828-4631 (Fax)  
 1 888 812-8811 (Toll-free – Oliver)  
 (250) 498-4952 (Fax)  
[http://www.al.gov.bc.ca/production\\_insurance/](http://www.al.gov.bc.ca/production_insurance/)

### Manitoba

(204) 239-3499  
 (204) 239-3401 (Fax)  
[mailbox@masc.mb.ca](mailto:mailbox@masc.mb.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.mcic-online.com>

### Newfoundland and Labrador

[info@gov.nl.ca](mailto:info@gov.nl.ca) (Email)  
[http://www.nr.gov.nl.ca/agric/prog\\_serv/financial/prodinsur.stm](http://www.nr.gov.nl.ca/agric/prog_serv/financial/prodinsur.stm)

### New Brunswick

(506) 453-2185  
 (506) 453-7406 (Fax)  
<http://www.gnb.ca/0178/01780001-e.asp>

### Nova Scotia

(902) 893-6370  
 (902) 895-4622 (Fax)  
<http://www.gov.ns.ca/nsaf/ci/>

### Ontario

1 888 247-4999 (Toll-free)  
[contact@agricorp.com](mailto:contact@agricorp.com) (Email)  
<http://www.agricorp.com/en-ca/programs/cropinsurance.asp>

### Prince Edward Island

(902) 368-4843  
 (902) 368-4857 (Email)  
<http://www.gov.pe.ca/af/agweb/index.php3?number=1011901&lang=E>

### Québec

(418) 838-5602 or 1 800 749-3646 (Toll-free)  
 (418) 833-3871 (Fax)  
[financiereagricole@fadq.qc.ca](mailto:financiereagricole@fadq.qc.ca) (Email)  
[http://www.financiereagricole.qc.ca/an/an.php?l\\_id=292](http://www.financiereagricole.qc.ca/an/an.php?l_id=292)

### Saskatchewan

(306) 728-7200 or 1 888 935-0000 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 728-7268 (Fax)  
[customer.service@scic.gov.sk.ca](mailto:customer.service@scic.gov.sk.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.saskcropinsurance.com>

**Farm Debt Mediation Service (FDMS)** brings insolvent farmers and their creditors together to try to resolve their disputes.

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/index\\_e.php?s1=prod&page=fdms-smmea](http://www.agr.gc.ca/index_e.php?s1=prod&page=fdms-smmea)

### British Columbia, Alberta, Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut

(780) 495-3212 or 1 866 452-5556 (Toll-free)  
 (780) 495-3971 (Fax)

### Saskatchewan, Manitoba

(306) 780-5544 or 1 866 452-5556 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 780-7353 (Fax)

### Ontario

(519) 763-8135 or 1 866 452-5556 (Toll-free)  
 (519) 836-3213 (Fax)

### Québec

(418) 648-4775 or 1 866 452-5556 (Toll-free)  
 (418) 648-2439 (Fax)

### New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Newfoundland and Labrador

(506) 452-3691 or 1 866 452-5556 (Toll-free)  
 (506) 452-4975 (Fax)

### Farm Improvement and Marketing Cooperatives

**Loans Act (FIMCLA)** is a guaranteed loans program designed to increase the availability of loans for the purpose of improving and developing farm buildings and the processing, distribution or marketing of farm products by cooperative associations.

1 888 346-2511 (Toll-free)  
<http://www.agr.ca/nmp/fimcla>

**Greencover Canada Program** is a five-year, \$110-million Government of Canada initiative to help you, as a producer, improve your grassland-management practices, protect water quality, reduce greenhouse-gas emissions, and enhance biodiversity and wildlife habitat.

1 866 844-5620  
[greencover@agr.gc.ca](mailto:greencover@agr.gc.ca) (Email)  
[http://www.agr.gc.ca/env/greencover-verdir/index\\_e.phtml](http://www.agr.gc.ca/env/greencover-verdir/index_e.phtml)

# Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency (ACOA)

**Innovative Communities Fund (ICF)** invests in strategic projects that build the economies of Atlantic Canada's communities. Working in partnership with communities and stakeholders, ICF builds on the strengths of communities and provides the tools needed to identify opportunities available for their sustainable economic growth. ICF focuses on investments that lead to long-term employment and economic capacity building in rural communities. Urban initiatives that stimulate the competitiveness and vitality of rural communities may be considered on a selective basis.

(506) 851-2271 or 1 800 561-7862 (Toll-free)

1 877 456-6500 (TTY toll-free)

(506) 851-7403 (Fax)

<http://www.acoa-apeca.gc.ca/e/financial/aip/community.shtml>

**New Brunswick** (506) 452-3184 or  
1 800 561-4030 (Toll-free)  
(506) 452-3285 (Fax)

**Prince Edward Island** (902) 566-7492 or  
1 800 871-2596 (Toll-free)  
(902) 566-7098 (Fax)

**Newfoundland and Labrador** (709) 772-2751 or  
1 800 668-1010 (Toll-free)  
(709) 772-2712 (Fax)

**Nova Scotia** (902) 426-6743 or  
1 800 565-1228 (Toll-free)  
(902) 426-2054 (Fax)

**Cape Breton Island** (902) 564-3600 or  
1 800 705-3926 (Toll-free)  
(902) 564-3825 (Fax)  
[ecbcinfo@ecbc.ca](mailto:ecbcinfo@ecbc.ca) (Email)

**Ottawa** (613) 954-2422  
(613) 954-0429 (Fax)

## National Water Supply Expansion Program (NWSEP)

A national program, the NWSEP will focus on assisting Canadian producers to develop and enhance long-term agricultural water supplies.

(514) 283-3815 (extension 510) or (780) 495-6365

[nwsep@agr.gc.ca](mailto:nwsep@agr.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/env/index\\_e.php?section=h2o&page=h2o](http://www.agr.gc.ca/env/index_e.php?section=h2o&page=h2o)

**Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration (PFRA)** is a branch of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, which works with Prairie people to manage land and water resources in a productive and sustainable manner.

(306) 780-5019 or (306) 780-5154

(306) 780-5018 (Fax)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/main\\_e.htm](http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/main_e.htm)

**Prairie Grain Roads Program (PGRP)** provides assistance to upgrade some of the municipal roads and secondary provincial highways used for grain transportation in the Prairie Provinces and the Peace River region of British Columbia.

(306) 780-5019

(306) 780-5018 (Fax – Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/pgrp\\_e.htm](http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/pgrp_e.htm)

**Shelterbelt Enhancement Program (SEP)** is designed to reduce greenhouse gases through increased shelterbelt plantings on agricultural lands across the Prairies.

(306) 695-2284

(306) 695-2568 (Fax)

[pfratree@agr.gc.ca](mailto:pfratree@agr.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/shbenhp\\_e.htm](http://www.agr.gc.ca/pfra/shbenhp_e.htm)

**Spring Credit Advance Program (SCAP)** provides producer organizations and their lenders with a repayment guarantee for advances issued to producers in the spring to assist them with their input costs.

1 888 346-2511 (Toll-free)

[http://www.agr.gc.ca/nmp/scap/description\\_e.html](http://www.agr.gc.ca/nmp/scap/description_e.html)

## Regional Economic Development Organizations (REDO)

The mandate of the REDOs varies from one Atlantic province to another in order to address the economic development needs of the individual provinces. They are involved in numerous activities such as community capacity building, the provision of information and support to prospective businesses, the management of various projects aimed at economic development opportunities, the promotion of entrepreneurial success, and business counselling.

(506) 851-2271 or 1 800 561-7862 (Toll-free)

1 877 456-6500 (TTY toll-free)

(506) 851-7403 (Fax)

<http://www.acoa-apeca.gc.ca/e/cd/redo.shtml>

**New Brunswick** (506) 452-3184 or  
1 800 561-4030 (Toll-free)  
(506) 452-3285 (Fax)

**Prince Edward Island** (902) 566-7492 or  
1 800 871-2596 (Toll-free)  
(902) 566-7098 (Fax)

**Newfoundland and Labrador** (709) 772-2751 or  
1 800 668-1010 (Toll-free)  
(709) 772-2712 (Fax)

**Nova Scotia** (902) 426-6743 or  
1 800 565-1228 (Toll-free)  
(902) 426-2054 (Fax)

**Cape Breton Island** (902) 564-3600 or  
1 800 705-3926 (Toll-free)  
(902) 564-3825 (Fax)  
[ecbcinfo@ecbc.ca](mailto:ecbcinfo@ecbc.ca) (Email)

**Ottawa** (613) 954-2422  
(613) 954-0429 (Fax)

## Business Development Bank of Canada (BDC)

### Aboriginal Entrepreneur

Business Development Bank of Canada's Aboriginal Banking Unit consists of Aboriginal people well aware of the specific needs of Aboriginal entrepreneurs, and offers customized, long-term, and flexible solutions.

(204) 983-3594 or

1 877 BDC-BANX (1 877 232-2269) (Toll-free)

(204) 983-8522 or 1 877 329-9232 (Fax)

[http://www.bdc.ca/en/i\\_am/aboriginal\\_entrepreneur/default.htm?cookie%5Ftest=1](http://www.bdc.ca/en/i_am/aboriginal_entrepreneur/default.htm?cookie%5Ftest=1)

## Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA)

### Cost Recovery

The CBSA offers a special service to a courier for the clearance of Courier/Low value shipments (LVS), a cost recovery scheme implemented so that the cost of operation is shared equally between the CBSA and the courier.

1 800 461-9999 (Toll-free)

(204) 983-3500 or (506) 636-5064

[CBSA-ASFC@canada.gc.ca](mailto:CBSA-ASFC@canada.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca/import/courier/courier/cost\\_recovery-e.html](http://www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca/import/courier/courier/cost_recovery-e.html)

## Canada Business – Services for Entrepreneurs

**Aboriginal Business Development Fund (ABDF)** provides capital to start-up, expand and modernize Aboriginal businesses in Atlantic Canada.

1 888 576-4444 (Toll-free)

1 800 457-8466 (TTY toll-free)

1 888 417-0442 (Fax toll-free)

[http://www.cbsc.org/servlet/ContentServer?pagename=CBSC\\_FE/display&c=Finance&cid=1095796223611&lang=en](http://www.cbsc.org/servlet/ContentServer?pagename=CBSC_FE/display&c=Finance&cid=1095796223611&lang=en)

**Aboriginal Business Service Network (ABSNS)** provides Aboriginal entrepreneurs with access to business programs, services and regulations, in urban, rural and remote settings.

1 877 699-5559 (Toll-free)

1 800 457-8466 (TTY toll-free)

1 888 417-0442 (Fax toll-free)

<http://www.cbsc.org/absn>

### Services for Entrepreneurs

Canada Business is the gateway to all federal programs and services for businesses. It also serves as the portal to the network of Canada Business Service Centres (CBSCs) located in every province and territory across the country. The CBSC network provides comprehensive business information products and services through a multi-channel delivery system. Every rural community has access to the click and call channels and many have the option of walk-in service within a reasonable distance.

1 888 576-4444 (Toll-free)

1 800 457-8466 (TTY toll-free)

1 888 417-0442 (Fax toll-free)

<http://www.canadabusiness.gc.ca>

## Canada Economic Development

**Business Contact** is an economic leadership concept designed by Canada Economic Development in conjunction with Québec's Community Futures Development Corporations (CFDCs) and Business Development Centres (BDCs). This event targets the growth of small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) and the development of all the regions of Québec. Business Contact is intended for business people and SME support organizations.

(514) 283-6412 or 1 866 385-6412 (Toll-free)

(514) 283-3302 (Fax)

[http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/evenements/ContactAffaires\\_intro.asp](http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/evenements/ContactAffaires_intro.asp)

### Community Economic Diversification Initiative – CEDI-VITALITY

was created to support communities with slow economic growth in seven regions and 21 Québec regional county municipalities. The initiative is intended to: diversify the economic base of these communities; reduce the dependency of communities whose economies are based on a single industry or sector, or on natural resource development; create sustainable employment; and decrease population exodus.

(514) 283-6412 or 1 866 385-6412 (Toll-free)

(514) 283-3302 (Fax)

[http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/ProgrammesServices/lnitt\\_divrs\\_econq\\_vitalite.asp](http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/ProgrammesServices/lnitt_divrs_econq_vitalite.asp)

### Innovation, Development Entrepreneurship and Access Program for Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (IDEA-SME)

promotes the development of enterprises, helps them become more competitive on world markets and provides them with access to a wide range of economic programs and services. Target clientele are: SMEs, including social economy enterprises, SME support organizations, business associations, and economic development organizations. IDEA-SME's areas of activity are: innovation, testing and experimentation to enhance natural resources, productivity, e-business, market development and export, social economy capacity building, entrepreneurship and business climate development.

(514) 283-6412 or 1 866 385-6412 (Toll-free)

(514) 283-3302 (Fax)

[http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/ProgrammesServices/prg\\_idee\\_PME.asp?LANG=EN#1](http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/ProgrammesServices/prg_idee_PME.asp?LANG=EN#1)

**Regional Strategic Initiative (RSI)** promotes the implementation of projects and initiatives that support the economic strengths of a region. It was designed on the basis of the following priorities, according to the specific needs of the regions: increased use of technology by SMEs; development of tourist attractions; drawing power and international reach; adjustment to the new global economic environment. The regional intervention strategies, launched jointly with socio-economic players from the individual regions, have been developed to respond to the specific needs of each region.

(514) 283-6412 or 1 866 385-6412 (Toll-free)

(514) 283-3302 (Fax)

[http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/ProgrammesServices/ProgrammesServices\\_intro.asp](http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/ProgrammesServices/ProgrammesServices_intro.asp)

## Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)

**Aboriginal Capacity Development** facilitates the acquisition of tools in terms of knowledge, skills, training and resources that will allow First Nations to work towards self-sufficiency in housing and take on more responsibility for the functioning of their community.

Assistance is provided to First Nations housing institutions and individual housing providers to acquire the skills and knowledge to design, build, inspect and manage housing on reserve such as:

- Training sessions on Client Counseling, Property Management Planning, Home Maintenance, Arrears Management and Indoor Air Quality.
- Access to inspector training for First Nations individuals through provincial building official associations and through community colleges.
- Development of Healthy Housing projects to assist in dealing with health, adequacy and affordability issues in First Nations communities.
- Support for Aboriginal youth career fairs and conferences dealing with management and technical housing issues.

[www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre\\_003.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre_003.cfm)

For contact information: see On-Reserve Non-Profit Housing Program

### Emergency Repair Program (ERP)

This program assists low-income homeowners or occupants in rural areas to undertake emergency repairs required for the continued safe occupancy of their homes.

[http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/noho/noho\\_005.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/noho/noho_005.cfm)

**British Columbia:** Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation  
1 800 639-3938 (Toll-free)

**Alberta:** Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation  
Edmonton (780) 423-8735  
Calgary 1 877 499-7245 (Toll-free)

**Saskatchewan:** Saskatchewan Housing Corporation  
Prince Albert (306) 953-2540 or  
1 800 667-9656 (Toll-free)  
Regina (306) 787-4177 or  
1 800 667-4177 (Toll-free)  
Saskatoon (306) 933-6292 or  
1 866 245-5758 (Toll-free)

<http://www.dcre.gov.sk.ca/housing>

**Manitoba:** Manitoba Housing and Renewal Corporation  
Winnipeg (204) 945-4714 or  
1 866 377-0372 (Toll-free)

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/fs/housing/index.html>

**Ontario:** Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation  
1 800 704-6488 (Toll-free)  
[rrap\\_ontario@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:rrap_ontario@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

**Québec:** Société d'habitation du Québec  
1 800 463-4315 (Toll-free)  
<http://www.habitation.gouv.qc.ca/en/programmes/index.html>

**New Brunswick:**  
Department of Family and Community Services  
(506) 453-2001  
<http://www.gnb.ca/0017/Housing/index-e.asp>

**Nova Scotia:**  
Nova Scotia Department of Community Services  
Western Regional Office (902) 679-6715  
Northern Regional Office (902) 755-7023  
Central Regional Office (902) 424-4754  
Eastern Regional Office (902) 563-3302  
<http://www.gov.ns.ca/coms/housing/index.html>

**Prince Edward Island:**  
Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation  
(902) 566-7349 or  
(902) 566-7342

**Newfoundland and Labrador:**  
Newfoundland and Labrador Housing Corporation  
Corner Brook (709) 639-5201  
Gander (709) 256-1300  
Goose Bay (709) 896-1920  
Grand Falls (709) 292-1000  
Marystown (709) 279-5375  
Stephenville (709) 643-6826  
Avalon (709) 724-3000  
<http://www.nlhc.nf.ca/programs/phrp.htm>

**Nunavut:** Nunavut Housing Corporation  
Iqaluit (867) 975-7200  
(867) 975-7222 (Fax)  
Qikiqtaaluk District (867) 897-3665  
(867) 897-3669 (Fax)  
Kivalliq District (867) 857-8700  
(867) 857-8724 (Fax)  
Kitikmeot District (867) 983-2276  
(867) 983-2278 (Fax)  
[http://www.nunavuthousing.ca/.h\\_overview.html](http://www.nunavuthousing.ca/.h_overview.html)

**Yukon:** Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation  
1 800 331-8794 (Toll-free)

**Northwest Territories:**  
Northwest Territories Housing Corporation  
(867) 873-7858 (Programs division)  
<http://www.nwthc.gov.nt.ca/programs.html>

## Housing Quality Matters

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) has, over the past few years, compiled a comprehensive series of information and training sessions having the objective of enhancing skills and knowledge with respect to housing quality. While there is a focus on Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) including mold prevention and remediation, the sessions cover better building techniques, inspecting existing dwellings, property management and basic home maintenance. The series reaches all audiences involved with or impacted by housing and who can influence the quality and durability of housing, e.g. Chief and Council; housing department staff; inspectors, builders and renovators and home occupants. CMHC is also supporting the development of Aboriginal trainers to deliver the suite of sessions. The development and delivery of this initiative is supported by Health Canada, Natural Resources Canada and Indian and Northern Affairs Canada.

[http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre\\_020.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre_020.cfm)

### National Office

(613) 748-2000

1 800 668-2642 (CMHC Toll-free Call Centre)

(613) 748-2447 (TTY)

(613) 748-4686 (Fax)

[dtaylor@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:dtaylor@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) or [chic@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:chic@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### Nova Scotia

(902) 426-3530

(902) 426-9991 (Fax)

### Prince Edward Island

(902) 566-7336

(902) 566-7350 (Fax)

### Newfoundland and Labrador

(709) 772-4400 or

1 888 841-4975 (Toll-free)

(709) 726-1166 or

726-7014 (Fax)

### New Brunswick

(506) 851-7424

(506) 851-6188 (Fax)

### Québec:

#### Montréal

(514) 283-2222 or

1 888 772-0772 (Toll-free)

#### Gatineau

(819) 770-5278 or

1 888 772-0772 (Toll-free)

#### Québec City

(418) 649-8080 or

1 888 772-0772 (Toll-free)

(418) 648-3087 (TTY)

(418) 649-8099 (Fax)

### Saguenay

1 888 772-0772 (Toll-free)

(418) 698-5519 (Fax)

### Sherbrooke

1 888 772-0772 (Toll-free)

(819) 564-7178 (TTY)

(819) 564-4281 (Fax)

### Ontario:

#### Toronto

(416) 221-2642

1 800 309-3388 (TTY toll-free)

(416) 218-3310 (Fax)

#### Hamilton

(905) 527-2642

1 800 309-3388 (TTY toll-free)

(905) 572-2413 (Fax)

#### London

(519) 438-5266 or

(519) 873-2400

1 800 309-3388 (TTY toll-free)

#### Sudbury

(705) 523-2900

1 800 309-3388 (TTY toll-free)

(705) 522-5700 (Fax)

#### Thunder Bay

(807) 343-2010

1 800 309-3388 (TTY toll-free)

(807) 345-0696 (Fax)

### Prairie and Territories:

(403) 515-3000

1 888 841-4975 (TTY toll-free)

(403) 515-2930 (Fax)

#### Edmonton

(780) 423-8700

(780) 423-8702 (Fax)

#### Regina

(306) 780-5880

1 888 841-4975 (TTY toll-free)

(306) 780-6645 (Fax)

#### Saskatoon

(306) 975-4900

1 888 841-4975 (TTY toll-free)

(306) 975-6066 (Fax)

#### Winnipeg

(204) 983-5600

1 888 841-4975 (TTY toll-free)

(204) 983-8046 (Fax)

### British Columbia:

(604) 731-5733

(604) 737-4139 (Fax)

1 800 309-3388 (TTY toll-free)

#### Vancouver

(604) 666-6655

(604) 666-7376 (Fax)

#### Victoria

(250) 363-8040

1 800 309-3388 (TTY toll-free)

(250) 995-2640 (Fax)



**Yukon, NWT and Nunavut** (403) 515-3000 or  
1 877 499-7245 (Toll-free)  
(403) 515-2930 (Fax)

### **Mold Matters: A Resource Guide for First Nations**

**Housing Providers** is intended for use primarily by First Nations people involved with housing, including: housing administrative staff working in the Band office, such as housing directors or managers; technical staff, such as construction supervisors; builders and renovators; and, inspectors. Mold Matters is a compilation of information programs, products and services from within CMHC and externally through other departments; agencies and the private sector that covers a wide range of information on moisture and related mold problems.

1 800 668-2642 (Toll-free)  
[http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre\\_023.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre_023.cfm)

**On-Reserve Non-Profit Housing Program** assists First Nations in the construction, purchase and rehabilitation, and administration of suitable, adequate and affordable rental housing on-reserve. CMHC provides a subsidy to the project to assist with its financing and operation. All First Nations are eligible to apply. Indian and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) must approve a First Nation's application for a Ministerial Guarantee.

[http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/noho/noho\\_010.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/noho/noho_010.cfm)

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### **Atlantic**

(902) 426-4941  
(902) 426- 0742 (Fax)  
[lgulliso@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:lgulliso@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Québec**

(514) 283-0741  
(514) 496-9521 (Fax)  
[slasnier@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:slasnier@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Ontario**

(416) 218-3321  
(416) 250-3204 (Fax)  
[chaddad@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:chaddad@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Prairie and Territories**

(403) 515-3051  
(403) 515-2934 (Fax)  
[dbiddisc@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:dbiddisc@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Alberta (Northern Housing)**

(403) 515-2929  
(403) 515-2930 (Fax)  
[tkerwin@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:tkerwin@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **British Columbia**

(604) 737-4035  
(604) 737-4125 (Fax)  
[jloucks@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:jloucks@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Sustainable Planning and Development for Small Communities Workshop**

is designed specifically for municipal decision makers. The workshop lays a solid foundation and at the same time provides basic, practical information about sustainable development issues for smaller communities.

[http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/inpr/su/sucopl/sucopl\\_006.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/inpr/su/sucopl/sucopl_006.cfm)

### **National Office**

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1 800 668-2642 (CMHC Toll-free Call Centre)  
(613) 748-2447 (TTY)  
(613) 748-2098 (Fax)  
[chic@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:chic@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **British Columbia**

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[ljakubec@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:ljakubec@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Prairie and Territories**

(403) 515-2958  
[cldupuis@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:cldupuis@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Ontario**

(416) 218-3378  
[cguerrer@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:cguerrer@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Québec**

(514) 283-0487  
[sdandena@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:sdandena@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### **Atlantic**

(902) 426-5780  
[mlegere@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:mlegere@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

## Canada Post

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(416) 979-8822 or 1 866 607-6301 (Toll-free)

1 800 267-2797 (TDD toll-free)

<http://www.canadapost.ca>

## Canada Revenue Agency

### Aboriginal Peoples – Tax Information

Aboriginal people are subject to the same tax rules as other Canadian residents unless their income is eligible for the tax exemption under section 87 of the Indian Act.

1 800 959-8281 (Toll-free)

1 800 665-0354 (TTY toll-free)

<http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/aboriginals/menu-e.html>

### Farmers – Tax Information

This Web page provides easy access to publications and forms dealing with tax information for people earning income as a self-employed farmer or as a member of a farm partnership.

1 800 267-6999 (Toll-free)

1 800 665-0354 (TTY toll-free)

<http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/tax/business/segments/farming/menu-e.html>

### Fishers – Tax Information

This Web page provides easy access to publications and forms dealing with tax information for people earning income as a self-employed fisher or as a member of a fishing partnership.

1 800 267-6999 (Toll-free)

1 800 665-0354 (TTY toll-free)

<http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/tax/business/segments/fishers/menu-e.html>

## Canadian Heritage

**Aboriginal Programs** deliver Aboriginal-specific programs and initiatives that contribute significantly to Inuit, Métis and First Nations (Status and Non-Status Indian) Peoples. These programs focus primarily on encouraging full Aboriginal participation in Canadian life and supporting the continuation of Aboriginal living cultures as key elements of the Canadian cultural landscape.

(819) 994-3835

(819) 953-2673 (Fax)

[http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/prog-home\\_e.cfm](http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/prog-home_e.cfm)

**Aboriginal Programs – Aboriginal Languages Initiative** maintains and revitalizes Aboriginal languages for future generations by increasing the number of Aboriginal language speakers, by encouraging the transmission of these languages from generation to generation, and by expanding language usage in family and community settings.

**Assembly of First Nations** (613) 241-6789

(613) 241-5808 (Fax)

**Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami**

(613) 238-8181

(613) 238-1991 (Fax)

**Métis National Council**

(613) 232-3216

(613) 232-4262 (Fax)

**Aboriginal Affairs Branch**

(819) 994-3835

**Aboriginal Programs**

**Directorate**

(819) 953-2673 (Fax)

[autochtone\\_aboriginal@pch.gc.ca](mailto:autochtone_aboriginal@pch.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/progs/ila-ali/index\\_e.cfm](http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/progs/ila-ali/index_e.cfm)

**Aboriginal Programs – Aboriginal Women's Program**

enables Aboriginal women to influence policies, programs, legislation and decision making that affect their social, cultural, economic and political well-being within their own communities and Canadian society while maintaining their cultural distinctiveness and preserving cultural identity.

(819) 994-3835

(819) 953-2673 (Fax)

[autochtone\\_aboriginal@pch.gc.ca](mailto:autochtone_aboriginal@pch.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/progs/ppfa-awp/index\\_e.cfm](http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/progs/ppfa-awp/index_e.cfm)

### Aboriginal Programs – Representative Organizations

supports the operations of Aboriginal organizations representing Métis Non-Status Indian and Inuit peoples to provide political representation and advocacy.

(819) 994-3835

(819) 953-2673 (Fax)

autochtone\_aboriginal@pch.gc.ca (Email)

[http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/progs/paoar-arop/guide\\_e.cfm](http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/progs/paoar-arop/guide_e.cfm)

### Aboriginal Programs – Young Canada Works for Aboriginal Urban Youth

These programs provide summer work experience in Friendship centres and affiliated associations, and monies to help urban Aboriginal students to support their educational goals and support for scholarships to students and for career fairs to encourage for careers related to the departmental mandate.

1 800 935-5555 (Toll-free)

1 800 585-5336 (Fax toll-free)

ycwcoordinator@pch.gc.ca (Email)

[http://www.pch.gc.ca/special/ycw-jct/html/welcome\\_e.htm](http://www.pch.gc.ca/special/ycw-jct/html/welcome_e.htm)

**Publications Assistance Program (PAP)** supports the mailing costs of eligible publications, including a variety of Canadian periodicals such as community newspapers, and publications addressing ethnic, Aboriginal, and minority official-language communities.

(819) 997-4974 or 1 800 641-9221 (Toll-free)

(819) 997-4995 (Fax)

pap@pch.gc.ca (Email)

<http://www.canadianheritage.gc.ca/pap>

## Citizenship and Immigration Canada

### CANPASS Remote Area Border Crossing (RABC)

**Permit** facilitates customs and immigration clearance for travellers wishing to cross the border into Canada at the following remote areas:

- From Pigeon River through to and including Lake of the Woods

- The Canadian shore of Lake Superior
- Cockburn Island
- Sault Ste. Marie (upper lock system)

The permit allows the bearer to cross the border into Canada without reporting to a port of entry, as long as imported goods are declared.

1 888 242-2100 (Toll-free)

1 888 576-8502 (TTY toll-free)

<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/visit/rabc.html>

**Remote Area Border Crossing program port of entry offices:**

Fort Frances	(807) 852-3341 or (807) 274-3655
Rainy River	(807) 852-3341
Pigeon River	(807) 964-2093
Sault Ste. Marie	(705) 941-3063
Sprague	(204) 437-2361
Thunder Bay	(807) 624-2162

## Department of Justice Canada

**Aboriginal Justice Strategy (AJS)** is composed of community-based justice programs that are cost-shared with provincial and territorial governments, and self-government negotiations in the field of administration of justice. Of these components, only the community-based justice programs provide contribution funding to Aboriginal communities.

(613) 946-6614

(613) 957-4697 (Fax)

ajs-sja@justice.gc.ca (Email)

<http://www.justice.gc.ca/en/ps/ajs/>

### Alberta, Saskatchewan

(306) 780-3204

(306) 975-5116 (Fax)

joseph.blayne@justice.gc.ca (Email)

### British Columbia, Yukon

(604) 666-6009

(604) 666-7121 (Fax)

pierre.rousseau@justice.gc.ca (Email)

**Ontario, Manitoba, Nunavut**

(613) 941-4103

(613) 957-4697 (Fax)

michael.macpherson@justice.gc.ca (Email)

**Québec, Atlantic, Northwest Territories**

(613) 954-5003

(613) 957-4697 (Fax)

michel.tatlock@justice.gc.ca (Email)

**Family Violence Initiative (FVI)** promotes public awareness of the risk factors of family violence and the need for public involvement in responding to it; strengthens the criminal justice, housing, and health systems to respond; and supports data collection, research and evaluation efforts to identify effective interventions. The program is intended to promote the development of resource tools related to family violence in communities across Canada, including hard-to-reach rural and remote communities.

(613) 957-2938 or 1 800 267-1291 (Toll-free

National Clearinghouse on Family Violence)

(613) 952-6396 or 1 800 561-5643 (TTY toll-free)

(613) 941-8930 (Fax)

ncfv-cnivf@phac-aspc.gc.ca (Email)

<http://www.justice.gc.ca/en/ps/fm/index.html>

**Research and Statistics Division** has a number of justice-related research reports on issues impacting on rural communities in Canada. Examples include research on family violence within rural communities and the challenges of implementing an effective youth justice system in rural and isolated communities in Canada.

(613) 957-4222

(613) 992-4556 (TDD/TTY)

(613) 954-0811 (Fax)

rsd.drs@justice.gc.ca (Email)

<http://canada.justice.gc.ca/en/ps/rs/index.html>

**Victims of Crime Initiative (VCI)** is intended to improve the experience of victims of crime in the criminal justice system. The VCI conducts research and consultations, often in collaboration with provincial and territorial colleagues, to determine the needs of victims, gaps in services and to identify promising practices for service delivery for victims of crime, including victims living in Aboriginal, northern and rural/remote communities.

Through the Victims Fund, the VCI supports the development of victim assistance in these communities, increased access to such services and capacity building.

1 866 525-0554 (Toll-free National Office for Victims)

(613) 952-1110 (Fax)

voc-vac@justice.gc.ca (Email)

<http://www.justice.gc.ca/en/ps/pb/prog/victimsfunds.html>

## Environment Canada

**Atlantic Coastal Action Program (ACAP)** is a unique community-based program initiated by Environment Canada in 1991 to help Atlantic Canadians restore and sustain watersheds and adjacent coastal areas. ACAP recognizes that local organizations are the most effective champions to achieve sustainability in their communities.

(902) 426-8679 or (902) 426-7231

(902) 426-6348 (Fax)

(819) 994-0736 (TTY)

15th.reception@ec.gc.ca (Email)

<http://atlantic-web1.ns.ec.gc.ca/community/acap/>

**Ecological Gifts Program (EGP)** provides a way for Canadians with ecologically sensitive land to protect natural areas and leave a legacy for future generations. Landowners donating ecologically sensitive land or a partial interest, such as a conservation easement, covenant or servitude, to an environmental charity or government body are eligible to receive income tax benefits for their donation.

[http://www.cws-scf.ec.gc.ca/ecogifts/intro\\_e.cfm](http://www.cws-scf.ec.gc.ca/ecogifts/intro_e.cfm)

**National Secretariat** (819) 994-6687,  
(819) 953-4003,  
(819) 953-1415 or  
1 800 668-6767 (Toll-free)  
(819) 953-3575 (Fax)

**Pacific and Yukon** (604) 940-4700  
(604) 946-7022 (Fax)

**Alberta** (780) 951-8826  
(780) 495-2615 (Fax)

**Saskatchewan** (306) 780-5322  
(306) 780-7614 (Fax)

Manitoba	(204) 983-5264 (204) 983-5248 (Fax)
Northwest Territories, Nunavut	(867) 669-4760 (867) 873-8185 (Fax)
Ontario	(416) 739-5828 or (416) 739-4286 (416) 739-5845 (Fax)
Québec	(418) 649-6857 (418) 649-6475 (Fax)
New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island	(506) 364-5049 (506) 364-5062 (Fax)
Newfoundland and Labrador	(709) 772-7456 (709) 772-5097 (Fax)

## Farm Credit Canada

### Agriculture Property

Find information on property values across Canada or view Farm Credit Canada's listing of Canadian properties for sale.

(306) 780-8100 or 1 888 332-3301 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 780-6974 (TTY)  
 (306) 780-8919 (Fax)  
 csc@fcc-fac.ca (Email)  
[http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/Products/Property/property\\_e.asp](http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/Products/Property/property_e.asp)

**Farm Credit Canada (FCC)** offers a wide range of flexible financing products and services supporting diversification initiatives as well as value-added operations beyond the farm gate. For information, call our toll-free telephone line or visit our new Web site.

(306) 780-8100 or 1 888 332-3301 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 780-6974 (TTY)  
 (306) 780-8919 (Fax)  
 csc@fcc-fac.ca (Email)  
<http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/index.asp>

**Farm Credit Canada (FCC) AgriSuccess** advances management practices that lead Canadian producers to success through the delivery of AgriSuccess learning and information programs. AgriSuccess delivers workshops and seminars, in a diverse offering of management topics. Information on agricultural and agribusiness

issues is provided through the AgriSuccess Express, a weekly e-newsletter dedicated to agriculture, and the AgriSuccess Journal, a bimonthly magazine focused on management information. Both publications are free.

(306) 780-8100 or 1 888 332-3301 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 780-6974 (TTY)  
 (306) 780-8919 (Fax)  
 info@agrisuccess.ca (Email)  
<http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/learningcentre/index.asp?main=4>

**Farm Credit Canada (FCC) Bonds** provide investors with the same credit quality as the Government of Canada (AAA). FCC Bonds offer investors an excellent opportunity to support Canadian agriculture.

(306) 780-8100 or 1 888 332-3301 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 780-6974 (TTY)  
 (306) 780-8919 (Fax)  
 csc@fcc-fac.ca (Email)  
[http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/investorrelations/fccbonds\\_e.asp](http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/investorrelations/fccbonds_e.asp)

**Farm Credit Canada (FCC) Enviro-Loans** help producers finance the construction or improvement of operations to implement sound environmental practices that will help protect the farm for future generations. Producers can take up to 18 months before making principal payments, allowing them to manage cash flow during construction.

(306) 780-8100 or 1 888 332-3301 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 780-6974 (TTY)  
 (306) 780-8919 (Fax)  
 csc@fcc-fac.ca (Email)  
[http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/products/lending/enviro\\_loan\\_e.asp](http://www.fcc-fac.ca/en/products/lending/enviro_loan_e.asp)

## Fisheries and Oceans Canada

### Canada's Ocean Strategy (COS)

An ever-increasing number of demands are being placed on our oceans and their resources. Aquaculture, oil and gas exploration and development, and eco-tourism have joined traditional fishing and marine transportation as significant ocean industries. The challenge is to support this growth in activity, which support jobs and gives Canada an important economic boost, with a strong

commitment to maintaining and enhancing the well-being of our marine environment. Canada's Oceans Strategy will help Canada to meet this challenge by moving to an integrated, comprehensive vision for ocean management; taking advantage of economic opportunities while integrating social and environmental goals; and giving Canadians an opportunity to become engaged in decisions affecting Canada's three oceans.

(613) 990-1367

(613) 952-6802 (Fax)

[COS-SOC@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:COS-SOC@dfo-mpo.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.cos-soc.gc.ca/dir/cos-soc\\_e.asp](http://www.cos-soc.gc.ca/dir/cos-soc_e.asp)

**Central and Arctic** (204) 984-3483  
(204) 984-2403 (Fax)

**Gulf** (506) 851-6850  
(506) 851-3027 (Fax)

**Maritimes** (902) 426-3825 or  
(902) 426-3894  
(902) 426-9909 or  
(902) 426-3855 (Fax)

**Newfoundland and Labrador** (709) 772-2852  
(709) 772-5315 (Fax)

**Pacific** (604) 666-1089  
(604) 666-1273 (Fax)

**Québec** (418) 648-7995  
(418) 649-8003 (Fax)

**Canadian Coast Guard (CCG) Icebreaking Program** is dedicated to ensuring that marine traffic moves safely through or around ice covered waters.

(613) 993-0999 or 1 800 920-7767 (Toll-free)

(613) 941-6517 (TDD)

(613) 990-5541 (Fax)

[ice-glance@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:ice-glance@dfo-mpo.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.ccg-gcc.gc.ca/ice-gla/main\\_e.htm](http://www.ccg-gcc.gc.ca/ice-gla/main_e.htm)

### Fish Habitat Management

Fish habitat can be easily damaged and lost due to human activities that occur in, near or with water. These often result in both big and small changes to fish habitat in ways that are both obvious and subtle. The changes often have profound effects on the economic, social, cultural and environmental benefits that marine and

freshwater fish provide to Canadians. **Fish Habitat Management Program** plays a pivotal role in the conservation and protection of fish habitat in Canada. Staff in over 65 offices across Canada work closely with provinces, territories, industry, conservation and aboriginal groups on protecting and conserving fish habitat.

(613) 993-0999

(613) 990-1866 (Fax)

(613) 941-6517 (TTY)

[info@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:info@dfo-mpo.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/canwaters-eauxcan/habitat/index\\_e.asp](http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/canwaters-eauxcan/habitat/index_e.asp)

**Fisheries and Aquaculture Management** is a national program with a wide range of elements that impact on the environment and on the livelihood of rural, coastal and aboriginal communities throughout Canada.

(613) 993-0999

(613) 990-1866 (Fax)

1 800 465-7735 (TTY toll-free)

[info@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:info@dfo-mpo.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/communic/fish\\_man/index\\_e.htm](http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/communic/fish_man/index_e.htm)

**Small Craft Harbours (SCH) Program** operates and maintains a national system for harbours, providing safe access and shelter for commercial fishing vessels and recreational boats.

(613) 993-3011

(613) 952-6788 (Fax)

[schinfo@dfo-mpo.gc.ca](mailto:schinfo@dfo-mpo.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/sch/SCH-program\\_e.html](http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/sch/SCH-program_e.html)

## Health Canada

### Community Action Program for Children (CAPC)

provides long-term funding to community coalitions to deliver programs that address the health and development of children (0–6 years) who are living in conditions of risk. It targets children living in low income families; children living in teenage-parent families; children experiencing developmental delays, social, emotional or behavioural problems; and abused and neglected children.

[http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/dca-dea/programmes/capc\\_main\\_e.html](http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/dca-dea/programmes/capc_main_e.html)

**Atlantic**

(902) 426-2700  
 (902) 426-9689 (Fax)  
[atlantic-atlantique@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:atlantic-atlantique@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)

**Ontario**

(416) 973-0002  
 (416) 973-0009 (Fax)  
[PACE-PCNP\\_ON@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:PACE-PCNP_ON@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)

**Québec**

(514) 283-1046  
 (514) 283-3309 (Fax)  
[PACE-PCNP\\_Québec@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:PACE-PCNP_Québec@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)

**Manitoba**

(204) 983-2833  
 (204) 983-8674 (Fax)

**Saskatchewan**

(306) 780-6846  
 (306) 780-3885 (Fax)  
[Saskatchewan\\_kids\\_Count@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:Saskatchewan_kids_Count@hc-sc.gc.ca) (Email)

**Alberta**

(780) 495-2754  
 (780) 495-7842 (Fax)  
[ab\\_nwt@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:ab_nwt@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)

**British Columbia**

(604) 666-2729  
 (604) 666-8986 (Fax)  
[children\\_BC@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:children_BC@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)

**Northern Secretariat**

1 888 332-9222 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 949-2718 (Fax)  
[NS-CAPC-CPNP\\_PPHB@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:NS-CAPC-CPNP_PPHB@phac-aspc.gc.ca)

**National Native Alcohol and Drug Abuse Program**

**(NNADAP)** helps First Nations and Inuit communities set up and operate programs aimed at reducing high levels of alcohol, drug, and solvent abuse.

(613) 957-2991 or 1 866 225-0709 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 267-1245 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 941-5366 (Fax)  
[Info@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:Info@hc-sc.gc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fnihb-dgspni/fnihb/cp/nnadap/index.htm>

**National Youth Solvent Abuse Program (NYSAP)**

is a national residential in-patient treatment program

that compliments community-level activities aimed at preventing youth solvent abuse. The program provides culturally appropriate treatment, specialized treatment and recovery programs for First Nations and Inuit youth with chronic solvent abuse problems.

(613) 957-2991 or 1 866 225-0709 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 267-1245 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 941-5366 (Fax)  
[Info@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:Info@hc-sc.gc.ca) (Email)  
[http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fnih-spni/substan/ads/nysap-pnlasj\\_e.html](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fnih-spni/substan/ads/nysap-pnlasj_e.html)

**Nobody's Perfect** is a Health Canada support and education program for parents of children from birth to five years of age. If you are young, single or living in isolation or on low income, a trained facilitator can help you develop skills you need to cope with the pressures of raising a child.

(613) 952-1220  
 (613) 952-1556 (Fax)  
[DCA\\_public\\_inquiries@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:DCA_public_inquiries@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)  
[http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/dca-dea/family\\_famille/nobody\\_e.html](http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/dca-dea/family_famille/nobody_e.html)

**Non-Insured Health Benefits (NIHB) Program** is Health Canada's national, needs-based health benefit program that funds benefit claims for a specified range of drugs, dental care, vision care, medical supplies and equipment, short-term crisis intervention mental health counselling, and medical transportation for eligible First Nations people and Inuit.

(613) 954-8825 or 1 866 225-0709 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 267-1245 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 941-5366 (Fax)  
[fnihb-dgspni@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:fnihb-dgspni@hc-sc.gc.ca) (Email)  
[http://hc-sc.gc.ca/fnih-spni/nihb-ssna/index\\_e.html](http://hc-sc.gc.ca/fnih-spni/nihb-ssna/index_e.html)

**Office of Nursing Services (ONS)** plays a vital role in the delivery of health nursing services to all Aboriginal communities in Canada, by offering employment and learning opportunities to the women and men who deliver these services and by providing financial support to communities that have demonstrated the capacity to manage these services themselves.

(613) 941-4596 or 1 800 267-3367 (Toll-free)  
[fnihb-dgspni@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:fnihb-dgspni@hc-sc.gc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fnihb/ons/index.htm>

# Human Resources and Social Development

## Extended Employment Insurance (EI) Pilot Project

increases EI income support by providing access to 5 additional weeks of benefits to EI claimants, up to a maximum of 45 weeks of benefits. It will run for 18 months, from June 11, 2006 to December 9, 2007. The pilot will test whether providing additional weeks would help address the annual income gap faced by seasonal workers whose weeks of work and EI benefits are not sufficient to provide income throughout the year; and have any adverse labour market effects on other EI claimants.

1 800 206-7218 (Toll-free)

1 800 529-3742 (TTY toll-free)

[http://www.hrsdc.gc.ca/asp/gateway.asp?hr=/en/ei/information/increased\\_weeks\\_pilot\\_extension.shtml&hs=tyt#The](http://www.hrsdc.gc.ca/asp/gateway.asp?hr=/en/ei/information/increased_weeks_pilot_extension.shtml&hs=tyt#The)

## Multilateral Framework on Early Learning and Child Care (ELCC)

promotes early childhood development and supports the participation of parents in employment or training by improving access to affordable, quality early learning and child care programs and services. Ministers agree to further invest in provincially/territorially regulated early learning and child care programs for children under six.

[childrenspolicy-politiquesenfants@sdcc-dsc.gc.ca](mailto:childrenspolicy-politiquesenfants@sdcc-dsc.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.ecd-elcc.ca/en/elcc/elcc\\_home.shtml](http://www.ecd-elcc.ca/en/elcc/elcc_home.shtml)

## Newfoundland

(709) 729-4984

[healthinfo@gov.nl.ca](mailto:healthinfo@gov.nl.ca) (Email)

## Prince Edward Island

(902) 368-4000

[Island@gov.pe.ca](mailto:Island@gov.pe.ca) (Email)

## Nova Scotia n/a

## New Brunswick

(506) 453-2001

(506) 453-7478 (Fax)

## Québec n/a

## Ontario

(416) 325-5666

1 800 387-5559 (TTY toll-free)

(416) 325-7136 (Fax)

## Manitoba

(204) 945-2266 or 1 888 848-0140 (Toll-free)

[healthychild@gov.mb.ca](mailto:healthychild@gov.mb.ca) (Email)

## Saskatchewan

(306) 787-5077

(306) 798-0787 (Fax)

## Alberta

(780) 422-3004 or 310-0000 (Toll-free within Alberta)

(780) 422-3071 (Fax)

[cs.communications@gov.ab.ca](mailto:cs.communications@gov.ab.ca) (Email)

## British Columbia

(250) 387-7027,

(250) 387-6121 (Victoria) or 1 877 387-7027 (Toll-free)

(604) 660-2421 (Vancouver) or

1 800 663-7867 (Toll-free elsewhere in BC)

(604) 660-2421 (outside BC)

[EnquiryBC@gov.bc.ca](mailto:EnquiryBC@gov.bc.ca) (Email)

## Yukon

(867) 667-3673 or

1 800 661-0408 (extension 3673) (Toll-free)

(867) 667-3096 (Fax)

[hss@gov.yk.ca](mailto:hss@gov.yk.ca) (Email)

**New Horizons for Seniors** was launched in 2004 to support local projects across Canada to order to encourage seniors to contribute to their communities through social participation and active living. The program provides one-time grants of up to \$25,000 to community organizations to build community capacity and reduce the isolation of seniors. New Horizons for Seniors is responsive to the needs of seniors in rural and remote areas.

1 800 277-9914 (Toll-free service in English)

1 800 277-9915 (Toll-free service in French)

1 800 255-4786 (TTY toll-free)

<http://www.sdc.gc.ca/en/isp/horizons/toc.shtml>

## Secretariat, Official Language Minority Communities

The mission of the Official Language Minority Communities is to recognize the Francophone and Acadian communities outside Québec and the Anglophone community in Québec as target audiences, in accordance with the Official Languages Act, in order to provide them with access to Human Resources and Social Development Canada programs and services. Through such partnerships and strategic alliances, the needs and priorities for human



resources and economic development can be better met. Examples of projects can be found in Whitehorse, Yukon, Ritchot, Manitoba, Sudbury, Ontario, L'Isle Madame, Nova Scotia and La Côte-de-Beaupré, Québec.

(819) 997-7854

(819) 997-9399 (Fax)

[http://www.sdc.gc.ca/en/gateways/nav/top\\_nav/program/solmc.shtml](http://www.sdc.gc.ca/en/gateways/nav/top_nav/program/solmc.shtml)

**Understanding the Early Years (UEY)** is a national initiative that enables members of communities across Canada to better understand the needs of their young children and families so that they can determine the best programs and services to meet those needs. The UEY assists communities by providing them with the tools and resources they need to gather information about their children. The initiative aims to involve children from all backgrounds including Aboriginal children (which generally applies to First Nations, Inuit and Métis), children of new immigrants, children in official language minority communities and children in disadvantaged circumstances.

1 800 0-Canada (1 800 622-6232) (Toll-free)

1 800 465-7735 (TTY toll-free)

[http://www.sdc.gc.ca/en/hip/sd/300\\_UEYInfo.shtml](http://www.sdc.gc.ca/en/hip/sd/300_UEYInfo.shtml)

## Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

### Community Economic Development Program (CEDP)

provides financial support for First Nation and Inuit communities for public services in economic development. The CEDP is expected to lead to community economic benefits including more community employment, greater use of land and resources under community control, enhanced community economic infrastructure, more and larger community businesses, more business opportunities, and a better climate and environment for community economic development.

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ecd/ps/cedp/cedp\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ecd/ps/cedp/cedp_e.html)

1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free)

1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free)

1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)

[InfoPubs@ainc-inac.gc.ca](mailto:InfoPubs@ainc-inac.gc.ca) (Email)

Atlantic	(902) 661-6200 (902) 661-6237 (Fax)
Québec	1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free) 1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free) 1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)
Ontario – South	(877) 388-4188 (416) 954-3189 (Fax)
Ontario – North	(866) 816-2262 (807) 623-4514 (Fax)
Manitoba	(204) 983-4928 (204) 983-7820 (Fax)
Saskatchewan	(306) 780-5945 (306) 780-5733 (Fax)
Alberta	(780) 495-2773 (780) 495-4088 (Fax)
British Columbia	(604) 666-7891 (604) 775-7149 (Fax)
Yukon	(867) 667-3888 (867) 667-3387 (Fax)
Northwest Territories	(867) 669-2500 (867) 669-2711 (Fax)
Nunavut	(867) 975-4500 (867) 975-4560 (Fax)

### Community Economic Opportunities Program (CEOP)

provides project-based support to those First Nation and Inuit communities that have the best opportunities for public services in economic development. In these communities, the CEOP is expected to lead to community economic benefits including more community employment, greater use of land and resources under community control, enhanced community economic infrastructure, more and larger community businesses, more business opportunities, and a better climate and environment for community economic development.

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ecd/ps/ceop/ceop\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ecd/ps/ceop/ceop_e.html)

1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free)

1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free)

1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)

[InfoPubs@ainc-inac.gc.ca](mailto:InfoPubs@ainc-inac.gc.ca) (Email)

Atlantic	(902) 661-6200 (902) 661-6237 (Fax)
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Québec	1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free) 1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free) 1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)
Ontario – South	(877) 388-4188 (416) 954-3189 (Fax)
Ontario – North	(866) 816-2262 (807) 623-4514 (Fax)
Manitoba	(204) 983-4928 (204) 983-7820 (Fax)
Saskatchewan	(306) 780-5945 (306) 780-5733 (Fax)
Alberta	(780) 495-2773 (780) 495-4088 (Fax)
British Columbia	(604) 666-7891 (604) 775-7149 (Fax)
Yukon	(867) 667-3888 (867) 667-3387 (Fax)
Northwest Territories	(867) 669-2500 (867) 669-2711 (Fax)
Nunavut	(867) 975-4500 (867) 975-4560 (Fax)

### Connecting Youth in Canada – Live Webcasts

Connecting Youth in Canada is all about youth talking to youth – finding out how other teenagers live, what they think, where they're coming from. The webcasts will take place in Inuit and First Nation communities across Canada. Each webcast lasts 30 minutes and is focussed on themes that get youth talking about what's important to them.

1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free)  
1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)  
1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free)  
InfoPubs@ainc-inac.gc.ca (Email)  
[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/connex/wbcst10\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/connex/wbcst10_e.html)

### First Nations and Inuit Youth Employment Strategy

The following programs are available for First Nations and Inuit youth living on reserves or in recognized communities. These programs aim to promote the benefits of education and skills development as a key to increased employment opportunities, to expose youth to a variety of career options, and encourage the enhancement of traditional knowledge.

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/index\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/index_e.html)

### First Nations and Inuit Career Promotion and Awareness Program

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth7\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth7_e.html)

### First Nations and Inuit Science and Technology Camp Program

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth2\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth2_e.html)

### First Nations and Inuit Student Summer Employment Opportunities Program

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth6\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth6_e.html)

### First Nations and Inuit Youth Work Experience Program

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth5\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/ys/yth5_e.html)

### HQ - Gatineau, Québec

(819) 953-8311  
(819) 994-0443 (Fax)  
habeln@ainc-inac.gc.ca (Email)

### Atlantic

(902) 661-6361  
(902) 661-6237 (Fax)  
gloadem@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

### Québec

(418) 951-4967  
(418) 648-7685 (Fax)

### Ontario - South

(416) 952-8440  
(416) 954-3189 (Fax)  
MolaskiJ@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

### Ontario - North

(807) 624-1524  
(807) 623-0540 (Fax)  
finlaysonc@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

### Manitoba

(204) 983-2330  
(204) 983-1626 (Fax)  
bradleyd@inac.ainc.gc.ca (Email)

### Saskatchewan

(306) 780-8216  
(306) 780-6540 (Fax)  
elkingtond@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

### Alberta (Treaty 6)

(780) 495-2813  
(780) 495-2767 (Fax)  
thirdj@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

**Alberta (Treaty 7)**

(403) 292-6172

(403) 292-6903 (Fax)

weaseltravllera@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

**Alberta (Treaty 8)**

(780) 945-2830

(780) 495-3779 (Fax)

girauds@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

**British Columbia**

(604) 775-8142

(604) 775-7149 (Fax)

RoizmanR@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

**Yukon**

(867) 667-3364

(867) 667-3387 (Fax)

taylorf@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

**Northwest Territories**

(867) 669-2506

(867) 669-2711 (Fax)

desjarlaisr@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

**Nunavut**

(867) 975-4541

(867) 975-4560 (Fax)

tabvahtahj@inac-ainc.gc.ca (Email)

**First Nations Forestry Program (FNFP)** is a partnership program between First Nations and the federal government, working to improve economic conditions in status First Nations communities while adhering to the principles of sustainable forest management.

**Indian and Northern Affairs (INAC):**

1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free)

1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free)

1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)

InfoPubs@ainc-inac.gc.ca (Email)

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/on/qwer\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/on/qwer_e.html)**Natural Resources Canada (NRCan):**

(613) 947-7377

(613) 992-9053 (Fax)

bulletin@fnfp.gc.ca (Email)

<http://www.fnfp.gc.ca/english/index.shtml>**Procurement Strategy for Aboriginal Business (PSAB)**

helps Aboriginal firms do more contracting with government departments and agencies.

1 800 400-7677 or 1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free)

1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)

(819) 956-9836 or 1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free)

psab-saea@ainc-inac.gc.ca (Email)

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/saea-psab/index\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/saea-psab/index_e.html)

## Industry Canada

**Aboriginal Business Canada (ABC)** provides eligible Aboriginal entrepreneurs and organizations with financial assistance, business information, resource materials, and referrals to other possible sources of financing or business support. ABC aims to increase the number of viable businesses in Canada that are owned and controlled by Aboriginal Canadians; improve access to business opportunities; increase self-reliance and provide a supportive business environment for Aboriginal Canadians in all areas of Canada.

(613) 954-5031 or 1 800 328-6189 (Toll-free)

1 866 694-8389 (TTY toll-free)

<http://www.abc-eac.ic.gc.ca>

**Community Futures Program (CFP)** is an ongoing national program, administered by FedNor in Ontario; Western Economic Diversification (WD) in Western Canada; Economic Development Agency of Canada for the Regions of Québec; and Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency (ACOA) in Atlantic Canada, that provides operating assistance and investment capital to 258 Community Business Development Corporations (CBDCs) in Atlantic Canada and parts of Québec, and Community Futures Development Corporations (CFDCs) in other parts of Canada. These organizations in turn help support economic development at the community level. With this support, CBDCs and CFDCs carry out a mandate to provide repayable financing for local businesses; a variety of business services for small-and medium-sized enterprises and social enterprises; strategic community planning and socio-economic development; and support for community-based projects.

**FedNor**

(613) 954-5031 or 1 800 328-6189 (Toll-free)  
 1 866 694-8389 (TTY toll-free)  
[http://strategis.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/infednorfednor.nsf/en/h\\_fn01468e.html](http://strategis.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/infednorfednor.nsf/en/h_fn01468e.html)

**Western Economic Diversification (WD)**

[http://www.wd.gc.ca/pos/cfdc/xindex\\_e.asp](http://www.wd.gc.ca/pos/cfdc/xindex_e.asp)

**British Columbia**

(604) 666-6256 or  
 1 888 338-WEST (1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
 (604) 666-2353 (Fax)

**Alberta:**

Edmonton (780) 495-4164 or  
 1 888 338-WEST  
 (1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
 (780) 495-4557 (Fax)

Calgary (403) 292-5458 or  
 1 888 338-WEST  
 (1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
 (403) 292-5487 (Fax)

**Saskatchewan:**

Saskatoon (306) 975-4373 or  
 1 888 338-WEST  
 (1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
 (306) 975-5484 (Fax)

Regina (306) 780-8080  
 (306) 780-8310 (Fax)

**Manitoba:**

Winnipeg (204) 983-4472 or  
 1 888 338-WEST  
 (1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
 (204) 983-3852 (Fax)

**Ontario:**

Ottawa (613) 952-2768  
 (613) 952-9384 (Fax)

**Economic Development Agency of Canada for the Regions of Québec**

(514) 283-6412 or  
 1 866 385-6412 (Toll-free)  
 (514) 283-3302 (Fax)

<http://www.dec-ced.gc.ca/asp/General/main.asp?LANG=EN>

**ACOA**

(506) 851-2271 or  
 1 800 561-7862 (Toll-free)  
 1 877 456-6500 (TTY toll-free)  
 (506) 851-7403 (Fax)  
<http://www.acoa.ca>

**Eastern Ontario Development Program (EODP)**

Administered by FedNor, EODP was established in 2004 to promote socio-economic development in rural Eastern Ontario by creating, building and developing the necessary conditions for increased business and employment opportunities in the area. EODP assists economic renewal through five priority areas:

- Business and community development;
- Skills development;
- Access to capital;
- Retention and attraction of youth; and
- Technological enhancements.

(613) 954-5031 or 1 800 328-6189 (Toll-free)

1 866 694-8389 (TTY toll-free)

[http://fednor.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/infednor-fednor.nsf/en/h\\_fn02359e.html](http://fednor.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/infednor-fednor.nsf/en/h_fn02359e.html)

**First Nations SchoolNet**

Six non-profit Regional Management Organizations work with Industry Canada to deliver the program to First Nations schools. Any First Nations school under the Government of Canada's jurisdiction is eligible to participate in the program.

[http://www.schoolnet.ca/aboriginal/e/main\\_e.asp](http://www.schoolnet.ca/aboriginal/e/main_e.asp)

**First Nations SchoolNet Regional Management Organizations:****Atlantic**

Mi'kmaw Kina'matnewey  
 (902) 567-0842 or 1 877 484-7606 (Toll-free)  
 (902) 567-0337 (Fax)  
<http://www.firstnationhelp.com>

**Québec**

First Nations Education Council  
 (418) 842-7672  
 (418) 842-9988 (Fax)  
[info@cepn-fnec.com](mailto:info@cepn-fnec.com) (Email)  
<http://www.cepn-fnec.com>

**Ontario**

Keewaytinook Okimakanak  
 (807) 478-1114  
 (807) 478-1136 (Fax)  
<http://www.knet.ca>

**Manitoba**

Keewatin Tribal Council  
 1 866 397-5446 (Toll-free)  
 (204) 949-4013 (Fax)  
 info@mfns.ca (Email)  
<http://www.mfns.ca>

**Saskatchewan/Alberta**

Keewatin Career Development Corporation  
 (306) 425-4778 or 1 866 966-5232 (Toll-free)  
 (306) 425-4780 (Fax)  
 KCDCWEB@kcdc.ca (Email)  
<http://career.kcdc.ca/>

**British Columbia**

First Nations Education Steering Committee  
 (604) 925-6087 or 1 877 422-3672 (Toll-free)  
 (604) 925-6097 (Fax)  
<http://www.fnesc.ca>

**National Satellite Initiative** was created to make available affordable satellite capacity to bring broadband services (such as tele-health, tele-education, e-commerce, etc.) to communities in the Far to mid-North, and in isolated and remote areas of Canada, where satellite technology is the only reasonable means of connecting residents.

(613) 948-5365 or 1 800 575-9200 (Toll-free)  
 (613) 948-5044 (Fax)  
 broadband@ic.gc.ca (Email)  
<http://broadband.gc.ca/pub/program/nsi/index.html?iin.lang=en>

**Alberta**

(780) 495-8897  
 (780) 495-6501 (Fax)  
 richardson.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**British Columbia**

(604) 666-5689  
 (604) 666-9698 (Fax)  
 jeromin.cindy@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Manitoba**

(780) 495-8897  
 (780) 495-6501 (Fax)  
 richardson.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**New Brunswick**

(902) 626-2975  
 (902) 566-7098 (Fax)  
 wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Newfoundland and Labrador**

(709) 772-4590 or (709) 772-0675  
 (709) 772-5093 or (709) 772-5093 (Fax)  
 williams.patricia@ic.gc.ca or  
 keough.erin@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Northwest Territories**

(867) 766-8422  
 (867) 766-8426 (Fax)  
 hurst.michael@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Nova Scotia**

(902) 626-2975  
 (902) 566-7098 (Fax)  
 wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Nunavut**

(867) 975-4669  
 (867) 975-4670 (Fax)  
 wilson.todd@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Ontario**

(705) 671-0658  
 (705) 670-6583 (Fax)  
 hansen.rick@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Prince Edward Island**

(902) 626-2975  
 (902) 566-7098 (Fax)  
 wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Québec**

(514) 283-7480 or 1 888 237-3037  
 (514) 283-5157  
 paquet.andre@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Saskatchewan**

(306) 975-4834  
 (306) 975-4231 (Fax)  
 jackson.richard@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Yukon**

(604) 666-5689  
 (604) 666-9698 (Fax)  
 jeromin.cindy@ic.gc.ca (Email)

**Northern Ontario Development Program (NODP)**

Administered by FedNor, the NODP is an ongoing program created in 1987 to promote economic growth, diversification, job creation and sustainable communities in Northern Ontario through a community-based approach.

NODP invests in projects focused on one or more of the following six priority areas:

- Community economic development
- Information and communications technology;
- Innovation;
- Trade and tourism;
- Human capital; and
- Business financing support.

(613) 954-5031 or 1 800 328-6189 (Toll-free)

1 866 694-8389 (TTY toll-free)

[http://fednor.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/infednor-fednor.nsf/en/h\\_fn02348e.html](http://fednor.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/infednor-fednor.nsf/en/h_fn02348e.html)

**Services for Aboriginal Businesses** lists a wide range of programs and initiatives offered by the Government of Canada that can assist Aboriginal entrepreneurs and community ventures.

(613) 954-4064

(613) 957-7010 (Fax)

[http://sab-sea.gc.ca/epic/internet/insab-sea.nsf/en/h\\_np00001e.html](http://sab-sea.gc.ca/epic/internet/insab-sea.nsf/en/h_np00001e.html)

### Softwood Industry and Community Economic

**Adjustment Initiative (SICEAI)** provides adjustment assistance to eligible communities affected by the imposition of tariffs on Canadian softwood lumber exports to the U.S. Support will be given to projects in forestry-dependent communities experiencing long-term employment declines linked to tariffs imposed on Canadian softwood lumber. This funding will be targeted at several broadly defined areas of eligibility including: innovative and value-added forestry initiatives; community capacity building; diversifying local economies; and infrastructure that encourages economic growth.

(613) 954-5031 or 1 800 328-6189 (Toll-free)

1 866 694-8389 (TTY toll-free)

<http://www.ic.gc.ca/cmb/welcomeic.nsf/0/85256a220056c2a485256c94004dad36?OpenDocument>

**Newfoundland and Labrador** (709) 772-4866

(709) 772-5093 (Fax)

**Prince Edward Island** (902) 566-7382

(902) 566-6859 (Fax)

**Nova Scotia** (902) 426-3459  
(902) 426-2615 (Fax)

**New Brunswick** (506) 851-6521  
(506) 851-6429 (Fax)

**Québec** (514) 496-1797 or  
1 888 237-3037 (Toll-free)  
(514) 283-2247 (Fax)

**Ontario** (416) 973-5000  
(416) 973-8714 (Fax)

**Manitoba** (204) 983-5851  
(204) 983-3182 (Fax)

**Saskatchewan: Saskatoon** (306) 975-4400  
(306) 975-4523 (Fax)

**Regina** (306) 780-5010  
(306) 780-6506 (Fax)

**Alberta:**  
**Edmonton** (780) 495-4782 or  
1 800 461-2646 (Toll-free)  
(780) 495-4780 (Fax)

**Calgary** (403) 292-4575  
(403) 292-4295 (Fax)

**Northwest Territories** (867) 766-8420  
(867) 766-8426 (Fax)

**Nunavut** (867) 975-4669  
(867) 975-4670 (Fax)

**British Columbia** (604) 666-5000  
(604) 666-8330 (Fax)

**Yukon** (867) 667-5102  
(867) 393-6711 (Fax)

## Information Centre on Aboriginal Health

### Information Centre on Aboriginal Health (ICAH)

This centralized aboriginal health database is sponsored by the National Aboriginal Health Organization, an independent aboriginal knowledge translation organization funded by the federal government. The database includes information on bibliographic and Web-based resources, programs and services, health careers, and scholarships and bursaries.

(613) 237-9462 or 1 877 602-4445 (Toll-free)  
 (613) 233-1549 or (613) 237-8707 (Fax)  
 icaah@naho.ca (Email)  
<http://www.icaah.ca/content/en/>

## Infrastructure Canada

**Canadian Strategic Infrastructure Fund (CSIF)** targets strategic, large-scale projects of major federal and regional significance in areas that are vital to sustaining economic growth and enhancing the quality of life of Canadians. Eligible categories under the CSIF are: highway and rail infrastructure; local transportation infrastructure; tourism or urban development infrastructure; water or sewage infrastructure; and broadband.

(613) 948-1148 (National information line on infrastructure)  
 1 800 0-Canada (1 800 622-6232) (Toll-free)  
 1 800 465-7735 (TTY/TDD toll-free)  
 info@infrastructure.gc.ca (Email)  
[http://www.infrastructurecanada.gc.ca/ip-pi/index\\_e.s.html#csif\\_fcis](http://www.infrastructurecanada.gc.ca/ip-pi/index_e.s.html#csif_fcis)

**Municipal Rural Infrastructure Fund (MRIF)** provides a balanced response to local infrastructure needs in urban and rural Canada, ensuring that all Canadians, whether they live in large, small or remote communities, will benefit from infrastructure investments. The MRIF will improve and increase core public infrastructure in areas such as water, wastewater, cultural, recreation, and those very things that make our communities vibrant and productive places to live, work and raise families.

(613) 948-1148 or 1 800 0-Canada (1 800 622-6232)  
 1 800 465-7735 (TTY/TDD toll-free)  
 info@infrastructure.gc.ca (Email)  
[http://www.infrastructure.gc.ca/ip-pi/mrif-fimr/index\\_e.shtml](http://www.infrastructure.gc.ca/ip-pi/mrif-fimr/index_e.shtml)

## National Defence

**Bold Eagle Program** is a unique summer training and employment program that combines military training and Aboriginal cultural awareness. Bold Eagle training fosters the development of valuable skills: self-confidence, self-discipline, teamwork and physical fitness. This six-week

program gives participants a taste of military life, with the option – but no commitment – to pursue part-time employment with the Canadian Forces. The program is open to a limited number of Aboriginal youth from Western Canada and Northwestern Ontario.

1 800 856-8488 (Toll-free)  
 maclaine.na@forces.gc.ca (Email)  
<http://www.army.forces.gc.ca/boldeagle/>

**Canadian Forces Aboriginal Entry Program (CFAEP)** is a special recruiting program offering full-time Regular Force training and employment opportunities to qualified Aboriginal peoples. This program offers Aboriginal candidates the opportunity to explore all aspects of a transition to military life before making an informed decision about joining. This program helps develop motivation, discipline, self-worth, leadership skills, and teamwork in the participants.

(613) 995-2534  
 1 800 467-9877 (TTY/TDD toll-free)  
 (613) 992-4739 (Fax)  
 information@forces.gc.ca (Email)  
[http://www.forces.gc.ca/site/newsroom/view\\_news\\_e.asp?id=113](http://www.forces.gc.ca/site/newsroom/view_news_e.asp?id=113)

**Canadian Rangers** are part-time reservists who provide a military presence in remote, isolated and coastal communities of Canada. They foster good citizenship, community responsibility, personal health and welfare, and self-esteem in youth, thereby building a stronger, healthier community for all.

**Canadian Ranger/Junior Canadian Ranger Coordination Cell:**  
 (613) 996-1273  
 (613) 992-8956 (Fax)  
[http://www.rangers.forces.gc.ca/pubs/rangers/intro\\_e.asp](http://www.rangers.forces.gc.ca/pubs/rangers/intro_e.asp)

### Canadian Ranger Patrol Groups:

Yellowknife, NT  
 (867) 873-0700 (extension 0838)  
 (867) 873-0704 (Fax)  
[http://www.cfna.forces.gc.ca/units/rangers/index\\_e.asp](http://www.cfna.forces.gc.ca/units/rangers/index_e.asp)

### Richelain, QC

1 800 817-2761 (Toll-free)  
 (450) 358-7421 (Fax)  
 Qg.rec@videotron.net (Email)

Borden, ON

1 877 902-4534 (Toll-free)

(705) 423-3634 (Fax)

rangers@csolve.net (Email)

[http://www.army.forces.gc.ca/3crpg/English/welcome\\_e.shtm](http://www.army.forces.gc.ca/3crpg/English/welcome_e.shtm)

Victoria, BC

1 877 299-8811 (Toll-free – Rangers)

1 877 223-2232 (Toll-free – Junior Canadian Rangers)

(250) 391-4244 (Fax)

Halifax, NS

1 800 563-2133 (Toll-free)

(902) 427-7615 (Fax)

**Junior Canadian Rangers Program** offers young people in remote and isolated communities across Canada a unique opportunity to participate in a variety of fun and rewarding activities in a formal setting, while promoting traditional cultures and lifestyles. Under the supervision of the Canadian Rangers, these young Canadians (ages 12 to 18) become active and engaged citizens of their local communities.

(613) 996-1273 or 1 800 627-0828 (Toll-free)

(613) 992-8956 (Fax)

[http://www.rangers.forces.gc.ca/pubs/jcr/intro\\_e.asp](http://www.rangers.forces.gc.ca/pubs/jcr/intro_e.asp)

## National Forest Strategy Coalition

**National Forest Strategy** is a consensus document that guides Canadians in their ongoing work in sustainable forest management. It is for all Canadians to implement and it reconfirms the country's collective commitment to work together toward the goal of a sustainable forest, nationwide.

(613) 947-9031

(613) 947-9033 (Fax)

[info@foreststrategy.ca](mailto:info@foreststrategy.ca) (Email)

[http://npsc.forest.ca/strategy\\_e.htm](http://npsc.forest.ca/strategy_e.htm)

## Natural Resources Canada

**Canada Centre for Cadastral Management**, formerly known as the Legal Surveys Division, is recognized for its contribution to sustainable development, strong and safe communities, and the development of the North and Aboriginal people. This is done by providing national leadership for a reliable and flexible property rights infrastructure on Canada Lands and for the maintenance of the International Boundary.

[http://www.lsd.nrcan.gc.ca/english/index\\_e.asp](http://www.lsd.nrcan.gc.ca/english/index_e.asp)

**Ottawa**

(613) 995-4576

(613) 995-2612 or (613) 995-9191 (Fax)

[Jan.Wentzel@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca](mailto:Jan.Wentzel@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca) (Email)

**Atlantic**

(902) 661-6766

(902) 661-6769 (Fax)

[Jacques.Grondin@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca](mailto:Jacques.Grondin@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca) (Email)

**Québec**

(418) 648-7681

(418) 648-5728 (Fax)

[ergroulx@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca](mailto:ergroulx@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca) (Email)

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(416) 973-1006

(416) 973-1004 (Fax)

[Cindy.Kliaman@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca](mailto:Cindy.Kliaman@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca) (Email)

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(780) 495-4052 (Fax)

[Stephen.Howard@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca](mailto:Stephen.Howard@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca) or

[Barry.Necyk@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca](mailto:Barry.Necyk@nrcan-rncan.gc.ca) (Email)

**Saskatchewan**

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(306) 780-5191 (Fax)

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**British Columbia**

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(604) 666-0522 (Fax)

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**Manitoba**

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 (204) 983-0157 (Fax)  
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**Yukon**

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 (867) 393-6709 (Fax)  
[Brian.Thompson@nrca-nrcan.gc.ca](mailto:Brian.Thompson@nrca-nrcan.gc.ca) (Email)

**Northwest Territories**

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 (867) 766-8533 (Fax)  
[Andrew.Brebner@nrca-nrcan.gc.ca](mailto:Andrew.Brebner@nrca-nrcan.gc.ca) (Email)

**Nunavut**

(867) 975-6603 or 1 866 975-4633 (Toll-free)  
 (867) 975-6624 (Fax)  
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**Canadian Geospatial Data Infrastructure (CGDI)**

provides Canadians with on-demand access to geographic information (e.g. maps, satellite images) and related services and applications in support of sound decision making, and is the underlying foundation needed to share this information over the Internet. Through the CGDI, users can access a variety of geographic information from anywhere in Canada or throughout the world, and combine these datasets to gain new insights into social, environmental and economic relationships.

(613) 992-0461 or 1 877 221-6213 (Toll-free)  
 (613) 947-2410 (Fax)  
[info@geoconnections.org](mailto:info@geoconnections.org) (Email)  
<http://www.geoconnections.org/CGDI.cfm/fuseaction/aboutGcs.welcome/gcs.cfm>

## Pan Canadian Community Futures Group

**Pan Canadian Community Futures Group**

Community Futures Development Corporations (CFDCs) are locally managed non-profit corporations delivering a variety of services, including technical and advisory services to business.

<http://www.communityfutures.ca/home/index-eng.html>

**British Columbia**

(604) 685-2332  
 (604) 681-6575 (Fax)  
[info@communityfutures.ca](mailto:info@communityfutures.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.communityfutures.ca/provincial/bc/index.html>

**Alberta**

(403) 851-9995  
 (403) 851-9905 (Fax)  
[jon@cfnsa.ca](mailto:jon@cfnsa.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.cfna.ca>

**Manitoba**

(204) 943-2905  
 (204) 956-9363 (Fax)  
[cfpminc@mb.sympatico.ca](mailto:cfpminc@mb.sympatico.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.cfpmb.ca>

**Ontario**

1 866 668-2332 (Toll-free)  
[info@oacfdc.com](mailto:info@oacfdc.com) (Email)  
<http://www.ontcfdc.com/cover.asp>

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(418) 658-1530  
 (418) 658-9900 (Fax)  
[sadc@ciril.qc.ca](mailto:sadc@ciril.qc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.reseau-sadc.qc.ca/en/index.php>

**Atlantic**

(902) 747-2232 or  
 1 888 303-CBDC (1 888 303-2232) (Toll-free)  
 (902) 747-2019 (Fax)  
[info@cbdc.ca](mailto:info@cbdc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.cbdc.ca/english/>

**New Brunswick**

(506) 548-2406 or (506) 546-2786  
 (506) 546-2661 (Fax)  
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<http://www.nbcdbc.ca/net/>

**Newfoundland and Labrador**

(709) 834-8343 or  
 1 888 303-CBDC (1 888 303-2232) (Toll-free)  
 (709) 834-8363 (Fax)  
[info@cbdc.nl.ca](mailto:info@cbdc.nl.ca) (Email)

**Yukon**

Currently there are no Community Futures Development Corporations in the Yukon  
<http://www.economicdevelopment.yk.ca/>

**Northwest Territories**

<http://www.nwtcfa.ca/>

**Inuvik**

(867) 777-2386

(867) 777-3470 or 1 800 244-1203 (Fax toll-free)

[pblack@permafrost.com](mailto:pblack@permafrost.com) (Email)

**Hay River**

(867) 874-2510

(867) 874-3255 (Fax)

[zjeffgr@ssimicro.com](mailto:zjeffgr@ssimicro.com) (Email)

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(867) 587-2407 (Fax)

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(867) 920-0363 (Fax)

[akaitcho@ssimicro.com](mailto:akaitcho@ssimicro.com) (Email)

**Rae**

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(867) 392-6322 (Fax)

[smorse@migwi.com](mailto:smorse@migwi.com) (Email)

**Fort Simpson**

(867) 695-2441

(867) 695-2052 (Fax)

[citodd@cancom.net](mailto:citodd@cancom.net) (Email)

## Public Health Agency of Canada

**Aboriginal Head Start (AHS)** in Urban and Northern Communities is a Health Canada-funded early childhood development program for First Nations, Inuit and Métis children and their families. The primary goal of the initiative is to demonstrate that locally controlled and designed early intervention strategies can provide Aboriginal children with a positive sense of themselves, a desire for learning, and opportunities to develop fully as successful young people. There are currently 126 AHS sites in urban and northern communities across Canada.

**General inquiries:**

[PHAC\\_Web\\_Mail@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:PHAC_Web_Mail@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/dca-dea/programs-mes/ahs\\_main\\_e.html](http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/dca-dea/programs-mes/ahs_main_e.html)

**British Columbia/Yukon**

(604) 666-2083

(604) 666-2258 (Fax)

**Alberta/NWT**

(780) 495-2651 or (780) 495-2754

(780) 495-3285 (Fax)

**Manitoba/Saskatchewan**

(204) 983-2508

(204) 983-3972 (Fax)

**Ontario/Nunavut**

(416) 973-4389 or 1 866 999-7612 (Toll-free)

(416) 973-1423 (Fax)

**Québec**

(514) 283-2306

(514) 283-6739 (Fax)

**Atlantic**

(902) 426-2700

(902) 426-9689 (Fax)

[pphatlantic-spspatlantique@phac-aspc.gc.ca](mailto:pphatlantic-spspatlantique@phac-aspc.gc.ca) (Email)

## Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP)

**Aboriginal Policing Branch** is responsible for the initiation, development and evaluation of practical and culturally sensitive policing services which are acceptable to Aboriginal peoples.

(613) 993-7267

(613) 993-3887 (TTY)

[http://www.rcmp.ca/ccaps/aborig\\_e.htm](http://www.rcmp.ca/ccaps/aborig_e.htm)

## Service Canada

**Service Canada** has put in place a network of one-stop Service Canada Centres providing basic information on government programs and services. These centres allow visitors access to key Government of Canada publications,

its toll-free telephone service and the Canada Site portal. To find the Service Canada Centre nearest to you, visit our Web site.

1 800 0-Canada (1 800 622-6232) (Toll-free)  
 1 800 926-9105 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 941-1827 (Fax)  
<http://www.servicecanada.gc.ca>

## Statistics Canada

### Agriculture and Rural Working Papers

Twenty-five rural-related "Agriculture and Rural Working Papers" are available at the Statistics Canada Web site. Three were published during the fiscal years of 2004–05 and 2005–06. The working papers provide a detailed analysis with more provincial details in order to benchmark the rural policy debate.

(613) 951-8116 or 1 800 263-1136 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 363-7629 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 951-0581 or 1 877 287-4369 (Fax toll-free)  
[infostats@statcan.ca](mailto:infostats@statcan.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.statcan.ca/bsolc/english/bsolc?catno=21-601-M&CHROPG=1>

**Health Reports on Northern Residents** is a quarterly journal produced by the Health Statistics Division at Statistics Canada.

(613) 951-8116 or 1 800 263-1136 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 363-7629 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 951-0581 or 1 877 287-4369 (Fax toll-free)  
[infostats@statcan.ca](mailto:infostats@statcan.ca) (Email)  
[http://www.statcan.ca/english/indepth/82-003/archive/hrixsuti\\_northe1.htm](http://www.statcan.ca/english/indepth/82-003/archive/hrixsuti_northe1.htm)

**Rural and Small Town Canada Analysis Bulletin** focuses on the analysis of population trends in rural Canada. Studies of changing patterns in rural communities through space and time cover a range of topics: demography, health, education, manufacturing and labour, household and family. These bulletins are available free of charge and can be downloaded from the Statistics Canada Web site.

(613) 951-8116 or 1 800 263-1136 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 363-7629 (TTY toll-free)

(613) 951-0581 or 1 877 287-4369 (Fax toll-free)  
[infostats@statcan.ca](mailto:infostats@statcan.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.statcan.ca:8096/bsolc/english/bsolc?catno=21-006-X>

**Statistical Profile of Canadian Communities** contains data from the 1996 and 2001 Census of Population for more than 5,900 incorporated towns and municipalities in Canada. In addition, information is available for the Federal Electoral Districts in which the community is located and for the Health Region in which the community is located. Also, 2001 Census of Agriculture information is presented for the Census Division and for the Census Agricultural Region in which the community is located. To access these products and obtain other free statistics and information, consult the Statistics Canada Web site.

(613) 951-8116 or 1 800 263-1136 (Toll-free)  
 1 800 363-7629 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 951-0581 or 1 877 287-4369 (Fax toll-free)  
[infostats@statcan.ca](mailto:infostats@statcan.ca) (Email)  
<http://www12.statcan.ca/english/Profil01/CP01/Index.cfm?Lang=E>

## Transport Canada

**Airports Capital Assistance Program (ACAP)** assists eligible applicants in financing capital projects related to safety, asset protection, and operating cost reduction. Eligible applicants are: the owner of an eligible airport or its operator (if so designated by the owner and a long-term contractual relationship is in place). To be eligible, an airport must receive year-round regularly scheduled passenger service, meet airport certification requirements, and not be owned by the federal government.

(613) 990-2309  
 1 888 675-6863 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 954-4731 or (613) 998-8620 (Fax)  
[webfeedback@tc.gc.ca](mailto:webfeedback@tc.gc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.tc.gc.ca/programs/airports/ACAP/menu.htm>

**Airports Operations and Maintenance Subsidy Program** Originally established in 1972, the objective of the Program is to cover the deficits relating to operations and maintenance expenditures of municipal airports. With

the transfer of most of these airports having occurred since 1995, the only airports remaining in this Program are six of the Remote Airports and two of the Regional/Local Airports identified in the National Airports Policy.

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 1 888 675-6863 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 954-4731 or (613) 998-8620 (Fax)  
[webfeedback@tc.gc.ca](mailto:webfeedback@tc.gc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.tc.gc.ca/programs/airports/policy/nap/Remote.htm>

### Grade Crossing Improvement Program

Transport Canada is committed to reducing the number of injuries and fatalities that occur every year at Canada's railway grade crossings. Through the Grade Crossing Improvement Program, Transport Canada funds up to 80% of safety enhancement costs at approximately 80–100 sites across Canada. This Web site provides details of the financial assistance available for safety improvements to railway crossings.

(613) 990-2309 or 1 888 267-7704 (Toll-free)  
 1 888 675-6863 (TTY toll-free)  
[railsafety@tc.gc.ca](mailto:railsafety@tc.gc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.tc.gc.ca/railway/gcip.htm>

**British Columbia** (604) 666-0011  
 (604) 666-7747 (Fax)

**Alberta, Saskatchewan,  
 Manitoba, Yukon, Northwest  
 Territories, Nunavut** (204) 983-3152 or  
 1 888 463-0521 (Toll-free)

**Ontario** (416) 973-9820  
 (416) 973-9907 (Fax)

**Québec** (514) 283-5722  
 (514) 283-8234 (Fax)

**Atlantic** (506) 851-7040  
 (506) 851-7042 (Fax)

### Labrador Coast Airstrips Restoration Program

The objective of the Restoration Program is to restore the airstrips along the Labrador Coast to ensure their operational capability is maintained at the level necessary to meet Transport Canada's Airport Certification requirements. The Program contributes to the long-term sustainability and development of the communities along the Labrador Coast,

since the coastal communities of Labrador are critically dependent on their airstrip for their survival and access to the national transportation system on a year-round basis.

(613) 990-2309  
 1 888 675-6863 (TTY toll-free)  
 (613) 954-4731 or (613) 998-8620 (Fax)  
[webfeedback@tc.gc.ca](mailto:webfeedback@tc.gc.ca) (Email)  
<http://www.tc.gc.ca/mediaroom/releases/atl/2006/06-a002e.htm>

### Remote Airports

Transport Canada is currently responsible for the operation or funding of 13 remote airports across Canada. Airports are considered to be remote if the communities they serve depend on air transportation as the only reliable year round mode of transportation to get the majority of their travellers and cargo in and out. Under the National Airports Policy (NAP), the federal government continues to fund the operation of 13 remote airports, recognizing the need for outgoing support if these communities are to remain accessible year-round.

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 1 888 675-6863 (TTY toll-free)  
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<http://www.tc.gc.ca/programs/airports/policy/nap/Remote.htm>

## Western Economic Diversification Canada

**Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Program (EDP)** is designed to help western Canadians with disabilities gain easier access to business information, training and development, mentoring and one-on-one counselling services, and financial assistance in their pursuit of self-employment and entrepreneurship.

1 888 338-WEST (1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
[http://www.wd.gc.ca/finance/programs/EDP\\_e.asp](http://www.wd.gc.ca/finance/programs/EDP_e.asp)

**British Columbia** (604) 666-6256 or  
 1 888 338-WEST  
 (1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
 (604) 666-2353 (Fax)

**Alberta:**

Edmonton

(780) 495-4164 or  
1 888 338-WEST  
(1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
(780) 495-4557 (Fax)

Calgary

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1 888 338-WEST  
(1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
(403) 292-5487 (Fax)

**Saskatchewan:**

Saskatoon

(306) 975-4373 or  
1 888 338-WEST  
(1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
(306) 975-5484 (Fax)

Regina

(306) 780-8080  
(306) 780-8310 (Fax)

**Manitoba:**

Winnipeg

(204) 983-4472 or  
1 888 338-WEST  
(1 888 338-9378) (Toll-free)  
(204) 983-3852 (Fax)

**Ottawa**

(613) 952-2768  
(613) 952-9384 (Fax)



## Programs and Services for Northern Canada

# Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation

## Housing Quality Matters

Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) has, over the past few years, compiled a comprehensive series of information and training sessions having the objective of enhancing skills and knowledge with respect to housing quality. While there is a focus on Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) including mold prevention and remediation, the sessions cover better building techniques, inspecting existing dwellings, property management and basic home maintenance. The series reaches all audiences involved with or impacted by housing and who can influence the quality and durability of housing, e.g. Chief and Council; housing department staff; inspectors, builders and renovators and home occupants. CMHC is also supporting the development of Aboriginal trainers to deliver the suite of sessions. The development and delivery of this initiative is supported by Health Canada, Natural Resources Canada and Indian and Northern Affairs Canada.

[www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre\\_020.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/onre/onre_020.cfm)

**Northern Housing – CMHC in Yukon, NWT and Nunavut**  
(403) 515-2929, (403) 515-3000 or 1 877 499-7245 (Toll-free)  
(403) 515-2930 (Fax)

### Yellowknife, NT

(867) 873-2637 or 1 888 841-4975 (TTY toll-free)  
(867) 873-3922 (Fax)  
[sturner@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:sturner@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

### Whitehorse, Yukon

(867) 633-7532 or (867) 633-7530  
(867) 633-7542 (Fax)  
[gshuttle@cmhc-schl.gc.ca](mailto:gshuttle@cmhc-schl.gc.ca) (Email)

**On-Reserve Non-Profit Housing Program** assists First Nations in the construction, purchase and rehabilitation, and administration of suitable, adequate and affordable rental housing on-reserve. CMHC provides a subsidy to the project to assist with its financing and operation.

[http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/noho/noho\\_010.cfm](http://www.cmhc-schl.gc.ca/en/ab/noho/noho_010.cfm)

### National Office

(613) 748-2000  
1 800 668-2642 (CMHC Toll-free Call Centre)

(613) 748-2447 (TTY)  
(613) 748-4686 (Fax)  
dtaylor@cmhc-schl.gc.ca or chic@cmhc-schl.gc.ca (Email)

### Northern Housing – CMHC Activity in Yukon, NWT and Nunavut

(403) 515-2929, (403) 515-3000 or 1 877 499-7245 (Toll-free)  
(403) 515-2930 (Fax)  
tkerwin@cmhc-schl.gc.ca (Email)

## Canada Post

### Canada Post – Northern Services

Northern Services has established linked deliveries across Canada's North to create a network of ocean-to-ocean mail service, one that increasingly follows the shortest-distance rule of other networks.

[http://www.canadapost.ca/textonly/corporate/about/northern\\_services/default-e.asp](http://www.canadapost.ca/textonly/corporate/about/northern_services/default-e.asp)

### Canada Post Northern Services Area Offices:

#### Northwest Territories and Nunavut

(867) 873-3859  
(867) 873-5099 (Fax)

#### Yukon/Northern British Columbia

(867) 667-6131  
(867) 668-3248 (Fax)

#### Prairie and Northern Ontario

(204) 987-5782  
(204) 987-5549 (Fax)

#### East: Northern Québec and Labrador

1 800 668-3841 (Toll-free service line)  
(613) 734-7936 (Fax)

## Canada Revenue Agency

### Northern Residents – Tax Information

Topics/services specifically for northern residents.  
What you may claim if you are a northern resident.

1 800 267-6999 (Toll-free)  
<http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/tax/individuals/segments/northern/menu-e.html>

## Canadian Heritage

**Aboriginal Programs – The Northern Native Broadcast Access Program** provides funding and assistance for the production and distribution of Aboriginal radio and television programming in Aboriginal Languages that reflect Aboriginal culture, community issues, concerns and current affairs. The communications societies serve approximately 400 communities in the three Territories and the northern portion of seven provinces.

(819) 994-3835  
(819) 953-2673 (Fax)  
autochtone\_aboriginal@pch.gc.ca (Email)  
[http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/prog-home\\_e.cfm](http://www.pch.gc.ca/progs/pa-app/prog-home_e.cfm)

## Environment Canada

**Northern Ecosystem Initiative (NEI)** supports projects that address science and capacity-building needs throughout the Canadian North. These projects are led by or involve partnerships with Aboriginal organizations, communities, universities, northern colleges and research institutes, non-governmental organizations, as well as government and international agencies. NEI works on capacity building in the North with its partners by helping Canadians acquire the knowledge, tools, and skills needed to sustain healthy northern ecosystems and communities.

<http://www.pnr-rpn.ec.gc.ca/nature/ecosystems/nei-ien/index.en.html>

### National Office

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1 800 668-6767 (Toll-free)  
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### Québec

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(418) 648-4613 (Fax)  
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## Ontario

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(416) 739-4776 (Fax)

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## Prairies, NWT and Nunavut:

### Alberta

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### Manitoba

1 800 263-0595 (Toll-free)

(204) 983-0964 (Fax)

### British Columbia

(604) 664-9100

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### Yukon

(867) 393-6700

(867) 393-7970 (Fax)

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# Health Canada

**Northern Secretariat** provides a coordinated and cohesive approach to First Nations and Inuit Health Branch (FNIHB) program delivery issues for First Nations and Inuit living in the Yukon, Northwest Territories (NWT) and Nunavut. It is also responsible for managing the implementation and delivery of Health Canada's community-based health promotion and illness prevention programs in the territories, as well as maintaining and strengthening partnerships with territorial governments, First Nations, Inuit and other stakeholders in the territories.

(613) 946-8081 or 1 866 509-1769 (Toll-free)

1 888 332-9222 (Toll-free – Non-Insured Health Benefits Inquiries)

(613) 954-9953 or 1 800 949-2718 (Fax toll-free)

[fnihb-dgspni@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:fnihb-dgspni@hc-sc.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ahc-asc/branch-dirgen/fnihb-dgspni/ns-sn/index\\_e.html](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ahc-asc/branch-dirgen/fnihb-dgspni/ns-sn/index_e.html)

# Indian and Northern Affairs Canada

## Food Mail Program

This program, also known as the Northern Air Stage Program, pays part of the cost of shipping nutritious, perishable food and other essential items by air to isolated northern communities that are not accessible year-round by road, rail or marine service. This makes it possible for local residents to have access to fresh food at lower prices.

(819) 994-4810 or 1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free)

(819) 994-6769 or 1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free)

1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)

[foodmail@ainc-inac.gc.ca](mailto:foodmail@ainc-inac.gc.ca) (Email)

<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/foodmail>

Atlantic	(902) 661-6200 (902) 661-6237 (Fax)
Québec	(418) 648-7551 or 1 800 263-5592 (Toll-free) (418) 648-2266 (Fax)
Ontario	(416) 973-6234 (416) 954-6329 (Fax)
Manitoba	(204) 983-4928 (204) 983-7820 (Fax)
Saskatchewan	(306) 780-5945 or (306) 780-5392 (306) 780-5733 (Fax)
Alberta	(780) 495-2773 (780) 495-4088 (Fax)
British Columbia	(604) 775-7114 or (604) 775-5100 (604) 666-2546 (Fax)
Northwest Territories	(867) 669-2500 (867) 669-2709 (Fax)
Yukon	(867) 667-3838 (867) 667-3801 (Fax)
Nunavut	(867) 975-4500 (867) 975-4560 (Fax)



## Northern Economic Development

The **Innovation and Knowledge (I&K) Fund** aims to expand publicly accessible knowledge and minor economic infrastructure; expand business and employment opportunities for Northerners; increase diversification of the territorial economies; and increase economic self-reliance.

[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/nap/sined/snd/ik/index\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/nap/sined/snd/ik/index_e.html)

The **Partnership Advisory Forums (PAF)** is a fund for stakeholder groups and is currently available in the NWT.  
[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/nap/sined/snd/pa/index\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/nap/sined/snd/pa/index_e.html)

(819) 953-3760 or 1 800 567-9604 (Toll-free)

1 866 553-0554 (TTY toll-free)

1 866 817-3977 (Fax toll-free)

NAPInfo@ainc-inac.gc.ca (Email)

Atlantic Region	(902) 661-6200 (902) 661-6237 (Fax)
Québec	(418) 648-7551 or 1 800 263-5592 (Toll-free) (418) 648-2266 (Fax)
Ontario	(416) 973-6234 (416) 954-6329 (Fax)
Manitoba	(204) 983-4928 (204) 983-7820 (Fax)
Saskatchewan	(306) 780-5945 or (306) 780-5392 (306) 780-5733 (Fax)
Alberta	(780) 495-2773 (780) 495-4088 (Fax)
British Columbia	(604) 775-7114 or (604) 775-5100 (604) 666-2546 (Fax)
Northwest Territories	(867) 669-2627 or 1 866 669-2620 (Toll-free) (867) 669-2711 (Fax)
Yukon	(867) 667-3100 or 1 800 661-0451 (Toll-free)
Nunavut	(867) 975-4537

**Strategic Investments in Northern Economic Development (SINED)** is INAC's overall suite of northern economic development initiatives. Its goal is to promote the economic development of the North, in order to strengthen territorial economies and increase participation by Northerners.

<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/nap/sined>

The **Targeted Investment Program (TIP)** provides program dollars to focus on four themes: building the knowledge base; enhancing the economic infrastructure base; capacity development; and economic diversification.  
[http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/nap/sined/snd/tp/index\\_e.html](http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ps/nap/sined/snd/tp/index_e.html)

## Industry Canada

### National Satellite Initiative

The National Satellite Initiative was created to make available affordable satellite capacity to bring broadband services (such as tele-health, tele-education, e-commerce, etc.) to communities in the Far to mid-North, and in isolated and remote areas of Canada, where satellite technology is the only reasonable means of connecting residents.

(613) 948-5365 or 1 800 575-9200 (Toll-free)

(613) 948-5044 (Fax)

broadband@ic.gc.ca (Email)

<http://broadband.gc.ca/pub/program/nsi/index.html?iina ng=en>

### Alberta

(780) 495-8897

(780) 495-6501 (Fax)

richardson.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

### British Columbia

(604) 666-5689

(604) 666-9698 (Fax)

jeromin.cindy@ic.gc.ca (Email)

### Manitoba

(780) 495-8897

(780) 495-6501 (Fax)

richardson.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

### New Brunswick

(902) 626-2975

(902) 566-7098 (Fax)

wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca (Email)

# National Defence

**Canadian Rangers** are part-time reservists who provide a military presence in remote, isolated and coastal communities of Canada. They foster good citizenship, community responsibility, personal health and welfare, and self-esteem in youth, thereby building a stronger, healthier community for all. There are currently 4,000 Canadian Rangers in 165 communities across Canada, expected to increase to 4,800 by March 2008.

**Canadian Ranger/Junior Canadian Ranger Coordination Cell:**

(613) 996-1273

(613) 992-8956 (Fax)

<http://www.rangers.forces.gc.ca/>

**Canadian Ranger Patrol Groups:**

Yellowknife, NT

(867) 873-0700 (extension 0838)

(867) 873-0704 (Fax)

[http://www.cfna.forces.gc.ca/units/rangers/index\\_e.asp](http://www.cfna.forces.gc.ca/units/rangers/index_e.asp)

Richelain, QC

1 800 817-2761 (Toll-free)

(450) 358-7421 (Fax)

[Qg.rec@videotron.net](mailto:Qg.rec@videotron.net) (Email)

Borden, ON

1 877 902-4534 (Toll-free)

(705) 423-3634 (Fax)

[rangers@csolve.net](mailto:rangers@csolve.net) (Email)

[http://www.army.forces.gc.ca/3crpg/English/welcome\\_e.shtm](http://www.army.forces.gc.ca/3crpg/English/welcome_e.shtm)

Victoria, BC

1 877 299-8811 (Rangers)

1 877 223-2232 (Junior Canadian Rangers)

(250) 391-4244 (Fax)

Halifax, NS

1 800 563-2133 (Toll-free)

(902) 427-7615 (Fax)

**Junior Canadian Rangers Program** offers young people in remote and isolated communities across Canada a unique opportunity to participate in a variety of fun and rewarding activities in a formal setting, while promoting traditional cultures and lifestyles. Under the supervision of the Canadian Rangers, these young Canadians (ages 12 to 18) become active and engaged citizens of their local communities.

## Newfoundland and Labrador

(709) 772 4590 or (709) 772 0675

(709) 772 5093 or (709) 772 5093 (Fax)

[williams.patricia@ic.gc.ca](mailto:williams.patricia@ic.gc.ca) or

[keough.erin@ic.gc.ca](mailto:keough.erin@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Northwest Territories

(867) 766-8422

(867) 766-8426 (Fax)

[hurst.michael@ic.gc.ca](mailto:hurst.michael@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Nova Scotia

(902) 626-2975

(902) 566-7098 (Fax)

[wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca](mailto:wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Nunavut

(867) 975-4669

(867) 975-4670 (Fax)

[wilson.todd@ic.gc.ca](mailto:wilson.todd@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Ontario

(705) 671-0658

(705) 670-6583 (Fax)

[hansen.rick@ic.gc.ca](mailto:hansen.rick@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Prince Edward Island

(902) 626-2975

(902) 566-7098 (Fax)

[wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca](mailto:wartman.tim@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Québec

(514) 283-7480 or 1 888 237-3037

(514) 283-5157

[paquet.andre@ic.gc.ca](mailto:paquet.andre@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Saskatchewan

(306) 975-4834

(306) 975-4231 (Fax)

[jackson.richard@ic.gc.ca](mailto:jackson.richard@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

## Yukon

(604) 666-5689

(604) 666-9698 (Fax)

[jeromin.cindy@ic.gc.ca](mailto:jeromin.cindy@ic.gc.ca) (Email)

There are currently more than 3000 Junior Canadian Rangers in 107 remote and isolated communities across Canada. By March 2008, the number of Junior Canadian Rangers is expected to almost double to 3,900 members.

**Canadian Ranger/Junior Canadian Ranger Coordination Cell:**

(613) 996-1273 or 1 800 627-0828 (Toll-free)

(613) 992-8956 (Fax)

[http://www.rangers.forces.gc.ca/pubs/jcr/intro\\_e.asp](http://www.rangers.forces.gc.ca/pubs/jcr/intro_e.asp)

## Natural Resources Canada

### **Northern Resource Development Program**

In partnership with the provincial and territorial geological surveys and other federal departments, the Northern Resource Development Program delivers an improved, expanded geoscience knowledge base to stimulate new private sector investment in mineral and energy development to create additional opportunities for Northerners. The program also supports northern capacity building in terms of increased understanding of geoscience for decision-making and increased employment opportunities provided by exploration firms.

(613) 995-0947

(613) 996-4397 (TTY)

[questions@nrca.gc.ca](mailto:questions@nrca.gc.ca) (Email)

[http://ess.nrca.gc.ca/2002\\_2006/nrd/overview\\_e.php](http://ess.nrca.gc.ca/2002_2006/nrd/overview_e.php)

## Social Sciences and Research Humanities Council

### **Northern Research Development Program**

The Northern Research Development program responds to the current state of Canadian research in and on the North. It aims to:

- support revitalization of existing research and research-related activities;
- support the development of innovative programs of research and research activities in the North;

- provide opportunities for training students as future researchers;
- expand the capacity of individual researchers, research groups and institutions to conduct research in the North; and
- support research and related activities that meet the needs of northern residents by involving them in the research process.

(613) 947-9652

(613) 947-0223 (Fax)

[luc.lebrun@crsh.ca](mailto:luc.lebrun@crsh.ca) (Email)

[http://www.sshrc.ca/web/apply/program\\_descriptions/northern\\_e.asp](http://www.sshrc.ca/web/apply/program_descriptions/northern_e.asp)

## Statistics Canada

### **Health Reports on Northern Residents**

Health Reports is a quarterly journal produced by the Health Statistics Division at Statistics Canada.

(613) 951-8116 or 1 800 263-1136 (Toll-free)

1 800 363-7629 (TTY toll-free)

(613) 951-0581 or 1 877 287-4369 (Fax toll-free)

[infostats@statcan.ca](mailto:infostats@statcan.ca) (Email)

[http://www.statcan.ca/english/indepth/82-003/archive/hrixsuti\\_northe1.htm](http://www.statcan.ca/english/indepth/82-003/archive/hrixsuti_northe1.htm)

## Western Economic Diversification Canada

### **Canada-Saskatchewan Northern Development Agreement**

Announced in October 2002, the five-year, \$20 million Agreement will provide opportunities for Northerners to improve regional economic infrastructure, employment prospects through training and practical skill experience, educational and business expertise, research and industry innovation and the region's attraction of business investment.

(306) 425-2444

(306) 425-2288 (Fax)

[ceo.ndbc@sasktel.net](mailto:ceo.ndbc@sasktel.net) (Email)

[http://www.wd.gc.ca/ced/snda/default\\_e.asp](http://www.wd.gc.ca/ced/snda/default_e.asp)

