

## **Memorandum**

**To:** Employment Ontario Delivery Partners

**From:** Jody Young  
Assistant Deputy Minister  
Employment and Training Division

**Date:** **December 22, 2022**

**Subject:** Allocations for Fiscal Year 2023-24: Canada Ontario Job Grant

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Dear Employment Ontario Partner:

I am writing to inform you of the Ministry of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills Development's (the "ministry") funding decision regarding the Canada-Ontario Job Grant (COJG) for the fiscal year 2023-24.

To support the Employment Ontario network as it continues to recover from the COVID-19 pandemic, the ministry will maintain status quo funding for COJG service providers in 2023-24. The ministry will renew annual agreements at the same funding level received in 2022-23 for COJG service providers across the province.

This approach will ensure service continuity and will help service providers to remain focused on supporting clients while reinforcing Ontario's commitment to rebuild Ontario's economy.

As the province continues to recover from the pandemic, the ministry recognizes that there are still challenges to service delivery. As such, the ministry is committed to addressing and supporting issues to ensure performance and service delivery results are achieved. The ministry will continue to monitor service provider performance against contracted commitments and improvement plans. If you have any questions regarding this approach, please contact your Employment and Training Consultant.

The ministry is committed to having transfer payment agreements finalized in time for the 2023-24 fiscal year to ensure the citizens of Ontario continue to have the support they require. Employment and Training Consultants will be contacting service providers in the near future to finalize the 2023-24 transfer payment agreements.

Thank you for your ongoing commitment to supporting jobseekers, employers, and communities throughout our Employment Ontario network.

Sincerely,

*Original signed by*  
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