







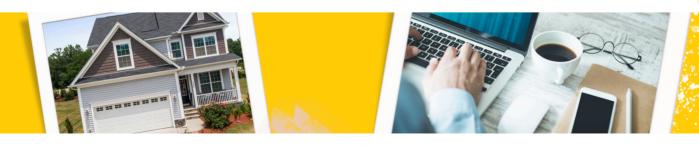


## **Provincial & Territorial Autism Funding Resource**

FALL - WINTER 2024 - AUTOMNE - HIVER 2024



Ressources pour Suppléments & Crédit impôts pour l'Autisme pour les Provinces et les Territoires



# **Disability Tax Credit (DTC)**

# Government of Canada - Gouvernement du Canada

## **Click for Canada Revenue Agency**

#### Ministry:

Government of Canada

#### **Eligibility:**

All ages

#### **Description:**

The disability tax credit (DTC) is a non-refundable tax credit that helps people with disabilities, or their supporting family member, reduce the amount of income tax they may have to pay.

#### For additional information click links above and below.

Source: Canada Revenue Agency



# Government of Canada: Autism Supports

# Government of Canada - Gouvernement du Canada

**Autism: National autism strategy** 

For more information on the Government of Canada Autism supports

#### **Ministry:**

Government of Canada

#### **Eligibility:**

For additional information click links above and below.

#### **Description:**

- Provincial and territorial resources
- Find local programs and supports

For additional information click links above and below.

Source: Government of Canada: Autism: Supports - Canada.ca

Source: Autism: National autism strategy



# **Ontario Autism Program (OAP)**

## **Ontario**

## **Click for Ontario Autism Program**

#### Ministry:

Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services

#### **Eligibility:**

To register for the Ontario Autism Program, your child must:

- be under age 18
- currently live in Ontario
- have a written diagnosis of autism from a qualified professional

#### **Description:**

The Ontario Autism Program (OAP) offers support to families of children and youth on the autism spectrum.

Children and youth who have been diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) by a qualified professional are eligible for the program. Children receive services and supports until the age of 18.

#### **Funding:**

Funding based on assessed needs.

#### For additional information click links above and below.





# **Special Services at Home**

## Ontario

## **Click for Special Services at Home**

#### **Ministry:**

Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services

#### **Eligibility:**

You can apply for the SSAH program if your child:

- has a developmental and/or physical disability
- lives in Ontario
- is under the age of 18
- needs more support than you can provide
- lives at home with you, or is not living at home with you and is not being helped by other residential services

#### **Description:**

Families who are caring for a child with a developmental and/or physical disability can apply to the Special Services at Home (SSAH) program to get funding for:

- primary caregiver relief and related supports
- activities of personal growth or development for the child, including camps and recreational activities, like swimming and music classes.

Funding: Funding based on assessed needs for additional information click links above and below.

Source: Province of Ontario Special Services at Home



# **Ontario Disability Support Program (ODSP)**

## Ontario

## **Click for Ontario Disability Support Program**

#### **Ministry:**

Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services

#### **Eligibility:**

To qualify for ODSP income support, you must:

- be at least 18 years of age
- be an Ontario resident
- have assets no greater than the limits set out in the program
- be in financial need

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#### **Description:**

ODSP offers:

- money to help you and your eligible family members with living expenses, including food, and rent
- health benefits, including prescription drugs and vision care
- employment support to help you find and keep a job or advance your career

For additional information click links above and below.

Funding based on assessed needs.

For additional information click links above and below.



Source: Ontario Disability Support Program

# **Assistance for Children with Severe Disabilities**

## Ontario

#### Click here for Assistance for Children with Severe Disabilities

#### **Ministry:**

Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services

#### **Eligibility:**

If you are a parent or a guardian of a child who is under 18 years of age (17 and under), lives at home and who has a severe disability, you may be eligible to receive funding from the ACSD program. Your eligibility and the amount of assistance you receive is based on a combination of factors.

#### **Description:**

If you are a parent or guardian who is caring for a child with a severe disability you may be able to get financial support through the Assistance for Children with Severe Disabilities (ACSD) Program. This program provides financial support for eligible families to cover some of the extra costs of caring for a child who has a severe disability.

For additional information click links above and below.

#### **Funding:**

Funding based on assessed needs.

For additional information click links above and below.





# Passport program for adults with a developmental disability

## Ontario

## **Click for Passport Program**

#### Ministry:

Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services

#### **Eligibility:**

The Passport program is for people with a developmental disability who are 18 years old or older, residents of Ontario, and:

• need support to participate in the community while still in school

#### **Description:**

Passport is a program that helps adults 18 years or older with a developmental disability to participate in their communities and live as independently as possible. It also helps caregivers of an adult with a developmental disability take a break from their caregiving responsibilities.

#### **Funding:**

Funding based on assessed needs.

#### For additional information click links above and below.

Source: <u>Passport program for adults with a developmental disability | ontario.ca</u>
Source: <u>https://www.ontario.ca/page/programs-and-services-adults-developmental-disabilities-ontario#passport</u>





# OTHER RESOURCES FROM AUTISM CANADA **AUTRES RESSOURCES D'AUTISME CANADA**



For Indigenous and Remote Locations, please visit our

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Pour les régions Autochtones et éloignées, veuillez visiter notre Document sur les

Régions Autochtones et éloignées sur notre site web ici.







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Autism Junction offers the most comprehensive on-line resources for services and supports across Canada.

"Autism Junction" d'Autisme Canada est une ressource en ligne complète pour les services et les soutiens en matière d'autisme au Canada.

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# **FOR MORE SUPPORT POUR PLUS ASSISTANCE ET APPUIS**





For further support please contact: Pour obtenir plus assistance et appuis, veuillez communiquer avec:

#### Autism Canada \* Autisme Canada



#### **Email/Courriel:**

info@autismcanada.org

#### Phone/Téléphone:

1-800-983-1795

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