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Community Futures Development Corporation

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Individuals

- [Canada Worker Lockdown Benefit](#) – provides temporary income support to employed and self-employed people who cannot work due to a COVID-19 lockdown.
- [Canada Recovery Sickness Benefit](#) – provides income support to employed and self-employed individuals who are unable to work because they are sick or need to self-isolate due to COVID-19, or have an underlying health condition that puts them at greater risk of getting COVID-19.
- [Canada Recovery Caregiving Benefit](#) – provides income support to employed and self-employed individuals who are unable to work because they must care for their child under 12 years old or a family member who needs supervised care.

Businesses

- [Tourism and Hospitality Recovery Program](#) – provides support through wage and rent subsidies to select tourism and hospitality businesses still facing pandemic related challenges, with a subsidy rate of up to 75%.
- [Hardest-Hit Business Recovery Program](#) – provides support through wage and rent subsidies to other businesses that have faced deep losses, with a subsidy rate of up to 50%.
- [Local Lockdown Program](#) – provides businesses that face temporary new local lockdowns with up to the maximum amount available through wage and rent subsidy programs.
- [Canada Recovery Hiring Program](#) – provides a subsidy to cover part of a business' wages as they hire new employees and increase existing employees' wages or hours.
- [Highly Affected Sectors Credit Availability Program](#) (HASCAP) – provides businesses heavily impacted by COVID-19, access guaranteed, low-interest loans of \$25,000 to \$1 million to cover operational cash flow needs.
- [Tourism Relief Fund](#) – supports tourism businesses and organizations to adapt their operations to meet public health requirements while investing in products and services to facilitate their future growth.