





Canada Education Savings Programs

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Word cloud

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"What's the most interesting place you've travelled to?"

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RDSP Fundamental Series

The Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) helps Canadians with disabilities and their families save for the future.



RDSP

Registered Disability Savings Plan

Trainer - Ginette

Training and Operations Support team

RDSP and RESP

Making a meaningful difference in the lives of Canadians with disabilities









Land acknowledgment

Algonquin Anishinaabe people





Today's session

• 2 hours

Break



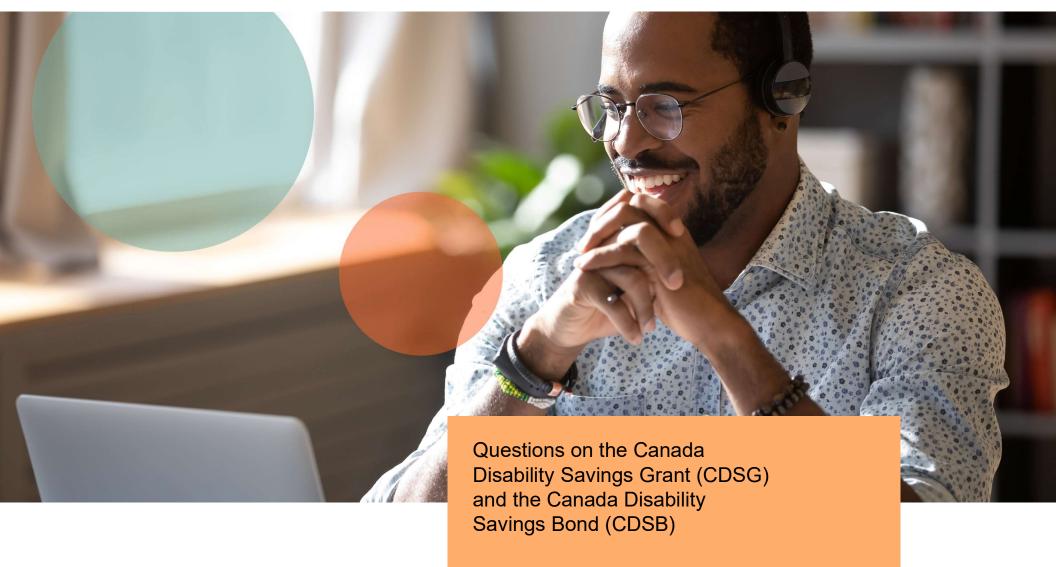
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CONTACT US

• Email: rdsp-reei@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca

• Call: 1 866-204-0357

• Visit: <u>Canada.ca/RDSPresources</u>





Canada Revenue Agency

Questions on the Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP)

• call: 1 800-267-3100

• visit: CRA website

Questions concerning the Disability Tax Credit and Form (T2201)

• call: 1 800-959-8281

• Visit: CRA website





Legislative authorities



- Income Tax Act (ITA) (146.4)
- Canada Disability Savings Act (CDSA) and Regulations



- The Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA)
- Pivacy Act (PA)







The Canada Disability Savings Grant (CDSG) is a matching grant paid into a Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) by the Government of Canada. Depending on the beneficiary's family income, the CDSG is paid based on the amount contributed to the plan.

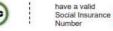
Eligibility criteria

For the CDSG to be paid, the beneficiary must:

be a resident of Canada



be approved for the Disability Tax Credit





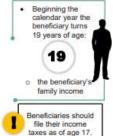
Contributions must be made by



Which income is used to determine CDSG entitlements



the individual primary caregiver's (PCG) family income







CDSG matching rates

Family income threshold	Matching rates	Annual limit	Annual limit with carry forward	Lifetime limit
Less than or equal to the amount in the second threshold as defined in the Canada Disability Savings Act and published annually in the RDSP income rates: InfoBulletin, or a Children's Special Allowance payment was made in respect of the beneficiary	300% on the first \$500 or less and 200% on the next \$1,000 or less	\$1,500 and \$2,000	\$10.500	\$70,000
Greater than the second threshold as defined in the Canada Disability Savings Act and published annually in the RDSP income rates - InfoBulletin or a Children's Special Allowance payment was made in respect of the beneficiary, or no information is available.	100% on the first \$1,000 or less	\$1,000	********	

Family income thresholds are indexed annually by the CRA. Refer to the <u>Indexation adjustment for personal income tax</u> and benefit amounts web page of the most recent tax year.

8. Canada Disability Savings Bond

The Canada Disability Savings Bond (CDSB) is money paid by the Government of Canada into the Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) of eligible beneficiaries with a low or modest income.



No contributions are required



 Based on income

Eligibility criteria

For the CDSB to be paid, the beneficiary must

be a resident of Canada

be approved for the Disability Tax Credit



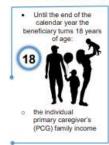
have a valid Social Insurance Number

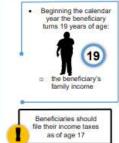
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CDSB is paid until



Which income is used to determine CDSB entitlements







CDSB payments

Family income threshold	Annual limit	Annual limit with carry forward	Lifetime limit
Less than or equal to the amount of the phase out income as published annually in the ROSP income rates - Info@uBetin	\$1,000		
Greater than the phase out income but less than or equal to the amount of the first threshold as published annually in the RDSP income ratesinfoBullstin	Less than \$1,000 based on a formula as identified in the Canada Disability Swings Act (CDSA): \$1,000 - (\$1,000 \times (A-B)/C-B)] Where: A = family income B = the amount of the adjusted family net income at which phase out begins of the Canada child benefit (CCB) C = the amount of the first Tax bracket	\$11,000	\$20,000

If the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) does not have information on the income, the CDSB will not be paid

Family income thresholds are indexed annually by the CRA. Refer to the <u>Indexation adjustment for personal income</u> tax and benefit amounts web page of the most recent tax year.









Registered Disability Saving Plan, Canada Disability Saving Grant and Canada Disability Saving Bond Providers User Guide

Ce document est disponible en français

Alternative Resources

- Income Tax Act
- Canada Disability Savings Act
- Canada Disability Savings Regulations





List Serve

TO: All RESP PROMOTERS, SERVICE PROVIDERS AND TRUSTEES

FROM: CANADA EDUCATION SAVINGS PROGRAM

RE: Error, registration and SIN validation reports

Notice #914

Please note that the following Canada Education Savings Program (CESP) reports can be retrieved from your ViaSafe directory upon receipt of this notice:

Error Report (.err)
Severe Error Report (.ser)
Contract Registration Report (.reg)
Production Processing Results Report (.pdf)
SIN Validation Report (.svr)

Should the CESP become aware of data quality issues concerning any of the above-mentioned reports, the Program reserves the right to revise and resend the corrected report.

Your processing report (.pro) will be sent three business days prior to the grant payment due date.

For further information on error codes, including descriptions and the possible means to resolve them, consult Appendix E of the RESP provider user guide.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact us by e-mail at cesp-pcee@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca or call at 1-888-276-3624. Our hours of operation are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern Time.

Bulletin



application and transfer forms and unlocked versions

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Information bulletin

Number: CDSP/PCEI-2022/23-003-471

Date: January 12, 2023

Subject: Revised Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) application and transfer forms and unlocked versions

available upon request

Purpose

The purpose of this information bulletin is to inform issuers/agents that Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) has launched revised and updated Canada Disability Savings Program (CDSP) application and transfer forms. It also provides information on new unlocked versions of the program application and transfer forms that are available by request.

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Background

ESDC is committed to supporting Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) issuers in making the Canada Disability Savings Bond (the Bond) and Canada Disability Savings Grant (the Grant) application and transfer processes more





What is an RDSP

Long-term, savings plan

Canada Disability Savings Bond

CDSB

Canada Disability Savings Grant

CDSG



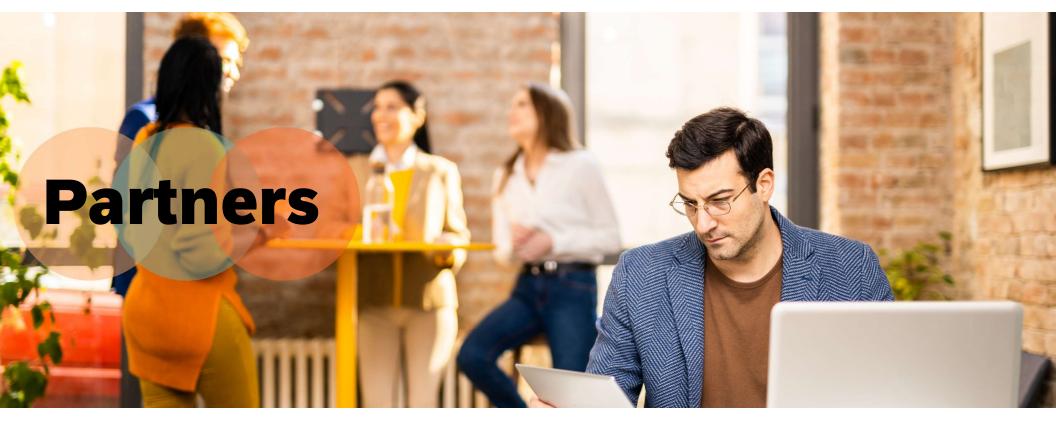


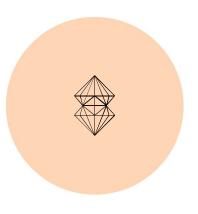
RDSPS would not function properly without all the key players.



Canada Revenue Agency (CRA)

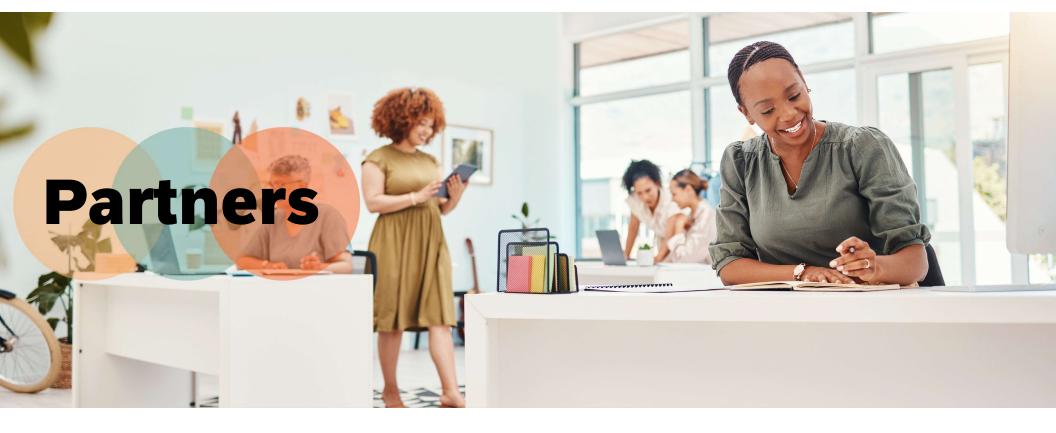


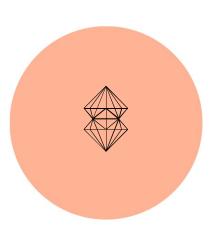




Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC)





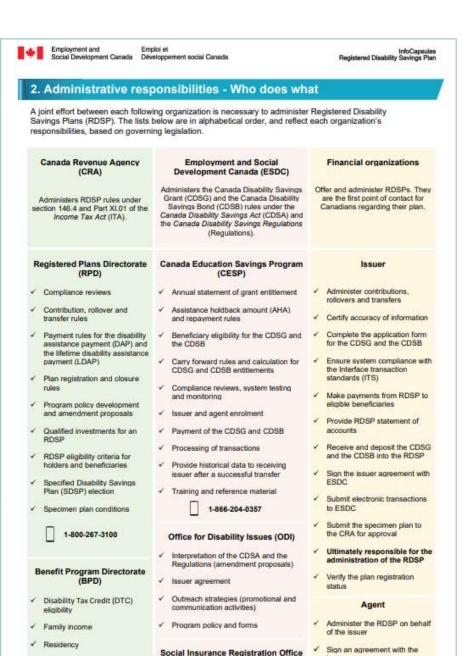


Financial organizations





Question period



(SIR)

 Validation of the beneficiary and holder Social Insurance Number (SIN)

information





Service provider

Sign an agreement with the

issuer to provide support



1. Who is responsible for processing of transactions?



2. Who administers the RDSP rules under the ITA?



3. If you needed information on the carry forward and bond and grant entitlements, who would you call? Who do you need to have with you to get this information?



4. If you have questions on plan closures and the rules, who would you call?



5. Who must verify the plan registration status?



6. Who is ultimately responsible for the administration of the RDSP?











Opening an **RDSP**

Qualified holder and beneficiary Choose an issuer Make contributions (optional)



RDSP

Registered Disability Savings Plan

A long-term savings plan which is intended to help persons with disabilities save for their future.

https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/programs/disability/savings/apply.html#financial







Beneficiary

Individual

who is going to benefit from the RDSP in the long term and this would be the individual who has the disability



Beneficiary eligibility

Residency

Age 59

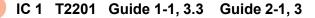
DTC

(Disability Tax Credit)

Valid SIN

(Social Insurance Number)





Who can be the holder





Plan holder

- · person who opens the RDSP
- makes or authorizes contributions on behalf of the beneficiary

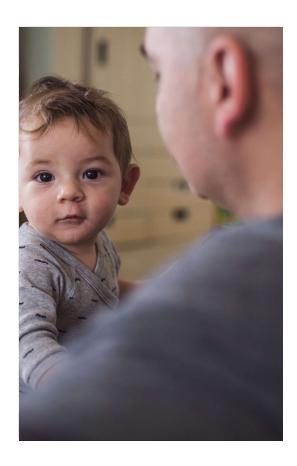
MUST be an active holder at all times for the RDSP

Holder

- · age of the beneficiary
- · contractually competent or not



Who can be the holder





Under the age of majority

- Legal parent(s)
- · Legal representative

Legal representative

- Guardian
- Curator
- Agency
- institution, or public department

Adult beneficiary





Over the age of majority

- · contractually competent
 - Beneficiary
- not contractually competent
 - Legal representative
- · contractual competency in doubt
 - Qualifying Family Member (QFM)



Qualifying Family Member (QFM)





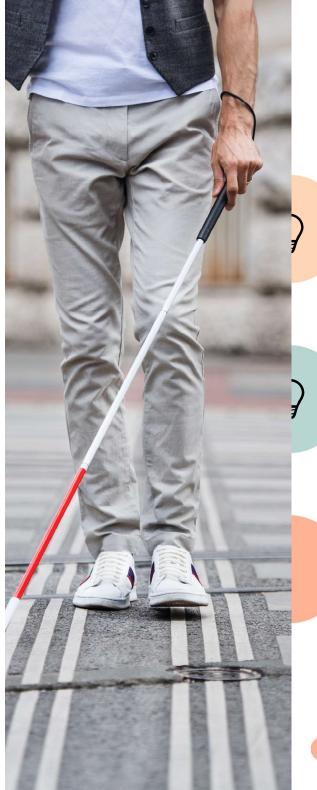
A QFM can be

- legal parent
- Spouse
- Common-law partner
- Sibling of an adult beneficiary



Competency





Rules surrounding competency

- determined through provincial regulations
- The federal government does not determine legal authority or who is competent to enter into an arrangement.

 The standards for capacity and competence are not the same in all provinces



Minor beneficiary reaches age of majority

Beneficiary under the age of majority and became of age

Once the beneficiary reaches the age of majority, for a plan that was initially opened when the beneficiary was a minor:





If the beneficiary is contractually competent



If the legal parent(s) was the plan holder before the beneficiary reached the age of majority, the legal parent may remain as sole holder(s) or become joint holder(s) with the beneficiary

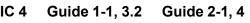


If the beneficiary is not contractually competent

Qualifying person

Beneficiary







How to apply with the digital form

How to apply with the paper form

Applicant fills out Part A

The person with the impairment or their <u>legal representative</u> must fill out Part A of the digital application form.

You may fill out Part A online or by phone.

- ► How to fill out Part A online
- ► How to fill out Part A by phone

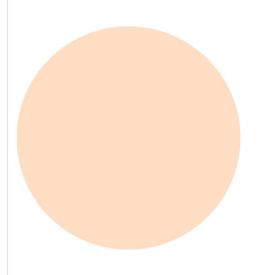
You must answer a few questions about the person with the impairment and those who may be eligible to claim the credit on their behalf.

▶ Information you need to provide

At the end of step 1, you will receive a reference number.

2 Applicant gives reference number to medical practitioner
Give the reference number to the medical practitioner. They will
use it to complete and submit Part B of the digital form online.
The reference number is required in order for the application
form to be electronically submitted to the CRA. The reference
number, last name, and date of birth must also match what was
submitted in Part A.

Disability Tax Credit (DTC) form T2201









Application form



Employment and Social Development Canada Emploi et Développement social Canada

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(Personal Information Bank: PPU 038)

APPLICATION FOR: Canada Disability Savings Grant and/or Canada Disability Savings Bond

Instructions:

- This form is to be completed by the holder and the beneficiary (when of age of majority) of the Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) to apply for
 the Canada Disability Savings Grant and/or Canada Disability Savings Bond. If the beneficiary is not of age of majority at the time of the original
 application, they should complete a new form when they turn 18 years of age, provided that they have legal capacity to sign for themselves.
- 2. Read this document carefully. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to ask the RDSP issuer.
- This form is valid only if completed, signed (or consent is provided to the issuer in an accepted manner), dated and given to the issuer. Do NOT send directly to Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC). Keep a copy for your records.

1	Information about the Beneficiary		
Benefi <mark>cia</mark> ry	Complete the following information about the beneficiary of the RDSP. The name must be entered exactly as it appears on Social Insurance Number (SIN) documentation.		
The beneficiary is the person who will receive the funds in the RDSP.	Beneficiary's Last Name	Beneficiary's First Name	Beneficiary's Middle Name





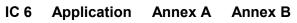




Application form

2	Information about the Holder			
Holder	Complete the following information only if the holder is different from the beneficiary of the RDSP.			
You are the holder if you opened the RDSP.	 The name must be entered exactly as it appears on Social Insurance Number (SIN) documentation. If there is more than one holder, please complete Annex A for each of the other holders. 			
or	Holder's Last Name	Holder's First Name	Holder's Middle Name	
n the case of a child care agency, the agency s the holder.	Name of Agency	Name of Agency	/ Representative	
	Social Insurance Number/ Business Number (in	f an Agency)	Total Number of Holders	
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Application form

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Complete this

beneficiary, must read this section and sign (or provide consent in an accepted manner) to receive grants and bonds in the RDSP.

The holder, if not the

If the holder is also a primary caregiver, complete Annex B.

Declaration and Consent of the Holder

Complete this section only if you completed Section 2, and are not the beneficiary.

I authorize the issuer to apply for the grant and/or the bond on behalf of the designated beneficiary.

I confirm that the designated beneficiary meets all eligibility criteria identified in Section 5.1 and I agree to inform the issuer if, at any time, there is a change in the beneficiary's circumstances.

I consent to the use and sharing of the beneficiary's personal information as long as they are less than the age of majority or lack legal capacity.

I understand that the *Privacy Act* gives me the right to access or request correction to my personal information kept in the government file and as the authorized representative to do so for that of the beneficiary (if applicable, and provided that they are less than the age of majority or lack legal capacity).

I confirm that I have read and understood this document, including my privacy rights found in Section 7, and I have received a copy of this document. I consent to the use and sharing of my personal information. I certify that the information provided on this form is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	Holder's Signature	

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Declaration and Consent of the Beneficiary

The beneficiary must read this section and sign (or provide consent in an accepted manner) to receive grants and bonds in the RDSP if the beneficiary is of the age of majority and has legal capacity to sign for themselves.

If you indicated that you are the beneficiary in Section 1, complete this section if you have reached the age of majority, and if you have legal capacity to sign for yourself.

Upon completion of this section, this form will be added to the issuer's records once the beneficiary turns 18 years of age, if the beneficiary has not previously provided consent.

I authorize the issuer to apply for the grant and/or the bond on my behalf.

I confirm that I meet all eligibility criteria identified in Section 5.1 and agree to inform the RDSP issuer if, at any time, there is a change in my circumstances.

I consent to the use and sharing of my personal information.

I understand that the Privacy Act gives me the right to access or request correction to my personal information kept in the government file.

I confirm that I have read and understood this document, including my privacy rights found in Section 7, and I have received a copy of this document. I consent to the use and sharing of my personal information. I certify that the information provided on this form is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	Beneficiary's Signature
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ANNEX A - Joint Holder

APPLICATION FOR: Canada Disability Savings Grant and/or Canada Disability Savings Bond

- This form is to be completed for each joint holder of the Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) that was not identified on the Application for Canada Disability Savings Grant and/or Canada Disability Savings Bond (EMP6608) to apply for the Canada Disability Savings Bond and/or Canada Disability Savings Grant on behalf of the designated beneficiary.
- 2. Read this document carefully. If you have any questions, do not hestate to ask the RDSP issuer.
- 3. This form is valid only if completed, signed (or consent is provided to the issuer in an accepted manner) dated and given to the RDSP issuer. Do NOT send directly to Employment and Social Development Canada. Keep a copy for your records.

Beneficiary's Last Name	Beneficiary's F	irst Name B	eneficiary's Middle Name	RDSP Contract No.
A-1	Information About th	ne Joint Holder		
Joint Holder You are a joint holder if you share responsibility for having opened an RDSP, naming a beneficiary and authorizing or making deposits (contributions)	Complete the following info • The name must be enter Last Name Social Insurance Number (99)	ed exactly as it appears o	a holder of the RDSP. In Social Insurance Number d	ocumentation Middle Name
on behalf of the beneficiary into the RDSP.			Holder	
You must read this section and sign for provide concent to the issuer in an accepted manner! to receive grants and bonds in the RDSP. If the joint holder is also a primary caregiver, Annex B must be completed.	I authorize the issuer to apply for the grant and/or bond on behalf of the designated beneficiary, it does not sign (or wide consent to the user in an accepted the Canada Disability Savings Bond) meets all eligibility criteria identified in Section 5.1 of said form. It is and bonds in the SP. If indicated in Section A-1 that I am a joint holder for the designated beneficiary, I confirm that I am tonsent to the use and sharing of the beneficiary's personal information as long as they are less than not have legal capacity, and province is also strongly caregiver, and as the authorized representative to do so for the beneficiary (if applicable, and province is many caregiver.		Canada Disability Savings Grant and/or 5.1 of said form. onfirm that I am this individual and I bey are less than the age of majority or do only personal information kept in the ppscable, and provided the beneficiary is found in Section A-3, and I have received found in Section A-3, and I have received	
A-3	Your Privacy Rights			

This section explains why your information is collected and how it is used, shared and protected. It also explains how you can access your personal information.

The information you provide on this form is collected under the authority of the Department of Employment and Social Development Act (DESDA), the Canada Disability Savings And (CDSA) and the Income Tax Act (ITA) for the purposes determining eligibility for a Canada Disability Savings Grant (grant) or Canada Disability Savings Bond (bond), for the current year and if there are any unused grant and/or bond entitlements from prior years, to calculate amounts payable and to administer the grant and the bond. Information may be shared with Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC), the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA), and the issuer for the administration of the CDSA and the ITA.

The Social Insurance Number (SIN) is collected under the authority of the CDSA and the ITA in accordance with the Treasury Board Secretarial Directive on the Social Insurance Number. The SIN will be used as affile dentifier and to ensure an individual's exact identification so that the beneficiary's eligibility for the Disability Tax Credit (DTC), residency and family income can be wrifted for the purposes of obtenmining whether a grant or board may be past. White eligibility for the DTC may be verified, information contained within the Disability Tax Credit Certificate (i.e., the nature of the beneficiary's disability) will not be collected, used not disclosed.

Where the beneficiary is not of the age of majority, and/or does not have legal capacity, the holder authorizes the collection, use, and sharing of the beneficiary's personal information for this purpose.

Though you are not obligated to provide any personal information, refusal to do so may result in ESDC being unable to determine eligibility for the full amount of grant or bond in respect of the beneficiary.

The information you provide may be used and/or disclosed within ESDC for policy analysis, research and/or evaluation purposes. Information may also be disclosed to Statistics Canada for research and statistical purposes. However, these additional uses and/or disclosures of your personal information will ever result in an administrative decision made about you, (such as a decision on your entitlement to a grant and/or bond).

Once under the control of ESDC, your personal information is administered in accordance with the DESDA, the ITA, the Once inset the contract of ESCL, purple personal information is administered in accordance with the LEGUA, the II find CDSA, the Privacy Act, and all other applicable laws. You have the right to access or request correction to your personal information, which is described in Personal Information Bank TESIDC PPU (1987 - Instructions for obtaining this information are outlined in the government publication entitled first Source within its available at <u>Canada Carlots</u>. If it Source may also be accessed online at any Service Canada Cereite. You have the right to file a complaint with the Privacy Commissioner of Canada II you have concerns about the handling of your personal information.





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ANNEX B - Primary Caregiver

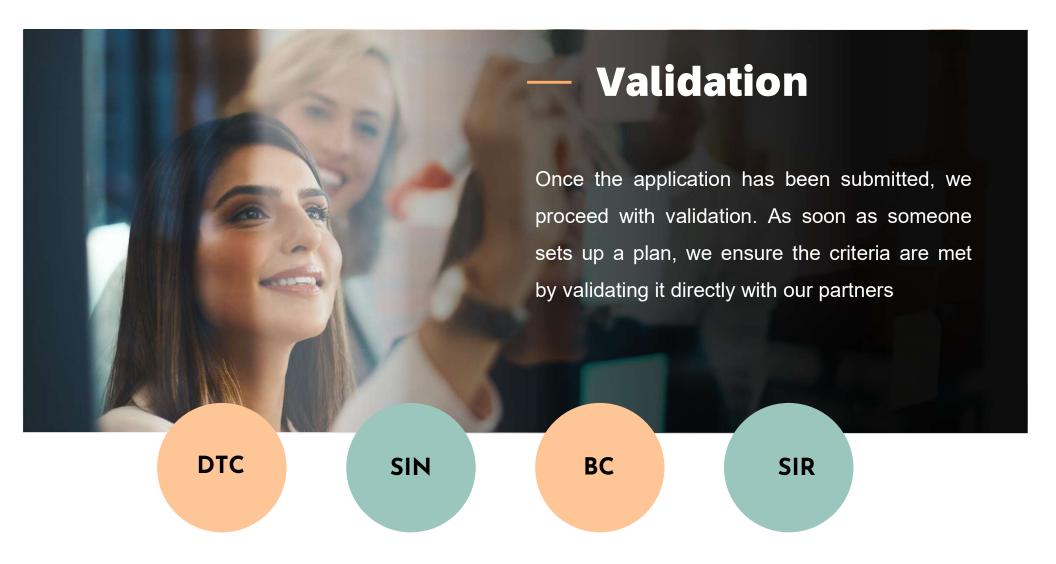
APPLICATION: Canada Disability Savings Grant and/or Canada Disability Savings Bond

- 1. This form is to be used to determine whether the designated beneficiary is eligible to receive payments for the Canada Disability Savings Grant and/ or the Canada Disability Savings Bond, to calculate amounts payable and to administer the grant and bond for the years in which the designated beneficiary is or was 18 years of age or under.
- 2. Complete this form if the beneficiary is 18 years of age or under at the time of the application or was 18 years or under during any part of the ten-year period

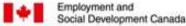
prior to the application, if	the beneficiary was eligible for the Disabi	ity Tax Credit for any of those years.			
3. A separate form is to be o	completed for each primary caregiver.				
	of the primary caregiver from previous ye each of these years will need to complet		entitled to any grant or bond from those years		
5. Read this document care	fully. If you have any questions, do not he	sitate to ask the Registered Disability Saving	gs Plan (RDSP) issuer.		
	ompleted, signed (or consent is provided clal Development Canada, Keep a copy		and given to the issuer. Do NOT send direct		
Beneficiary's Last Name	Beneficiary's First Name	Beneficiary's Middle Name	RDSP Contract No.		
B-1	Information about the Prin	nary Caregiver			
(t	Complete this section if:				
		y caregiver of the beneficiary; or			
Primary Caregiver	you are/ were represent under the Children's Sp	ting an agency in the case where the benefic ecial Allowances Act was made in at least or	ne month in the calendar year for any year		
You are a primary	that the beneficiary was 18 years or younger within the last ten years.				
caregiver if you are/	The name must be entered exactly as it appears on Social Insurance Number or Business Number documentation.				
were the person eligible for the Canada Child	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name		
Benefit (CCB) and					
whose name appears on the CCB payments.	Communicate Com				
100000000000000000000000000000000000000	Name of Agency	Name of Agency	Representative		
For more information please refer to B-4.					
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Note: the Social Insurance N	lumber contains nine digits (999 999 999)	and the Business Number contains fifteen a	alphanumeric characters (999 999 999 TX 999		
	-				
B-2	Declaration and Consent of	of the Primary Caregiver			
	Complete this section if you are an	individual not representing an agency.			
You must read this			entified in Section 5.1 of the Application form nd I agree to inform the issuer if, at any time,		
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accepted manner), in order for the beneficiary's		tood this document, including my privacy rigit			
DOCO I	copy of this document, and I consent t	o the use and sharing of my personal inform	ation, i certify that the information provided		

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-2	Declaration and Consent of the Primary Caregiver
	Complete this section if you are an individual not representing an agency.
ou must read this ction and sign (or ovide consent in an oepted manner), in der for the beneficiary's ISP to receive grants d bonds	I confirm that the designated beneficiary listed above meets all eligibility criteria identified in Section 5.1 of the Application form for the Canada Disability Savings Grant and/or Canada Disability Savings Bond, and I agree to inform the issuer if, at any time, there is a change in the beneficiary's circumstances. I confirm that I have read, and understood this document, including my privacy rights found in Section B-4, I have received a copy of this document, and I consent to the use and sharing of my personal information. I certify that the information provided on this form is accurate to the best of my knowledge. Date (YYYY-MM-DD) Primary Caregiver's Signature
-3	Agency Attestation
spolicable, this	Complete this section if you are representing the agency that received a payment made under the Children's Special Allowances Act in respect of the beneficiary in at least one month in the calendar year(s).
estation must be impleted in order for a beneficiary's RDSP receive grants and inds.	I confirm that the agency identified above was issued a payment under the Children's Special Allowances Act in the current calendar year, or if applicable, in the previous calendar year(s) [please specify]:
	Date (YYYY-MM-DD) Signature of Agency Representative











Timelines for validation – processing times

Opening a plan with all the correct information provided takes a minimum of 6 weeks for validation

Processing timelines collaboration with partners		6-8 weeks
Contribution	6-8 weeks	
SIR		60 days





Beneficiary's family income

From birth to the end of the calendar year the beneficiary turns 18*

Individual primary caregiver (PCG) the income used to determine the Canada Child Benefit (CCB)

Beginning the calendar year the beneficiary turns 19

Beneficiary's income plus their spouse's or common law partner's income

* For a **public PCG** in receipt of a payment under the *Children's Special Allowances Act*, the maximum matching rates will apply.



Beneficiary's family income

* For a **public PCG** in receipt of a payment under the *Children's Special Allowances Act*, the maximum matching rates will apply.

Beneficiary turns 19 until the end of the calendar year the beneficiary turns 49, the beneficiary's family income is based on his or her income plus his or her spouse's income

Whether or not the adult beneficiary is a dependant of a parent/guardian

Beneficiaries must file personal income tax returns from the year in which they turn 17

Eligibility for grants and bonds is verified when they turn 19, using income data from two years prior



From birth to the end of the calendar year the beneficiary turns 18*

Individual primary caregiver (PCG) the income used to determine the Canadian Child Tax Benefit (CCB)

Beneficiary's family income

* For a **public PCG** in receipt of a payment under the *Children's Special Allowances Act*, the maximum matching rates will apply.

Beginning the calendar year the beneficiary turns 19

Beneficiary's income plus their spouse's or common law partner's income

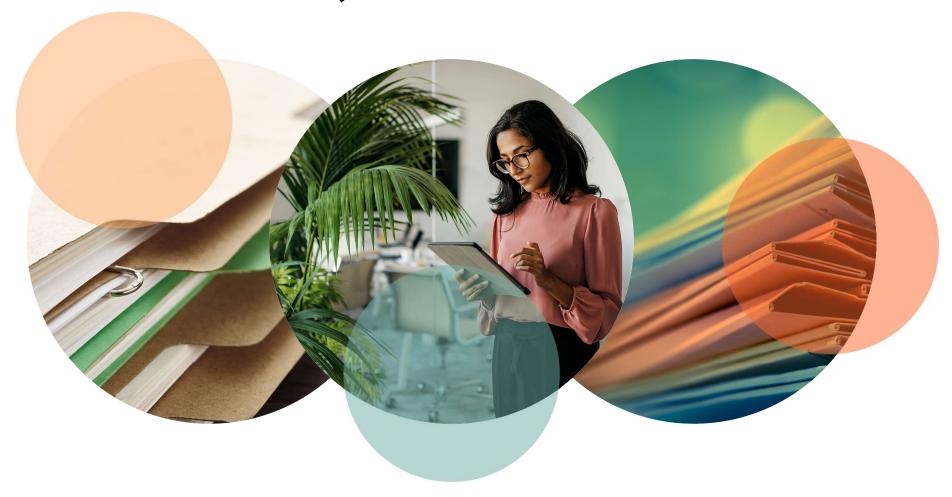
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Opening an RDSP



Break









Contributions

At the time the contribution is made, the beneficiary must be:

- resident in Canada
- December 31 of the calendar year in which the beneficiary turns 59 years old
- eligible for the DTC
- Limit



Residency Age DTC

(Disability Tax Credit)

SIN





RDSP

Registered Disability Savings Plan

CDSG/CDSB

Canada Disability Savings Grants and Bonds

An **RDSP** is a long-term savings plan intended to help persons with disabilities save for the future









CDSG limits

Annual limit

\$3,500

Lifetime limit

\$70,000

Carry forward annual limit

\$10,500

Age limit

49 years

\$200,000

Contribution limit







CDSG matching

rate below income threshold

First \$500 or less of contribution

@ 300%



Next \$1,000 or less of contribution



@ 200%









Above or No information

First \$1,000 or less of contribution (a) 100%

CDSG matching rate above income threshold

Up to **\$1,000** in CDSG



Carry forward of CDSG and CDSB

Highest to lowest matching rates

Oldest to newest

Same rates that would have applied at that time

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10 years previous



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Carry forward of **CDSG**

200% 100% 300%

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Carry forward from highest

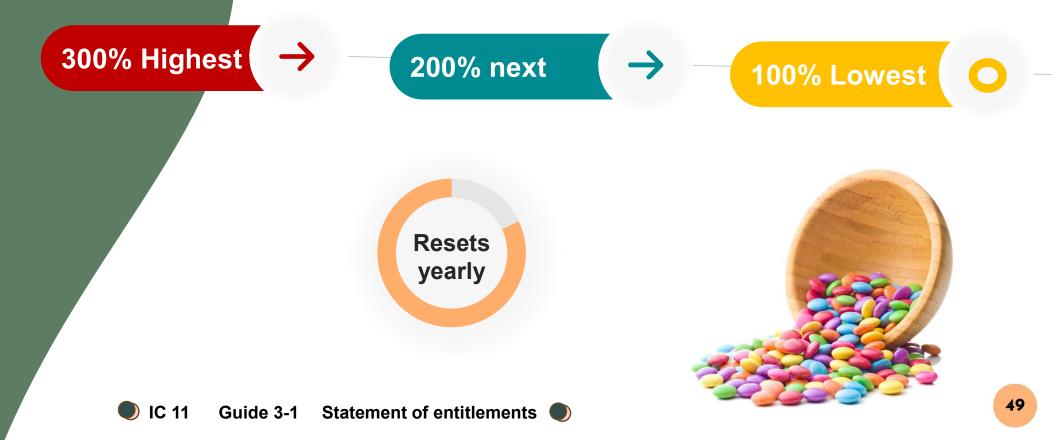
matching rates

(300% - 200%)

to lowest (100%)



Carry forward of CDSG Based on eligibility



Scenario of carry forward

Year	Contribution amount	CDSG entitl. 300%	CDSG paid at 300%	CDSG entitl. 200%	CDSG paid at 200%	Total CDSG paid
2014	\$0	\$1,500	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2015	\$0	\$1,500	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2016	\$0	\$1,500	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2017	\$0	\$1,500	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2018	\$0	\$1,500	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2019	? \$3,750 \$6,000		\$9,000 (\$3,000 @ 300%)	\$2,000	\$1,500 (\$750 @ 200%)	\$10,500

Scenario of carry forward

Year	Contribution amount	CDSG entitl. 300%	CDSG paid at 300%	CDSG entitl. 200%	CDSG paid at 200%	Total CDSG paid
2016	\$0	\$1,500 **	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2017	\$0	\$1,500 **	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2018	\$0	\$1,500 **	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2019	\$0	\$1,500 **	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2020	\$0	\$1,500 **	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2021	\$0	\$,1500 **	\$0	\$2,000	\$0	\$0
2022	\$0	\$1,500 **	\$0	\$2000	\$0	\$0
2023	\$0	\$ 1,500	\$0	\$2000	\$0	\$0
2024	\$3500	\$1,500		\$2000		\$10,500





Statement of Entitlement (SOE)

Employment and Emploi et Social Development Canada Développement social Canada

Annual Statement of Grant Entitlement for 2023

Holder Name 1 Holder Name 2 Holder Address 1 Holder Address 2

Holder City

Province, Postal Code, Country

Dear Plan Holder(s): Holder Name(s)

This statement is to inform you of how much money could be contributed to the Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP) in order to get the most Canada Disability Savings Grant (CDSG) from the Government of Canada in 2023 for:

Beneficiary name: Contract #: 0123456789012345

The dollar amounts on the opposite side of this statement show the amount of grant entitlement for this RDSP based on information provided by RDSP Issuers and held in the Canada Disability Savings Program (CDSP) database as of January 1, 2023, and are subject to change.

This statement is for information purposes only. If you wish to maximize the 2023 grant entitlement, you must contribute to the RDSP by December 31, 2023. When you contact your bank or financial institution to make a contribution, please provide the information in this letter to the representative. Banks and financial institutions do not have access to the information in this statement.

Please note that any money deposited into this RDSP since January 1, 2023, is not included in the calculation for this statement. Any money deposited since January 1, 2023, will be used in the calculation of the grant entitlement for the next calendar year.

Entitlements to the CDSG depend on factors included in all applicable legislation. Actual entitlement is determined at the time a grant request is processed by Employment and Social Development Canada after a contribution is made. The Government of Canada assumes no direct or consequential liability for the contents of this statement or any actions taken as a result of receiving this statement.

Reminder: It is important to file income taxes every year to ensure that grant entitlements are calculated using the most up-to-date income information. For beneficiaries 18 years of age and younger, the income information of their parents/guardians is used to determine their grant entitlement. For beneficiaries 19 years of age and older, their own income information, plus that of their spouse (if applicable) is used to determine their grant entitlement. Grant entitlements in 2023 are

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calculated using income tax returns filed for the 2021 tax year. If taxes had not been filed and no income information is available, the beneficiary may not receive all of the grant they would have been entitled to for this year.

The maximum grant amount available in 2023	The amount of money you need to put in the RDSP to get the maximum grant in 2023		
\$XXXX	\$XXXXX		
The Government of Canada will pay up to a maximum of \$10,500 per year in grant, including any amounts from the previous 10 years when the beneficiary was eligible for a grant amount, but did not receive it. The amount indicated above is the sum of all unused grant entitlements from the previous 10 years, plus the grant entitlement for the current year.	No minimum contribution is required. If you contribute less than the amount indicated above for this year, the amount of grant the beneficiary will receive will be less than the maximum amount of grant available to them in 2023. Any contributions exceeding the amount indicated above will not receive matching grant.		
If there is a \$0 in the box above, contact the Canada Revenue Agency to confirm the status of the beneficiary's Disability Tax Credit (DTC), by calling 1-800-959-8281.			

For general information on Statements of Entitlement or the Grant and Bond, please contact us:

- by phone, at 1-866-204-0357 (please have your Social Insurance Number [SIN] and the beneficiary's SIN ready); or
- by email, at rdsp-reei@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca (please do not include your SIN or other personal information in your email, as it is not a secure method of transmission).

If there is an amount of \$0 in the table above, please contact the Canada Revenue Agency by phone at 1-800-959-8281 and ask to discuss the beneficiary's Disability Tax Credit information.

For general information, you can also consult our website at Canada.ca/RDSP.



Canada Disability Savings Bond

Annual limit \$1,000

Age 49

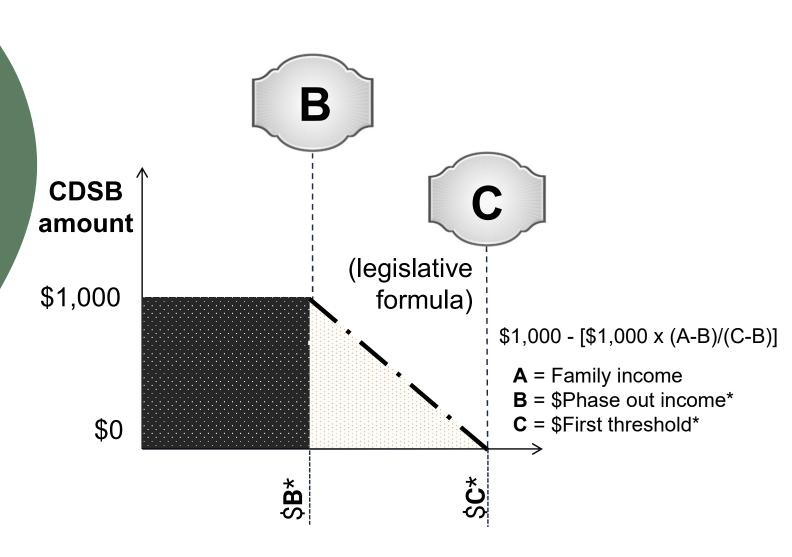
Lifetime limit \$20,000

Carry forward annual limit \$11,000

Income thresholds are indexed annually by the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA)

Annual CDSB rates

* Income levels indexed by the CRA annually



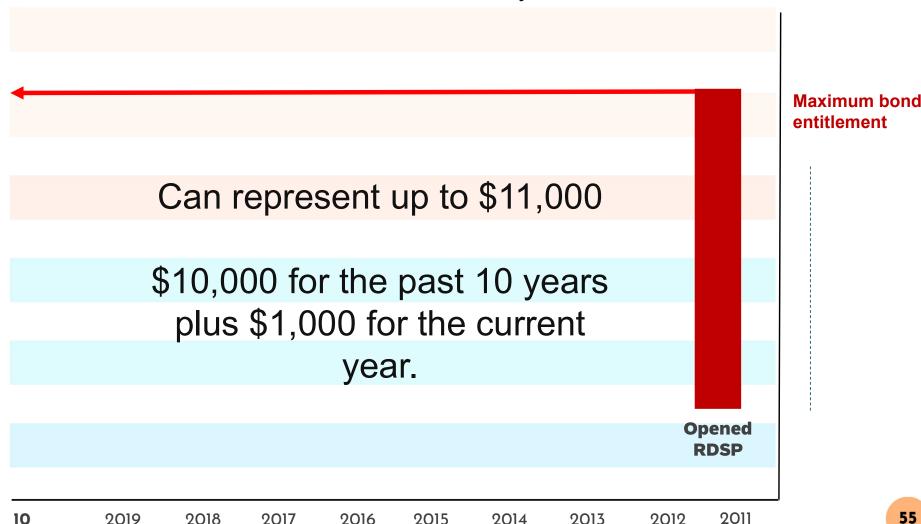


Years



Carry forward of CDSB

Bonds are based on family income



Rollover of retirement savings products

1. Residency

2. Age

3. DTC (Disability Tax Credit)

4. Valid SIN (Social Insurance Number)



Rollover from a qualified retirement savings plan

Into a Registered Disability Savings Plan (**RDSP**)

Beneficiary
financially
dependent of
deceased parent or
grandparent



Rollover of education savings products



- 2. Age
- 3. DTC (Disability Tax Credit)
- 4. Valid SIN (Social Insurance Number)

One of these conditions must be met:

- Postsecondary education not possible because of a mental impairment
- RESP is over 10 years old and all beneficiaries are over 21 years old and not pursuing postsecondary education
- RESP is over 35 years old





SDSP rules

SDSP designation

CDSG and CDSB can only be paid in the calendar year following the election reversal

Must wait 24 months to request a new SDSP election







Practice

Polling Questions





Questions

