



Community Workforce Response Grant

Eligibility Criteria

The eligibility criteria are specific to each stream; use the links below to view the criteria for each stream.

[Emerging Priorities Stream](#)

This stream supports a community undergoing a significant shift in the local labour market. Some reasons for the shift may be a new economic opportunity, an industry closure or expansion, a natural disaster such as a forest fire or a flood, or other conditions that have impacted skills needs and employment in the community.

[Indigenous Communities Stream](#)

This stream provides funding to Indigenous communities so they can develop the skills people need for employment or self-employment.

[Workforce Shortages Stream](#)

This stream supports sectors and industries in addressing immediate workforce shortages within the in-demand occupations. It provides funding for skills training and employment services for unemployed or underemployed British Columbians.

[Community Response Stream](#)

This stream is intended to meet the immediate skills training needs of communities facing significant impacts and changes in labour needs due to events such as a natural disaster or the closure or curtailment of operations of a major employer. Focused intakes will more clearly define eligibility.

