



ST. JOHN'S
LOCAL IMMIGRATION
PARTNERSHIP

St John's LIP March 2025 Newsletter

The St. John's Local Immigration Partnership is a broad-based partnership designed to support the well-being and participation of newcomers in all aspects of life in the city, as well as to strengthen the city's ability to integrate newcomer needs into municipal planning processes. The St. John's LIP is co-led by the City of St. John's and the Association for New Canadians and funded by Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada.

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City Of St. John's Updates

Immigration 101 for Employers + Resource Fair

Join Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) and learn how **employers** can leverage the immigration system to address labour needs and be supported by the government and regional organizations at no cost.

March 25th, 2025

9:00am to 11:30am

City Hall - Foran Greene Room (4th Floor)

St. John's, NL

COST: FREE



Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada



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Employment and Social Development Canada

Immigration 101 for Employers + Resource Fair

Are you an employer and have a great job applicant but aren't sure if they can work in Canada? In a sector needing to hire foreign talent to address your labour needs? Want to get connected with all the organizations that provide FREE services to support employers in hiring foreign talent?

This is the event for you, and it's all for free!

[Register](#)

Call for Performers

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City Seeking Performers for 2025 Special Events

The City of St. John's is accepting applications for musical performers to

participate in 2025 special events.

Last day to apply is the final Friday in March.

[Learn More](#)



Children's Programs Registration

Spring Camp registration begins on Thursday, March 6th at 7am for residents of St. John's. Afterschool and Preschool (2025-2026) registration begins April 3rd, 2025 at 7am for residents of St. John's

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Immigration: News & Updates



Immigration, Refugees
and Citizenship Canada

Immigration, Réfugiés
et Citoyenneté Canada

NEWS RELEASE

Canada extends some temporary measures for Ukrainians

Canada

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If you were approved under the Canada–Ukraine authorization for emergency travel measures and arrived in Canada on or before March 31, 2024, you can now apply for a new open work permit, renew an existing work permit, or apply for a new study permit from within Canada until March 31, 2026. Standard application fees apply.

[Learn More](#)

Extended temporary measures to support Iranian temporary residents in Canada

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Situation in Iran: Temporary immigration, passport and citizenship measures

As of March 1, 2025, special measures for Iranian temporary residents in Canada

have changed.

[Learn More](#)

Partner and Community: News and Updates

Priority Immigration Processing Continues With Expression of Interest Model

An expression of interest model uses a two-step process requiring individuals to first submit a short form identifying key characteristics, such as their occupation, education, language and willingness to reside in the province. These forms will then be reviewed and select individuals will then be invited to complete a full NLPNP or AIP application. This change ensures immigration spaces are allocated strategically throughout the year, while helping employers respond to evolving labour market needs in sectors such as health care and education.

[Read More](#)

Provincial Government to Host Series of Community Webinars on Newfoundland and Labrador Disability Benefit

To help inform individuals on how to access support and information about the Newfoundland and Labrador Disability Benefit and Disability Tax Credit, the Provincial Government will be hosting a series of community webinars.

Webinar Dates and Times:

- Wednesday, February 26, 2:30-4:00 p.m.
- Thursday, March 13, 2:00-3:30 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 26, 12:30-2:00 p.m.

How to Register: Spaces are limited and available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please RSVP through email at NLDBinfosessions@gov.nl.ca or call 709-729-6279 to secure your spot.

Mental Health Support

Taking care of your mental health is important, and you don't have to face it alone. If you're feeling overwhelmed, reach out for support—call 811, visit a local

Doorways office, or connect online at nl.bridgethegapp.ca. Help is just a step away. More contacts and support can be found in the link below.

[Learn More](#)

YMCA is Hiring!

An opportunity awaits!

YMCA is hiring an Executive Assistant to join their team. Reporting to the President & Chief Executive Officer, the Executive Assistant is an integral role in supporting administration, fund development, corporate communications, and employee experience.

[Learn More](#)

Youth Apprenticeship Summer Program

Are you a youth interested in skilled trades like carpentry, electrical work, and automotive technology? Check out the Youth Apprenticeship Summer Program. Applications open March 3rd

[Learn More](#)



Employee Rights Workshop

Garreth McGrath

Workshop Facilitator

Public Legal Information Association Of NL (PLIAN)


Are you working or planning to work in Newfoundland & Labrador? Understanding your rights as an employee is essential! Empower yourself with knowledge. Your rights matter.

Join us for a practical workshop covering:

- Fair Pay & Minimum Wage
- Work Hours, Overtime, & Breaks
- Workplace Safety & Respect
- Privacy at Work

 In-Person: 1 Escasoni Place, St. John's, NL

 Join Online (Zoom)

 Thursday, March 13, 2025

 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Scan QR code
to Register:



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Submit Your Events and Get Involved

Do you have an upcoming event the community should know about? Would you like us to highlight a successful program or initiative? Get in touch.

The St. John's LIP also has many opportunities for you to get involved.

Comprised of volunteers who participate through involvement in one of our three working groups: Welcoming + Wellness, Employment + Skilled Labour, and Education + Training we welcome your passion in these areas to help us uplift and empower our newcomer community.

Contact immigration@stjohns.ca for more information or to get involved.

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