

Employment Readiness Services

WorkplaceNL will provide employment readiness services to workers who have been displaced from their job because of their injury but are capable of re-entering the workforce in a different capacity.

What are employment readiness services?

Employment readiness services assists workers in securing sustainable employment for the future. Services include resume and cover letter development, job search techniques locating suitable employers, finding labour market information and interview skills. The services provided depend upon the individual needs of each worker. Any or all of these resources may be used by the worker.

Who provides employment readiness services?

Employment readiness services are provided by highly-qualified professionals in fields such as vocational rehabilitation and job search. These experts are trained and experienced in employment preparation, and can provide valuable assistance to help workers re-enter the workforce in suitable and rewarding positions.

When can I use these services?

Employment readiness services can be accessed at any point in a claim.

Why would I use this service?

Re-entering the workforce after a workplace injury can be stressful and confusing. Feeling uncertain and frustrated for many when searching for jobs. Employment readiness services are a valuable tool that can help you succeed in securing employment. By having professional training with resume and cover letter preparation, job search activities and interview skills, you will be prepared to enter the workforce. At the end of this process, you will gain knowledge of potential employers and resources available that you may not have been aware of before. You will discover transferable skills from your previous work experience and ways to market yourself in a targeted job search. More importantly, you will achieve the confidence you need to make your job search a success.

Is there entitlement to earnings loss benefits while participating in employment readiness services?

Decisions regarding entitlement to earnings loss benefits are independent of participation in employment readiness services. Participation in employment readiness services is voluntary. For more information regarding entitlement to earnings loss benefits, please reach out to your Case Manager.