

TAKE ANOTHER LOOK AT THE CANADA EMERGENCY WAGE SUBSIDY

Looking to bring your employees back to work? The CEWS can work for you. New changes have made the CEWS more flexible to fit your situation.



What's New?

Extended Program

We've extended the CEWS until **December 19, 2020** to support you as the economy re-opens.



Expanded Eligibility

A wider range of employers can now qualify, and we've simplified eligibility criteria so you can claim more of your employees.













Accessible Base Subsidy

All employers who've experienced a revenue drop* can now qualify for a base subsidy. Your subsidy amount is based on your revenue drop*.



Top-up Subsidy

Employers who are especially hard-hit can qualify for a top-up of up to 25%.



Flexibility

You can calculate your revenue drop* in two ways, and choose the way that works best for your situation.



Predictability

To provide certainty as you make business decisions, you can calculate your base subsidy using your revenue drop* in the current period or the previous period – whichever is greater. Also, if your revenue drop* is 30% or more in Periods 5 and 6 (July and August), you can take advantage of the **safe harbour rule** and 75% subsidy rate, just as you would have in Periods 1-4 (March-June).

*Go to Canada.ca/coronavirus to learn more and calculate your subsidy.

