# **Summary of Canadian Government Emergency Support and Corresponding Links**

ملخص خطة الدعم الطارئ الصادرة عن الحكومة الكندية اليوم

#### Dearly beloved,

We are thankful to have federal and provincial governments ready to support their citizens through this difficult time. Please find a summary and shortcuts below to links and phone numbers on both federal and provincial levels to resources available for the assistance of those who require it.

1. GST credit - \$400 single adults - \$600 for couples

2. Child Tax benefit Top up - \$300 per child added on top of what you receive already. STARTING IN MAY

زياده الدعم للاطفال بمبلغ ٣٠٠ دولار للطفل تبدأ الدفعات في الشهر الخامس.

- 3. Student loan payments deferred
- -6 month timeframe
- -no payments
- -no interest accrual

تأجيل دفعات قروض الطلاب لست آشهر بدون فوائد إضافيه او ضرورة دفع الدفعات الشهرية.

- 4. Indigenous community based support fund
- -\$305 million

خطة دعم مالية للسكان الآصليين بقيمة ٣٠٥ مليون دولار.

- 5. \$200 million provided for community resources
- -Shelters/homeless needs
- -Sexual assault/transition homes

٠٠٠ مليون دولار لدعم المراكز المجتمعية مثل رعاية المشرديين ودور دعم عابري السبيل وضحايا الإعتدأت الجنسية

6. 10% wage subsidy for small-medium sized businesses for employees.

دعم الراتب الشهري للموظفين في الشركات الصغيرة والمتوسطة بنسبه ١٠ %من الراتب الأساسي على ان لايتجاوز ٢٥ الف لكل شركة

-\$25,000 per employer



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- 7. Ensured Mortgage Protection Program
- -50 billion provided
- -payment deferrals
- -special payment arrangements

برنامج حماية قروض المنازل .مورتغيج .تأجيل الدفعات الشهرية مع دعم البرنامج بمبلغ ٥٠ مليار .دولار للبنوك للدعم و حماية أصحاب المنازل .إتصل ببنكك الخاص للتفاصيل

- 9. Personal Income Tax
- -payment before September. 1st/2020 extended deadline for income tax payments owed

-Filing deadline for Income Tax - June.1st/2020

- 10. Emergency Care Benefit
- -Quarantined or caring for sick family member
- -Providing \$900 bi weekly
- -Payment via direct deposit
- -Will not require medical documentation
- -Starting early April

بالنسبه للعوائل التي تخضع للحجر الصحي القسري .ستحصل كل عائلة على مبلغ ٩٠٠ دولار عن أسبوعين ، لاداعي . للثبوتيات الطبية ويبدأ الدفع بالشهر الرابع

- 11. Emergency support fund \$5 Billion
- -more info to come

٥ مليارات لدعم برنامج الطوارئ

\*Supply chains from groceries will maintain fair prices for Canadians

لايوجد داعي للقلق على المواد الغذائية او وفرتها

\*Tax credit benefits require income taxes to have been done for the previous year.\*



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٩٠٠ دولار لدعم العاملين )وحتى من يعمل لنفسه (عن كل أسبوعين )اي ١٨٠٠ دولار بالشهر (للذين اضطروا للجلوس في منازلهم بسبب الكرونا والذين لم يحق لهم التعويض لأسباب مرضية
على أن لاتتجاوز الدفعات ال ١٥ اسبوع )تقريبا ٣٠٥ أشهر ( ٤١٠ أو تعويض ترك العمل . Sick leave

### The emergency aid plan includes:

- A temporary boost to Canada Child Benefit payments, delivering about \$2 billion in extra support.
- A new Emergency Care Benefit of up to \$900 biweekly, up to 15 weeks, to provide income support to workers, including the self-employed, who have to stay home and don't qualify for paid sick leave or employment insurance. The measure could disburse up to \$10 billion.
- A new Emergency Support Benefit to provide up to \$5 billion in support to workers who are not eligible for EI and who are facing unemployment.
- A six-month, interest-free reprieve on student loan payments.
- Doubling the homeless care program.
- Extending the tax filing deadline to June 1.
- Allowing taxpayers to defer until after Aug. 31 tax payments that are due after today and before September.
- \$305 million for a new Indigenous Community Support Fund to address immediate needs in First Nations, Inuit and Métis Nation communities.
- Other measures include a GST credit for low-income Canadians and special support for the homeless and shelters helping people escaping gender-based violence.

### **Shortcuts to Links:**

- https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/apply-emergency-benefits-1.5501977?fbclid=IwAR1QXclYlQFNEhAxjKfCZL9jljBltq2A3pVzgBzAuAc3PZdas05SZboHg Y
- 2) <a href="https://www.quebec.ca/famille-et-soutien-aux-personnes/aide-financiere/programme-aide-temporaire-aux-travailleurs/?fbclid=lwAR1Gp3lPINwqTx3WGhRBBIm4J1XchRLXaO3FUfUPtg55RJala5TeHwX05Q">https://www.quebec.ca/famille-et-soutien-aux-personnes/aide-financiere/programme-aide-temporaire-aux-travailleurs/?fbclid=lwAR1Gp3lPINwqTx3WGhRBBIm4J1XchRLXaO3FUfUPtg55RJala5TeHwX05Q</a>
- 3) <a href="https://www.cbc.ca/news/politics/economic-aid-package-coronavirus-1.5501037">https://www.cbc.ca/news/politics/economic-aid-package-coronavirus-1.5501037</a>? vfz=medium%3Dsharebar
- 4) <a href="https://inscription.croixrouge.ca/#/0ABFBD4F-AF68-EA11-A812-000D3AF422F3?lang=fr">https://inscription.croixrouge.ca/#/0ABFBD4F-AF68-EA11-A812-000D3AF422F3?lang=fr</a>
- 5) <a href="https://www.canada.ca/en/services/benefits/ei/ei-sickness/apply.html">https://www.canada.ca/en/services/benefits/ei/ei-sickness/apply.html</a>
- 6) <a href="https://www.publichealthontario.ca/en/diseases-and-conditions/infectious-diseases/respiratory-diseases/novel-coronavirus">https://www.publichealthontario.ca/en/diseases-and-conditions/infectious-diseases/respiratory-diseases/novel-coronavirus</a>

### **Important Phone Numbers:**

1) Unemployment Insurance:

For Everyone: 1-800-808-6352

For people in guarantine or those infected by COVID-19: 1-833-381-2725

- 2) Programs to temporarily assist employees OR anyone presented with COVID-19 symptoms: 1-877-644-4545
- 3) For those who are not able to pay Hydro bills: Hydro Quebec: 1-888-385-7252