
Improving Employment Services In Halton Region

We are making Employment Ontario better – to help Ontarians find jobs, keep jobs, and train for the future.

Over the next several months, we are changing the way we help people find work.

Employment Ontario will be changing the way it does business so that Ontarians will be able to find the employment services and training programs they need in a one-stop shop, rather than going from place to place, as many have in the past.

We are also removing barriers to many of our programs and putting the focus on each individual to make it easier for them to get the help they need when they need it.

These changes will mean better, more straightforward and consistent service for all Ontarians.

The changes will also improve access to our most important services to help Ontarians find and keep a job, apply for training and plan a career that is right for them.

By building a stronger support network for Ontarians, we are helping to develop the well-trained and highly skilled workforce Ontario needs to remain competitive in today's global economy.

How will these improved services be delivered?

The improved employment services in the Employment Ontario network will be delivered by a carefully selected network of service providers who are equipped to deliver the full range of employment services to help people find and keep a job.

The new model was designed with advice from organizations and agencies experienced in helping people find work and aware of the challenges facing different communities in Ontario.

When will the new network be up and running?

We expect the new network to be in place by August 2010. In the meantime, the organizations that currently deliver various employment services will continue to do so. Please check Ontario.ca/Employment to find the services you need in your area.

Employment Services in Halton

The government has asked six organizations to deliver the new employment services at 13 locations in Halton. By summer of 2010, job seekers and employers should find a full range of employment services in each of those locations. In the meantime, you can find up-to-date information on where to access service at www.ontario.ca/employmentontario.

Acton

Centre for Skills Development and Training
Will provide a visiting service as needed

In addition to this full-service site, Links2care will continue to operate an employment resource centre at 45 Mill Street East.

Burlington

Amity Goodwill
4039 New Street
Will also be providing a visiting service as needed in North Burlington

Centre for Skills Development and Training
860 Harrington Court

YMCA of Hamilton/Burlington
500 Drury Lane

In addition to these full-service sites, the Association canadienne-française de l'Ontario will continue to operate an employment resource centre at 760 Brant Street, #43A.

Georgetown

Centre for Skills Development and Training
184 Guelph Street

vpi Inc.
235 Guelph Street

Milton

Centre for Skills Development and Training
550 Ontario Street

vpi Inc.
420 Main Street

Oakville

Amity Goodwill
Will provide a visiting service as needed in North Oakville

Centre for Skills Development and Training
465 Morden Road

Regional Municipality of Halton
Location in the southwest Oakville/Bronte area to be determined

Sheridan College
407 Iroquois Shore Road