

Wage Subsidies

You may be eligible for a wage subsidy if the jobseeker you employ is registered with Global Skills. Your Business must have a valid ABN and you must not have previously received a wage subsidy for the same employee.

Workforce Australia wage subsidies include:

Workforce Australia Services Wage Subsidy: Receive up to \$10,000 if you hire a person who is aged 25 years and older. The position must:

- be sustainable and ongoing
- comply with all employment standards for the employment position under any Commonwealth, state and/or territory laws

Hours of employment negotiated between employer and provider over agreed duration

Youth Bonus Wage Subsidy: Receive \$10,000 if you hire a person up to and including 24 years of age. The position must:

- average 20 hours plus per week over 26 weeks of employment
- be sustainable and ongoing
- comply with all employment standards for the employment position under any Commonwealth, state and/or territory laws.

Disability Employment Services wage subsidies include:

- **DES Wage Subsidy Scheme:** Up to \$1650 or 100% of wages (whichever is lower) for customers who have not claimed two Wage Subsidy Schemes in the current financial year. Placements must be minimum 8 hours per week for at least 13 weeks with an expectation of exceeding 13 weeks.
- **DES Restart Wage Subsidy:** Up to \$10,000 or 100% of wages (whichever is lower) for customers 50 years of age or older. Placements must be an average of at least 20 hours per week over the 26 week period of the wage subsidy agreement.
- **DES Wage Start Wage Subsidy:** Up to \$6,000 or 100% of wages (whichever is lower) for customers receiving DES support for a minimum of 12 months, and customers who are not eligible for Restart Wage Subsidy. Placements must be an average of at least 15 hours per week over the 26 week period of the wage subsidy agreement.

All wage subsidies for employers are GST inclusive.

Full time, part time and casual jobs including apprenticeships and traineeships may be eligible for a wage subsidy.

Other terms and conditions apply.

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