1,000 Jobs Package | Tranche Two

# 1,000 Jobs Package will support your business to hire new staff

What is the 1,000 Jobs Package?

The government recognises the **unique challenges businesses face to sustain employment**. **Over $50 million** is being invested to create 1,000 employment opportunities for CDP participants in CDP regions.

You could receive up to **$56,000 (GST exclusive) over two years** if you hire a Community Development Program (CDP) participant in a new, sustainable job.

* We will pay **90 per cent of the minimum wage** in the first year if you can create a job for a local CDP participant.
* The subsidy will taper as the job transitions into longer term employment.
* Jobs focused on working with youth could be eligible for the **Youth Engagement Jobs stream and receive an additional $3,000** (GST exclusive), made up of $1,000 payment for employers and $2,000 for employees.
* **Local, state and territory governments** can apply.
* The application process is **simple and payments can be flexible**.

Are you eligible?

To be eligible you must **have a valid ABN** and **hire a CDP participant** in a **new job** that will:

* **be sustainable**;
* **be full time or part-time** for a minimum of 15 hours per week; and,
* comply with all relevant legislation and regulations.

If you get other government funding, you may be eligible for this wage subsidy, up to 100 per cent of an employee’s wages.

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| How to apply? | More information |
| Contact your local CDP provider (<https://jobsearch.gov.au/serviceproviders>) and the NIAA (<https://www.indigenous.gov.au/regional-network>) before lodging an application. Applications can be lodged on GrantConnect at <https://www.grants.gov.au/?event=public.GO.show&GOUUID=156490D8-ADBE-EF76-3EF103EFE89750B2>. The grant round will close in April 2021, or earlier if all 1,000 jobs are filled. | Visit: <https://www.niaa.gov.au/indigenous-affairs/employment/1000-jobs-package> Email: 1000jobspackage@niaa.gov.au Call: 1800 079 098. |

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CDP Regions Map

For more information on CDP visit: <https://www.niaa.gov.au/indigenous-affairs/employment/cdp>

