

Employment Services and Wage Subsidies

Employment Services

Why choose ECHO Employment Services?

ECHO has extensive experience in assisting employers to find a suitable candidate for the job. We provide tailored employment services at no cost to you under the Australian Governments jobactive contract.

Our team of skilled Work Brokers and Employment Liaison Officers combine the detailed knowledge of employer requirements and job specifications with an understanding of our job seekers' abilities and goals to achieve a productive employment match.



Our FREE services are tailored to your business needs and include:

- Access to wage subsidies & work trials*
- Government funded training and courses for your employees*
- Work related clothing including overalls, boots and equipment*
- Guidance and support on Apprenticeships & Traineeships
- Guidance and support with employee's accessing relocation assistance

We are committed to building long term customer relationships through honesty, integrity and providing excellence of service and we invite you to contact us to discuss your recruitment needs.

*subject to eligibility criteria being met.

Our FREE service includes:

ECHO assists a diverse range of people from different backgrounds and abilities and can provide you with:

Professional Recruitment: Includes job search, selection, skills testing, reference checks and visits to employer sites.

Job Matching: Comprehensive job analysis is conducted to ensure we know what is required of the role, and job seekers' skills are evaluated to ensure a successful placement.

Financial Help and Wages: Employers may be eligible for wage subsidies and new apprentice initiatives.

Interview Room Facilities: Access to private office space to conduct interviews.





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Wage Subsidies

The wage subsidy is an incentive for Employers to hire people who are looking for work. Essentially ECHO contributes to the wages of a new employee for the first 12 months of employment.

Restart Programme (up to \$10,000)

- As an employer you can receive up to \$10,000 (GST inclusive) in assistance for employing a person who is 50 years or older*
- The subsidy is paid in four quarterly installments with an additional bonus payment:
Up to \$1,625 at 3, 6, 9 and 12 months of employment
Bonus payment up to \$3,500 at 12 months of employment

Long Term Unemployed Wage Subsidy (up to \$6,500)

- As an employer you can receive up to \$6,500 (GST inclusive) in assistance for a full-time employee that has been out of employment for at least the previous 12 months*
- The full rate of the subsidy is paid in four quarterly installments
Up to \$1,625 at 3, 6, 9, and 12 months of employment

Youth Wage Subsidy (up to \$6,500)

- As an employer you can receive up to \$6,500 (GST inclusive) in assistance for employing a person who is under 30 years of age*
- The full rate of the subsidy is paid in four quarterly installments:
Up to \$1,625 at 3, 6, 9, and 12 months of employment

Parents Wage Subsidy (up to \$3,250)

- As an employer you can receive up to \$3,250 (GST inclusive) in assistance if you employ a parent that has been out of employment for at least the previous 6 months* for a minimum of 15hrs each week
- The full rate of the subsidy is paid in four quarterly installments:
Up to \$812.50 at 3, 6, 9, and 12 months of employment

*Eligibility criteria apply

Please contact ECHO to discuss eligibility requirements based on the different categories of Wage Subsidies.

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