

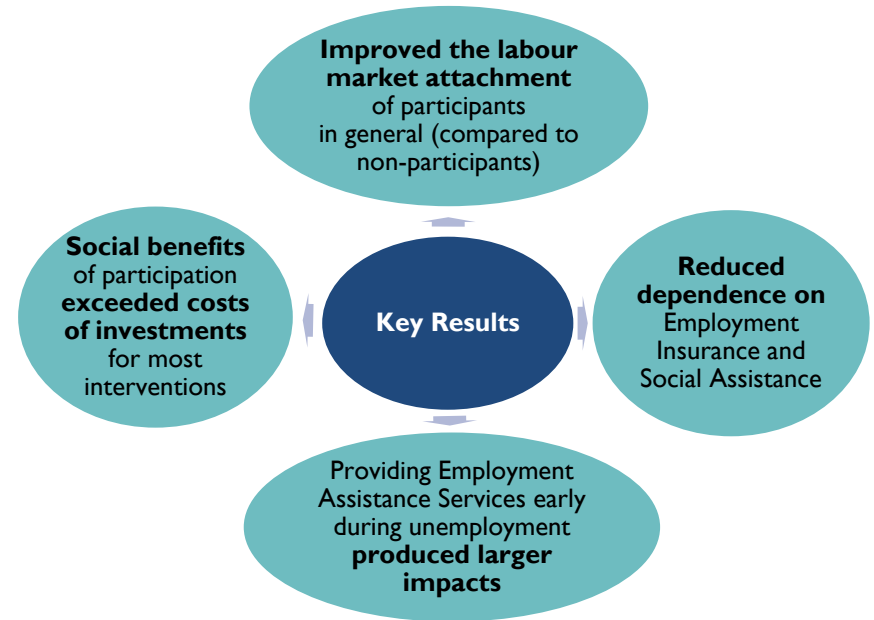


Labour Market Development Agreements

ESDC invests \$2.14B annually to help unemployed Eligible Canadians find and maintain employment.

The Employment Benefits and Support Measures are designed and delivered by provinces and territories.

Programs and services examined include Skills Development, Skills Development-Apprentices, Targeted Wage Subsidies, Job Creation Partnerships and Employment Assistance Services.



Non-Experimental Approach to Estimating Incremental Impacts

PARTICIPANTS	COMPARISON GROUP	INCREMENTAL IMPACT
Average Annual Earnings	Average Annual Earnings	(Change due to program participation)
Before participation = \$30,000	Before participation period = \$31,000	+\$3,000 (i.e., \$8,000 - \$5,000)
After participation = \$38,000	After participation period = \$36,000	
Change in earnings = +\$8,000	Change in earnings = +\$5,000	

