

**Eligibility Threshold effective 1 April 2019**  
**NO CONTRIBUTION LEVEL**

Household Size	Annual Net Income		
	Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3
1	\$29,500	\$34,033	\$41,025
2	\$41,719	\$48,130	\$58,018
3	\$51,095	\$58,947	\$71,057
4	\$59,000	\$68,066	\$82,050
5	\$65,964	\$76,100	\$91,734
6	\$72,260	\$83,364	\$100,490

Notes:

1. The base value of \$59,000 (zone 1, household size 4) was based on the 2017 Yellowknife Market Basket Measure. The Market Basket Measure is the official poverty line in Canada
2. The base value was allocated across household size by using the same formula used by Statistics Canada:  $\text{Threshold}_{\text{size } n} = \text{base value} * (\text{SQR}(n)/2)$ .  
This formula accounts for the cost sharing of resources; a 4 person household does not necessarily have double the costs of 2 person household.
3. The thresholds by zone were based on the average Living Cost Differential of the communities in each zone
4. Communities were categorized into 3 zones by grouping areas with similar Living Cost Differential values

**Zone 1**

Yellowknife  
 Detah  
 N'dilo

**Zone 2**

Behchokò  
 Enterprise  
 Fort Smith  
 Hay River  
 Hay River Reserve  
 Fort Providence  
 Kakisa  
 Fort Liard  
 Fort Simpson  
 Jean Marie River  
 Fort Resolution  
 Nahanni Butte  
 Inuvik  
 Wrigley  
 Gamètì  
 Wekweètì  
 Whatì

**Zone 3**

Sambaa K'e  
 Norman Wells  
 Aklavik  
 Fort McPherson  
 Tuktoyaktuk  
 Tsiigehtchic  
 Łutselk'e  
 Fort Good Hope  
 Tulita  
 Déjine  
 Paulatuk  
 Sachs Harbour  
 Ulukhaktok  
 Colville Lake

**Eligibility Threshold effective 1 April 2019**  
**\$500 CONTRIBUTION LEVEL**

Household Size	Annual Net Income		
	Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3
1	\$31,500	\$36,533	\$44,025
2	\$43,719	\$50,630	\$61,018
3	\$53,095	\$61,447	\$74,057
4	\$61,000	\$70,566	\$85,050
5	\$67,964	\$78,600	\$94,734
6	\$74,260	\$85,864	\$103,490

Notes:

- The \$500 contribution thresholds were calculated by adding the following amounts to the no contribution thresholds:

Zone 1: \$2,000

Zone 2: \$2,500

Zone 3: \$3,000

It is assumed the cost of a lawyer increases across zones,  
but that the cost is the same for all households within each zone

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**Eligibility Threshold effective 1 April 2019**  
**\$750 CONTRIBUTION LEVEL**

Household Size	Annual Net Income		
	Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3
1	\$32,500	\$37,783	\$45,525
2	\$44,719	\$51,880	\$62,518
3	\$54,095	\$62,697	\$75,557
4	\$62,000	\$71,816	\$86,550
5	\$68,964	\$79,850	\$96,234
6	\$75,260	\$87,114	\$104,990

Notes:

- The \$750 contribution thresholds were calculated by adding the following amounts to the no contribution thresholds:

Zone 1: \$3,000

Zone 2: \$3,750

Zone 3: \$4,500

It is assumed the cost of a lawyer increases across zones, but that the cost is the same for all households within each zone

- The amounts added were based on the proportional increase in the contribution level; a 50% increase in contribution level implies a 50% increase in the amount added

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## Eligibility Threshold effective 1 April 2019

### \$1,000 CONTRIBUTION LEVEL

Household Size	Annual Net Income		
	Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3
1	\$33,500	\$39,033	\$47,025
2	\$45,719	\$53,130	\$64,018
3	\$55,095	\$63,947	\$77,057
4	\$63,000	\$73,066	\$88,050
5	\$69,964	\$81,100	\$97,734
6	\$76,260	\$88,364	\$106,490

#### Notes:

- The \$1,000 contribution thresholds were calculated by adding the following amounts to the no contribution thresholds:

Zone 1: \$4,000

Zone 2: \$5,000

Zone 3: \$6,000

It is assumed the cost of a lawyer increases across zones, but that the cost is the same for all households within each zone

- The amounts added were based on the proportional increase in the contribution level; a 33% increase in contribution level implies a 33% increase in the amount added

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