

2021 Federal Election : Commitments on Issues Impacting the Disability Community

Inclusion
Canada

**We have highlighted sections of the party platforms that explicitly address people with disabilities. This list is not exhaustive.*

Liberal Party of Canada

www.liberal.ca/our-platform



- Will finish work on the Canada Disability Benefit.
- Will build an employment strategy for Canadians with disabilities.
- Will invest in Ready, Willing and Able.
- Will consult on and implement a Disability Inclusion Action Plan.
- Will hire 50,000 personal support workers and raise their wages.
- Will deliver \$10 a day childcare within five years.
- Will make the Canada Caregiver Credit refundable and tax-free.

Conservative Party of Canada

www.conservative.ca/plan



- Will lower the number of therapy hours needed to be eligible for DTC.
- Will repeal some aspects of Bill C-7 (medical assistance in dying).
- Will overhaul disability supports and benefits so working is profitable.
- Will make the Child Care Expense deduction refundable.
- Will boost number of personal support workers.
- Will double the Canada Workers Benefit and Disability Supplement.
- Will provide an extra \$80 million/year for Enabling Accessibility fund.

New Democratic Party (NDP)

www.ndp.ca/commitments



- Will create at least 500,000 units of quality affordable housing.
- Will expand Medicare to include prescription drug coverage.
- Will provide dental and mental health care to uninsured Canadians.
- Will uphold the UNCRPD and strengthen the Accessibility Act.
- Will introduce guaranteed liveable income for all Canadians.
- Will make the Canada Caregiver Tax Credit refundable.
- Will build a universal \$10 a day (inclusive) child-care.

Green Party of Canada

www.greenparty.ca



- Will work to create a Canada Disabilities Act (CDA).
- Will build a Guaranteed Liveable Income for people with disabilities.
- Will make the Disability Tax Credit refundable.
- Will enforce the Employment Equity Act fight workplace discrimination.
- Will redesign the Canada Pension Plan/Disability Benefit test.
- Will support a national equipment fund to help with the cost of tools needed to participate in work and community life