



ECONOMIC RELIEF
MEASURES FUND

PRESS RELEASE

Kahnawà:ke Economic Relief Measures Fund Client Based Services

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Kahnawà:ke (April 1, 2020) Client Based Services is assembling a team to respond to more than 700 calls to access the Emergency Relief Funds (ERM) for people who are unemployed due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The team will be contacting applicants from 8:30 am to 8:30 pm weekdays and weekends; please have your identification available, applications will be completed over the phone. Relief payments will be sent by cheque next week.

If you are recently unemployed as a result of COVID-19, you may be eligible for one of the following:

- COVID-19 (ERM) Kahnawa'kehró:non Benefit Fund
- Social Assistance (S.A.)
- Employment Insurance
- Canada Emergency Response Benefit (CERB) Paid through Canada Revenue Agency

Applicants will also be asked to provide information for direct deposit so that monies can reach you in a safe and timely fashion moving forward. This would include a copy of a void cheque (copies can be accessed from your online banking service).

Individuals who have already called Client Based Services to make a claim please do not make a duplicate call; a team member will reach out to you as soon as possible.

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