

Immigration to Canada for Caregivers: the Home Child Care Provider and Home Support Worker Pilots

Course Summary: This course will provide an in-depth overview of Canada's immigration pilots for child care providers and home support workers, as introduced in the summer of 2019. Our instructor will discuss the parameters of the eligible job offers under the Pilots, as well as the individual candidate requirements. We will explore all three application scenarios, including out of Canada caregivers with no Canadian work experience, as well as those who have completed the qualifying experience to be eligible for permanent residence. The course will also address the availability of temporary permits for accompanying dependants, as well as practical considerations for applicants under these Pilots.

Course Outline:

1. Overview

- Course outline
- Pilots overview, new and old
- Pilot generalities and 3 scenarios for applicants
- ESDC 'Refusal to Process' new caregiver LMIA's
- Online guidelines

2. Initial client assessment

3. Job offer requirements

- Duration, hours, location of employment, wage
- Offer of Employment Form
- Eligible positions

4. Candidate requirements

- Work experience and documenting the ability to do the work
- Language skills
- Education

5. 1st Scenario – no qualifying Canadian work experience
 - Application forms and particulars
 - General permanent residence forms
 - Program specific forms
 - Steps following application submission
 - Dependant family members
6. 2nd Scenario – some qualifying Canadian work experience
 - Scenario generalities
 - Steps following application submission
 - Dependant family members
7. 3rd Scenario – complete qualifying Canadian work experience
 - Scenario generalities
 - Dependant family members
 - Extension of temporary status while awaiting a decision
8. Practical tips for work permit and permanent residence applications
9. Questions and answers