



Employment Insurance, June 2023 (preliminary)

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In June 2023, the preliminary number of EI beneficiaries (seasonally adjusted) receiving regular income support benefits¹ in Yukon was 560; of which 400 were males and 160 were females. Compared to June 2022, the total number of beneficiaries decreased by 70, or 11.1%; compared to the May 2023 preliminary figure, the total number of beneficiaries increased by 20, or 3.7%.

Nationally, the preliminary number of EI beneficiaries (seasonally adjusted) in June 2023 decreased by 17.8% compared to June 2022 and increased by 1.8% compared to the May 2023 preliminary figure.

Number of beneficiaries receiving regular income-support benefits¹, by sex and age group (seasonally adjusted)

	Jun '22	May '23 ^P	Jun '23 ^P	May '23 to Jun '23	Jun '22 to Jun '23	May '23 to Jun '23	Jun '22 to Jun '23
	number ²			change in number ²		% change	
Canada							
Both Sexes	498,590	402,470	409,770	7,300	-88,820	1.8	-17.8
15 to 24 years	55,590	40,160	40,410	250	-15,180	0.6	-27.3
25 to 54 years	297,670	250,620	256,560	5,940	-41,110	2.4	-13.8
55 years and over	145,330	111,690	112,810	1,120	-32,520	1.0	-22.4
Males	291,950	253,030	266,050	13,020	-25,900	5.1	-8.9
Females	206,640	149,440	143,720	-5,720	-62,920	-3.8	-30.4
Yukon							
Both Sexes	630	540	560	20	-70	3.7	-11.1
15 to 24 years	70	50	60	10	-10	20.0	-14.3
25 to 54 years	400	360	370	10	-30	2.8	-7.5
55 years and over	160	130	130	0	-30	0.0	-18.8
Males	390	370	400	30	10	8.1	2.6
Females	240	170	160	-10	-80	-5.9	-33.3

^P = preliminary

¹ Includes people who receive regular income benefits whether or not they participate in one of three employment benefit programs, namely Skills Development Program, Job Creation Partnerships Program and Self-employment Program.

² The numbers may not add up to totals due to rounding.

Notes to Readers:

- No methodological changes were made to the Employment Insurance Statistics (EIS) program over the COVID-19 period. EIS reflect the Employment Insurance (EI) program for the Labour Force Survey (LFS) reference week in each month.
- The number of beneficiaries is a measure of all people who received regular EI benefits from June 11 to 17, 2023. This period coincides with the reference week of the LFS.