

Other Benefits of The Disability Tax Credit (DTC)

You may know that being approved for the Disability Tax Credit (DTC) can enable you to open a Registered Disability Savings Plan (RDSP). But did you know about the other benefits and credits it can help you access?

If you're employed

The DTC will allow you to claim:

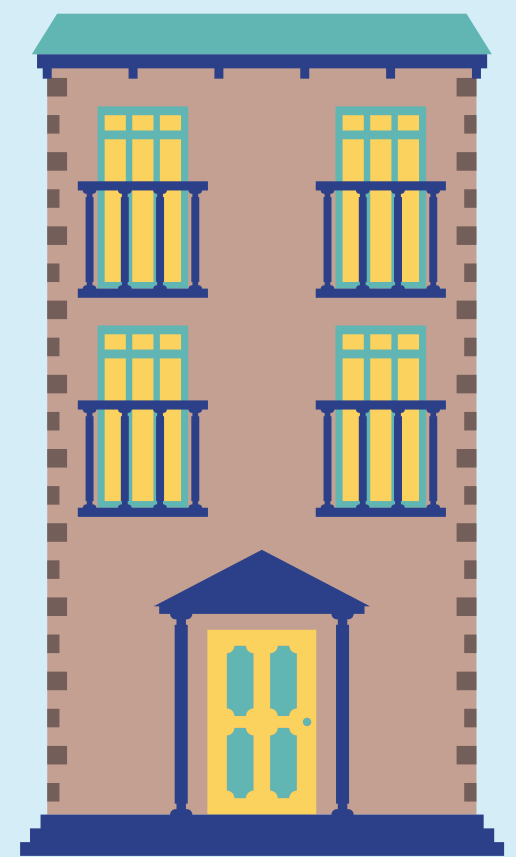
- Up to **\$713** through the supplement to Canada Workers Benefit (CWB)



If you own a home

You may be eligible for:

- Home Buyer's Amount of up to **\$5,000!** People with DTC do not have to be first-time home buyers
- The Home Accessibility Tax Credit, which covers certain expenses concerning accessibility-related renovations



If you have children

The DTC can help you claim:

- The Disability Amount for Children
- The Child Disability Benefit amount of **\$2,886**
- Increased child care deductions
- Age limit extension to Children's Fitness and Art amount (no longer available after 2016, but may be claimed for the previous year)



If you have medical or caregiver expenses

The DTC can allow you to claim:

- Certain medical expenses (can also claim a Disability Supports Deduction) **e.g. Attendant Care Services**
- Caregiver Credit: People with DTC do not have to provide another supporting document from medical practitioners

If you have a trust

The DTC might help you save on the taxes you pay on your earnings through:

- Eligibility for qualified disability trust status
- Preferred beneficiary election option

If you're a full-time student

The DTC can allow you to claim:

- Certain education-related benefits, such as the **\$500** Scholarship Exemption

