

Western NS

Immigration Partnership

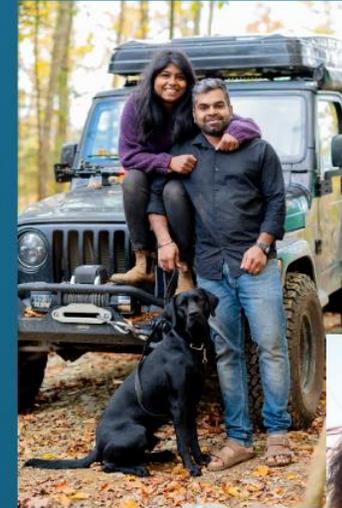
Council Presentation Spring 2023

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What is a Local Immigration Partnership?

Local Immigration Partnerships (LIP) bring partners together that share a common goal of making their region more welcoming to newcomers.



Western NS Local Immigration Partnership
Strategic Plan
2022-2025



Western Regional
Enterprise Network

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Immigration, Refugees
and Citizenship Canada

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et Citoyenneté Canada

Priority Areas

1. Attracting talent
 2. Employer outreach and support
 3. Fostering welcoming communities
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Attracting Talent

Marketing project-
partnership with the Yarmouth
& Area Chamber of Commerce

\$35,000 approved (NS LSI)

- New look/logo
- Photography project
- Videography project
- Welcome folders
- Retractable banners
- Rack cards
- Welcome guide refresh and reprint (\$2500 from NS Acadian Affairs)
- New website (www.welcometowesternns.ca)





www.welcometowesternns.ca

Employer Support

Newcomer Experience Workshop
(\$650 partnership with Ignite)



NEWCOMER EXPERIENCE WORKSHOP

Join us!

November 18, 10 am - 12 pm | **IGNITE Yarmouth**

IGNITE
SOUTHERN

isans | Immigrant Services
Association of Nova Scotia

Western REN
CONNECTOR
Program

Immigration Info session for Employers- Digby

Are you interested
in hiring
International
Talent?

Join us to learn about the resources
available to employers and how they
can support you in hiring and
retaining foreign talent.

- April 18th, 2023
- 8:30am-12:30pm
- Digby Firehall 163 First Avenue,
Town of Digby



Register by clicking here

For info, phone 902-245-5716



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Employer Support

Immigration Ready Employers project- Funded by IRCC (\$6500)

www.immigrationready.westernren.ca

So, you're interested in hiring an international worker?

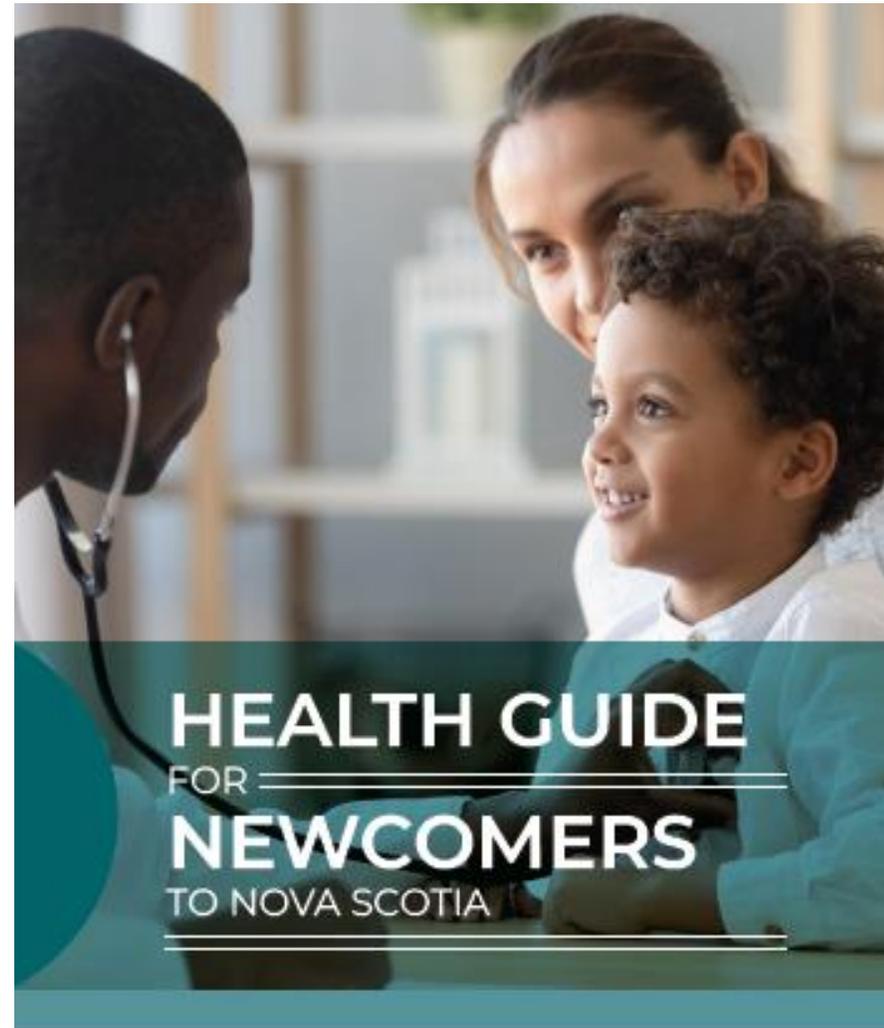
If you are considering hiring an international employee and do not know where to start, this online tool could help.

[Take the Quiz](#)



Fostering Welcoming Communities

Newcomer Health Guide-
\$6300 funded by Population
Growth Branch of NS Labour
Skills and Immigration





Fostering Welcoming Communities

**Newcomer Welcome Event –
funded by IRCC \$8500**

So, what's next...

- Speed networking for newcomers
- Mapping of credential recognition for key positions in our region
- 2nd Annual Newcomer Welcome Event

