Attention seniors! You may be eligible for help with living costs

Visit ontario.ca/TaxReturn to learn about tax credits, such as:



Seniors Care at Home Tax Credit (ontario.ca/seniorscareathome)

- This is a new, refundable personal income tax credit to help low- to moderateincome seniors 70+ with eligible medical expenses, which can include wheelchairs, hospital beds, dental, vision and hearing care, as well as attendant care (certification required).
- Starting with the 2022 tax year, the credit provides eligible individuals up to 25% of their claimable medical expenses up to \$6,000, for a maximum credit of \$1,500.
 This amount will be reduced by 5% of family net income over \$35,000.



- Don't forget about 2021 and 2022 home safety renovation receipts! Improvements that make your home safer and more accessible may be eligible for the temporary Seniors' Home Safety Tax Credit.
- The credit is available for the 2021 and 2022 tax years. Seniors 65+ and family members living with them may get back 25% of up to \$10,000 in eligible expenses per year for their principal residence in Ontario.

Senior Homeowners' Property Tax Grant

(ontario.ca/page/senior-homeowners-property-tax-grant)

- If you're a low- to moderate-income senior, you may be eligible for up to \$500 back on your property taxes.
- You can apply when you file your tax return this year by reporting the amount of property tax you paid on the Ontario Benefits (ON-BEN) Application Form.



Seniors' Public Transit Tax Credit

(ontario.ca/page/ontario-seniors-public-transit-tax-credit)

• This refundable tax credit allows eligible Ontarians 65+ to claim up to \$3,000 of their eligible public transit expenses and receive up to \$450 each year.

You may be eligible to claim these tax credits on your 2023 personal Income Tax and Benefit Return.

- Find out what tax credits and benefits you may be eligible for by completing an online questionnaire (ontario.ca/page/find-benefits-and-programs)
- Find <u>resources</u> to help you file your tax return (ontario.ca/page/filing-your-tax-return#section-4)

Did you know?

Even if you earned little or no income in 2023, you should still file your tax return to get tax credits and benefits.

