



# Support for Employers

**The outbreak of COVID-19 has caused significant disruption for many businesses. At Olympus Solutions, we value our employer partners, which is why we are reaching out to offer support and share resources that may be useful at this time.**

## Work Assist

Provides support to eligible employees who have difficulty fulfilling the essential requirements of their role due to injury, mental health condition or disability. This helps employees to maintain their employment, as well as employers, to retain their valuable, skilled staff.

## Cost-Free Recruitment

We provide high value, cost free, recruitment support to businesses as well as financial supports and mentoring to ensure sustainability. We have outstanding candidates seeking employment, including skilled workers affected by the changing economy.

## Apprenticeship Supports

The Australian Government has announced the Boosting Apprenticeship Commencements wage subsidy to support employers and Group Training Organisations to take on new apprentices and trainees. Eligible employers and Group Training Organisations will receive a wage subsidy of up to 50 per cent of the Australian Apprentice's or trainee's gross wage paid. The wage subsidy is available for a maximum of \$7,000 per quarter per eligible Australian Apprentice. ***Click here to know more***

## Government Support

Boosting Business Cash Flow, Financial Relief, Increase of Instant Asset Write off & Business Supports ***<https://treasury.gov.au/coronavirus>***

## Small Business Mentoring

The Small Business Mentoring Service offers low-cost sessions with a diverse range of mentors that can help

For more information or assistance in accessing these services, please call **1300 422 454** or email **[recruitment@abilityoptions.org.au](mailto:recruitment@abilityoptions.org.au)**

you to navigate difficult business decisions, prepare business continuity plans, review your business strategy or revise your business plans. ***<https://www.sbms.org.au>***  
***[Business.gov.au](https://www.business.gov.au)***

For more information on financial assistance, eligibility and timing for the new government support for Australian businesses, visit ***<https://www.business.gov.au/Risk-management/Emergency-management/Coronavirus-information-and-support-for-business>***

## Fair Work – Coronavirus and Australian Workplace Laws

***<https://www.fairwork.gov.au/about-us/news-and-media-releases/website-news/coronavirus-and-australian-workplace-laws>***

## Wage Subsidies

Wage subsidies are a financial incentive to support employers to hire eligible participants in ongoing jobs by contributing to the initial costs of hiring a new employee. Wage subsidies can help to build a business and give employers greater flexibility in their hiring options. Ask us more about our bespoke wage subsidy schemes.

## Job Maker Hiring Credit

From 7 October 2020, eligible employers will be able to claim \$200 a week for each additional eligible employee they hire aged 16 to 29 years old; and \$100 a week for each additional eligible employee aged 30 to 35 years old. New jobs created until 6 October 2021 will attract the JobMaker Hiring Credit for up to 12 months from the date the new position is created. ***Click here to know more***

**Olympus Solutions is the employment service of Ability Options.**

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