

The Learning Support for Persons with Disabilities Fund provides financial assistance to persons living with disabilities, and organizations serving persons living with disabilities, to help achieve their learning goals.

### We Are Here to Help

For further information, please contact the NWT Disabilities Council

For a copy of the LSPD Handbook, please visit our website under Learning Supports

If you would like to become a member, volunteer or find out more about our organization;

## Contact Us

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Our Hours of Operation:  
Monday - Friday 9:00am - 4:30pm  
Closed from 12:00 - 12:30 for lunch



Northwest Territories Education, Culture and Employment

and



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Disabilities  
Council**

## Learning Supports for Persons with Disabilities



LSPD recipient Adam Lakusta

Hay River, NT

**Helping Northerners Achieve their  
Learning Goals**

## To Be Eligible

Individuals will:

- Be living with a disability
- Be involved in a learning activity
- Demonstrate commitment to achieving education, employment or personal goals
- Be 18 years of age or older
- Be a resident of the Northwest Territories
- Be unable to get funding for training elsewhere

Organizations will:

- Be licensed to operate in the Northwest Territories

And will be one of the following:

- Business
- Industry Association
- Local Housing Authority
- Non-government Organization
- Aboriginal Organization or Government
- Local or Municipal Government

## Application Proposals

To apply, please visit our website for a complete application package, including application guidelines.

<http://www.nwtcd.net/learning-supports-for-persons-with-disabilities/>

Proposals must show that the financial assistance will help to overcome barriers to learning.

Fully completed applications are received and reviewed first in order of submission and according to the availability of Funding.



LSPD Recipient Carly Sayer  
Aklavik, NT

## Financial Assistance

Funding may be provided for the following types of learning supports.

Refer to the handbook for more information:

- Assessment and counselling
- Assistive devices, aids and technology
- Books, tools and equipment
- Assisted learning
- Tutoring services
- Tuition
- Transportation
- Living expenses

LSPD funding is administered from April 1 - March 31 each fiscal year.

Applicants are encouraged to apply as early in the fiscal year as possible, but applications are accepted at any time.