

Our Vision

- To promote access to justice throughout Durham Region for low income individuals by providing high quality legal services.
- To encourage and facilitate flexibility and innovation in the provision of legal services.
- To recognize the diverse legal needs of low income individuals and disadvantaged communities.
- To operate within a framework of accountability for the expenditure of public funds.



DURHAM COMMUNITY LEGAL CLINIC

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Canada Pension Plan Disability



What is CPP-Disability?

- The Canada Pension Plan (CPP) is a benefits plan for workers.
- If you cannot work because you have a physical or mental disability, you may be entitled to a disability pension from The Canada Pension Plan (CPP Disability).
- You must appeal if your CPP Disability benefit is refused, reduced or cut-off



Who is Eligible?

- In order to qualify for CPP Disability benefits, you must have earned enough CPP credits.
- You can earn CPP credits by paying contributions while working.
- If you are divorced or separated from someone who contributed to CPP, you may be entitled to a share of your former spouse's or common-law partner's pension credits.
- If your parent receives CPP Disability benefits, you may also be eligible for benefits.

Denied CPP-Disability?

- Within 90 days of getting your decision you may request a reconsideration in writing
- If you are still denied after the reconsideration, you can appeal the decision
- Within 90 days of receiving the reconsideration decision you can appeal to the Social Security Tribunal

What can The Durham Community Legal Clinic Do For You?

- Give advice and information over the phone
- Form Filing
- Assistance with the Reconsideration and Appeal Process
- Representation during your appeal process

Appointments Necessary!

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