

# JobsPlus

## New Jobs—Less Cost

Jobs Plus is an employer incentive which offers qualifying employers a **grant of up to €10,000** for employing someone from the live register.

## How do I know if my company is eligible?

The JobsPlus incentive is available to employers who:

- Offer any full time employment of over 30 hours per week spanning at least four days per week for eligible recruits
- Fill new vacancies including opportunities due to natural turnover
- Are fully compliant with Irish tax and employment laws
- Ensure eligible jobs do not displace any existing employee

## How do I apply?

To register for JobsPlus go to **www.jobsplus.ie** or email [jobsplusinfo@welfare.ie](mailto:jobsplusinfo@welfare.ie)

## How much is the incentive?

There are 2 levels of incentive:

- **€7500 for recruits unemployed for more than 12 months**
- **€10,000 for recruits unemployed for more than 24 months**

*Note: There is no limit on the number of new recruits per employer*

## How is the incentive paid?

The incentive is paid monthly in arrears, over a two year period by Electronic Fund Transfer by the Department of Social Protection.

## How do I know if a candidate is eligible for JobsPlus?

A candidate must be unemployed and in receipt of a jobseekers payment for one year or more.

**JobPlus Youth** is available for candidates under 25 who have been on the live register for 4 months

A prospective employee can apply online to verify if they are eligible: [www.jobsplus.ie](http://www.jobsplus.ie)

## The JobsPlus Process

### First Register for JobsPlus

Go to [www.jobsplus.ie](http://www.jobsplus.ie) and register

### Identify your candidates

Advertise your job as normal

For help finding suitable candidates contact Lisa Walsh, Employment Co-ordinator, Southside Partnership  
employment@ssphsip.ie / 7060100

### Candidates confirm eligibility

Candidates need to verify their eligibility at [www.jobsplus.ie](http://www.jobsplus.ie)

### Inform the JobsPlus team

Return the JP1 form  
You will then be notified of approval and can offer the position to the candidate

## Start New Employee

