| Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board POLICY & PROCEDURES MANUAL | |
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| Section: H. Ontario Works | Effective Date: July 1, 2009 |
| Topic: 7B. Benefits /Discretionary Benefits | Replaces: November 2004 |
| Subject: 7B.16.Job Specific Skills Training | |
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POLICY

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The Director of Integrated Social Services may approve costs for vocational training as a discretionary benefit if the costs are not covered through employment assistance. This benefit may be used when employment-related expenses have been exhausted.

The cost of up to \$1,000 per participant for job specific skills training or retraining may be approved as a discretionary benefit non-health-related Request will be will be forwarded to the Supervisor who will seek approval from the Director of Integrated Social Services.