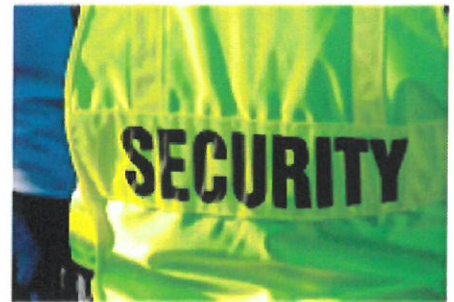


Security guards work in hospitals, retail stores, shopping malls, offices, licensed establishments and other locations to prevent the loss of property and provide security. In BC, all security guards must be licensed and have completed appropriate training. This provides the knowledge and practical skills required for entry into the field, including mandatory training required for provincial licensing under the Security Services Act. Additional modules provide practical application of skills, and additional certification in WHMIS, Transportation of Dangerous Goods, Occupational First Aid Level 1, and Traffic Control (Flagperson training).



Program Dates:

Spring 2017: May 8 – June 5, 2017 Monday through Friday, 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Location: North Island College, Port Alberni, BC

Funding Eligibility:

Funding for this program is provided by the Government of Canada through the Canada-British Columbia Job Fund. Tuition and textbooks are provided at no cost to eligible participants. Sponsorship does not include living expenses.

All participants must meet the following basic eligibility criteria:

- Unemployed – NON EI eligible OR
- Employed

Full time (30+ hours/week) in a seasonal, casual or part-time position

Part-time (<20 hours/week)

Either full time or part time but without a High School diploma or recognized certification

Either full time or part time but not utilizing your education and/or experience in your current job

- be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident
- be legally entitled to work in Canada
- currently be living in British Columbia
- consent to a criminal record check, a police information check and a correctional service check
- not be a student (i.e., not enrolled in high school or post-secondary training) and
- at the time the training is to take place, not be participating in another provincially or federally funded labour market program.

Participation Requirements:

You should be in good physical condition; able to work standing for long periods of time; able to lift items weighing up to 20 pounds; and able to read and write in English. A criminal record check is required for admission.

To confirm your eligibility:

Contact North Island College, Continuing Education: Leanne.Moore@nic.bc.ca - or 250-724-8705