



Formerly Special Services at Home Passport Provincial Coalition (SSAHPC)

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Dear Ms. Hendry:

As you may recall, People for Personalized Funding (PFPF) is a volunteer organization that assists families to use direct provincial funding to support their family member with a disability to have everyday lives within their communities. We strive to give families accurate, up-to-date information about the SSAH and Passport programs.

So that we may better assist families, we ask that you please provide the following information for the Passport program:

1. The amount of funding allocated to the Passport Program from the Developmental Services Budget in 2020-2021, 2021-2022, 2022-2023, 2023-2024, and 2024-2025;
2. The total number of individuals who received Passport funding in 2023-2024;
3. Of those people served in 2023-2024, the percentage of individuals who received Passport allocations of \$5500;
4. Total Passport expenditures in 2023-2024;
5. The total number of youth transitioning from Children to Adult Services, who were deemed eligible for Passport funding at age 18 in 2023-2024;
6. The total number of new applications for Passport in 2023-2024;
7. The total number of Passport recipients on the Service Registry who are deemed eligible for more than \$5500, as of March 31, 2024.

Thank you for your kind attention to our request for information.

Sincerely,

Alison Ouellette and Susann Palmiere,
Co-Chairs of People for Personalized Funding

Cc:

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