

JUNE 2023 MONTH IN REVIEW

Northwest Territories

LAWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Labour Standards

May 21: The GNWT completed [public consultations](#) on the *Employment Standards Act*. Issues on the table include paid sick leave, gig workers, flexible work arrangements, stat holidays and vacation pay.

New Laws

May 18: The GNWT released a [report](#) predicting which jobs will be in highest demand in the territories through 2040. The point of the forecast is to enable better planning by developers of advanced education and training programs, as well students and youth who will populate the future jobs market.

Workplace Violence

May 24: The federal government announced that it will provide \$500,000 in additional funding to support gender-based violence hotline services across the territories through March 2026.

Action Point: Find out about the 10 things you must do to [prevent workplace violence](#)