Victorian Forestry Worker Support Program



Category	Definition	Worker Support Payments (Redundancy top-up and relocation payment)	Forestry Workers Hardship Payment	Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and Pre- redundancy training	Funded training	1-1 Case Management	Employment support and career assistance	Referral to other services, including Skills and Jobs Centres	Health and wellbeing support
Harvest and haulage employees	Business has a contract with VicForests The individual is directly employed by the business on a casual, contractual or permanent basis	•	8	•	•	•	•	•	•
Timber mill employees	Business has a TSA or Forest Produce Licence with VicForests Directly employed by the business on a casual, contractual or permanent basis	•	*	•	•	•	•	•	•
Contractors and sub- contractors and their employees	VicForests contract holders Sole traders contracted to VicForests contractors to undertake harvest and haulage activities	•	8	•	•	•	•	•	•
Community Forestry	Forest Produce Licensees and their employees Firewood Collectors (TSA's) and their employees Seed collectors (with VicForests contracts) and their employees Chip truck drivers	•	•	•	•	•	>	•	•
Professional services and supply chain businesses (accountancy services, electricians and general maintenance)	Supplies services to native timber businesses	8	8	8	8	•	•	•	•
Family members	Spouses, partners, and dependents (of all categories listed as above except for professional services and supply chain businesses)	8	8	8	•	•	•	•	•