

Employment of People with Disabilities in Armenia

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Demographics (2013)



General Population - 3 017 100

GP of employment age (16-62)– 2 034 000

Labor Resources (15-75)– 2 189 100

- Employed – 1 163 800 (53%)
- Registered unemployed – 224 600 (10%)
- Economically inactive – 800 700 (37%)

People with disabilities (2018)



People with disabilities (2018) - 188,051

PWDs of employment age (18-63 y.o.) – 106,579
(56%)

Employed – 8 %

Unemployed – 92 %

Legislation

Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) - Signed 30 March 2007, ratified 22 September 2010

Draft Law on the protection of the rights of people with disabilities – Regulations for reasonable accommodation at workplace to be drafted by “Disability-Inclusive Development” NGO



State programs

- Workplace adaptation for employees with disabilities of first and second groups.
- Internship for persons with disabilities with no job experience.
- Vocational Education
- Financial support to entrepreneurs with disabilities.
- Partial compensation of salary to employer.

Assistive technologies

Awareness raising, training of employers,

Service provision to people with disabilities (as a piloting project for educational institutions and employees),

Companies and organizations can apply for free of charge trainings and are able to use the printing and other equipment covering the cost.

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