

SUBSIDY APPLICATION FORM

SUBSIDY REQUESTED

1 \ Washable diapers (50% / max. \$120)

- New Rental
 Used Supplement for low-income families (max. \$200): \$ _____
 Homemade

2 \ Sustainable feminine hygiene products (50% / max. \$100)

- Purchase Homemade

Name of applicant

Address

Email

Telephone

Attach a void cheque or

Provide banking information

Financial institution no.: _____ Branch: _____

Account no. (min. seven digits): _____

Child's name

Date of birth

CONTRACT

\ Subsidy program for washable diapers

We hereby commit to using the washable diapers purchased with the subsidy obtained from the Côte-des-Neiges-Notre-Dame-de-Grâce borough for as long as our child wears diapers.

Signature of one parent

Date / Time

CONTRACT

\ Subsidy program for sustainable feminine hygiene products

I hereby commit to using the sustainable feminine hygiene products purchased with the subsidy obtained from the Côte-des-Neiges-Notre-Dame-de-Grâce borough.

Signature

Date / Time

FOR INTERNAL USE ONLY

Total amount of the purchase: Amount of the subsidy:

\$ _____ \$ _____

Application received: ÉQ-CDN ÉQ-NDG BAM

Date

Processed by

PROCESSING

The subsidy application will be processed only when all the supporting documents have been presented and validated. Reimbursements by direct deposit are processed by the Éco-quartier CDN on a monthly basis.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS REQUIRED \

For all

- Application form
- Copy of proof of residence dating back no more than three months: driver's licence or public utility bill indicating your name and address (Bell, Vidéotron, Hydro-Québec or Gaz Métro)
- Original purchase receipt (no copies) dating back no more than three months
- Void cheque or banking information

Purchase or rental of washable diapers

- Copy of proof of child's birth (birth certificate or declaration of birth)
- Signed rental contract
- Proof of transaction between individuals, including seller's contact information*


To obtain the supplement for low-income families

- From both applicants: copy of the Notice of Assessment from Revenu Québec or the Canada Revenue Agency
 - January to April: Notice of Assessment from the previous year accepted
 - May to December: Notice of Assessment from the previous tax year required
- Claim booklet

* See the Web site to view an example.

SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION TO THE OFFICES OF THE ÉCO-QUARTIER CDN, THE ÉCO-QUARTIER NDG OR ACCÈS MONTRÉAL

Éco-quartier CDN

 **514-738-7848** 6767 Ch. de la Côte-des-Neiges, bureau 591
Montréal (Québec) H3S 2T6

Éco-quartier NDG

 **514-486-2727** 6575 Avenue Somerled, bureau 206
Montréal (Québec) H4V 1T1

Bureau Accès Montréal

 **311** 5160 Boul. Décarie, ground floor
Montréal (Québec) H3X 2H9

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SUBSIDY PROGRAM \

WASHABLE DIAPERS AND SUSTAINABLE FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS

A FIRST IN CDN-NDG: financial assistance for the use of sustainable feminine hygiene products and a supplement for low-income families – a cost-saving, eco-friendly formula.

Information: 311

ville.montreal.qc.ca/produitshygienedurables

ville.montreal.qc.ca/sustainablehygieneproducts

Côte-des-Neiges
Notre-Dame-de-Grâce
Montréal 

Financial assistance for the purchase of sustainable feminine hygiene products

Make the most of this new subsidy program. You'll save considerably and reduce your environmental footprint.

This two-year pilot project implemented by the borough is aimed at encouraging citizens to adopt eco-responsible behaviours while curbing the amount of waste they produce.

PRODUCTS ACCEPTED AND DETAILS ON THE SUBSIDY AVAILABLE

1 \ WASHABLE DIAPERS FOR BABIES

- Purchase of a minimum of 20 washable diapers (new or used)
- Purchase of fabric used to make washable diapers
- Use of a washable diaper rental service

Amount of the subsidy

Regular program:

- **50%** (maximum of **\$120**) for the purchase of washable diapers
- **\$10** per month for 12 months – washable diaper rental service (**\$120**)

OR

Subsidized program for low-income families:

- **\$200** for the purchase of washable diapers (purchase value of at least **\$200**)
- **\$17** per month towards the use of a washable diaper rental service for 12 months (maximum of **\$204**)

2 \ SUSTAINABLE FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS

- Purchase of sustainable feminine hygiene products (menstrual cup, washable sanitary napkins, washable period underwear, sponges)
- Purchase of fabric used to make washable sanitary napkin

Amount of the subsidy

- **50%** of the purchase cost (up to **\$100** per person for a period of two years)

DATA

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

Production of
**1,000
disposable
diapers**



VS



**1,000
washable
diaper
changes**

DISPOSABLE DIAPERS

3rd largest source of waste in landfill sites



WASHABLE DIAPERS

One ton less per child

111 KG < **RAW MATERIAL** > **31 KG**

19,820 L of water (production)

14,305 L of water (production, washing and flushing)

Production > **1,016 W** ⚡ **597 W** < Production and washing

200 KG

Production: **6 kg**
Use: **194 kg**

< **SOLID WASTE** >

27 KG

Production: **1.8 kg**
Use: **25 kg**

ECONOMIC IMPACTS

6,500 Disposable diapers

VS

24 Washable diapers

\$2,500 to \$3,500 spent per family

\$250 to \$750 spent per family

\$100 to \$200 (washing, drying and soap)

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\$187.76/ton to collect, transport and dispose of household waste

Growth in the local economy
Waste reduced by one ton
Lower transportation and landfill costs

SUSTAINABLE FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS \

One person uses an average of 290 feminine hygiene products per year, which is equivalent to 10,000 to 15,000 such products used over a lifetime. The environmental and economic impacts of using disposable feminine hygiene products are similar to those associated with the use of disposable diapers.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

TO BE ELIGIBLE, THE APPLICANT MUST \

For all

- Be a resident of CDN-NDG
- Submit the duly-completed form and supporting documents within three months of purchase
- Provide a void cheque

Purchase of washable diapers

- Have one child aged 24 months or under
- Purchase at least 20 new or used washable diapers
- Purchase fabric to make a set of at least 20 diapers (between 10 and 20 m of various fabrics and notions)
- Commit to using the washable diapers acquired with the subsidy for as long as your child wears diapers
- Submit only one application per eligible child

Rental of washable diapers

- Have one child aged 24 months or under
- Secure a rental service contract for at least 12 months
- Commit to using the washable diapers acquired with the subsidy for as long as your child wears diapers
- Submit only one application per eligible child

Supplement for low-income families

- Have a net family income of \$51,340 or less

Purchase of sustainable feminine hygiene products

- Purchase sustainable feminine hygiene product(s) of any kind (menstrual cup, washable sanitary napkins, washable period underwear, sponges)
- Purchase material to make washable sanitary napkins
- Submit only one application per eligible person and per two-year period