



Federal Elections 2025

Questionnaire for candidates

The Association canadienne-française de l'Ontario (ACFO) du grand Sudbury promotes the development and vitality of Franco-Ontarians. It works to improve the services offered to Francophones. This is achieved through a sustained and ongoing commitment to all levels of community development in our region. The Association also works with all organizations and groups that promote the interests of the Franco-Ontarian community, so that Francophones can live their culture to the fullest.

One of our mandates is to keep the Franco-Ontarian population of our region informed of the issues that affect them. To do this, we invite you to answer the questions below, and we will be happy to share these answers with the media and francophone organizations in our network.

1. Community and institutional development for minority communities

How will you ensure that the essential role of community organizations in the development of a minority community is recognized in all sectors of the economy, and how will you ensure that their capacities are strengthened?

2. Université de l'Ontario français au Moyen-Nord

What are you going to do to support the Franco-Ontarian community in Northern Ontario and ensure a complete offer of university programs in French, managed by, for and with this same community?

3. Immigration

In 2024, the federal government announced an increase in its targets for Francophone immigration outside Quebec to 8.5% in 2025, 9.5% in 2026 and 10% in 2027. Given the declining demographic weight of Northern Ontario's Francophone community over the past several years, what are you going to do to ensure that the government meets these targets, and what are you going to do to ensure that Northern Ontario attracts these Francophone newcomers?

Thank you! A table listing the names of all candidates and their answers to each question will be sent by press release to the local media and distributed to our network of organizations and French-speaking citizens on our territory.

Please return this questionnaire no later than Wednesday, April 16, 2025 to:

L'Association canadienne-française de l'Ontario (ACFO) du grand Sudbury

E-mail: acfo@acfosudbury.ca and indicate in the subject line "candidate questionnaire".