

## Quebec: Looking Back to Go Forward

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Quebec led the country by passing a law against poverty and social exclusion in 2002 and was the first to introduce a provincial poverty reduction strategy in 2004. Now the Caledon Institute for Social Policy has reviewed Quebec's progress in a new report: [Poverty Reduction in Québec: The First Five Years](#). The Caledon report notes that Quebec used a series of linked actions in diverse fields, a long-term time frame, and an associated research and monitoring capacity to move the needle on poverty in the province.

Quebec's next five year plan to further reduce poverty was recently featured in a Tamarack audio seminar. Read a summary or listen to a recording of the call in English or in French by visiting the [seminar webpage](#).

