

Labour Force Statistics Aboriginal People (Off-Reserve) August 2012

Alberta Aboriginal People Highlights:

- The unadjusted three-month moving average unemployment rate for Aboriginal people living off-reserve rose 1.0 percentage points in August 2012 to 11.2%, compared to the previous month.
- The labour force increased by 2,200 and employment rose by 1,000 between July and August 2012.
- Full-time employment increased by 1,300 while part-time employment decreased by 300, from the month before.
- In August 2012, the unemployment rate increased for Aboriginal men to 9.1% from 8.6% in July, and for Aboriginal women, it rose to 13.7% from 12.1% between July and August 2012.
- The four occupations with largest increases in employment from twelve months ago were: Trades, transportation, operators and related, 6,400; Management, 2,100; Unique to primary industry, 1,400; and Social science, education, government and religion, 900.

Additional information about Alberta's Labour Force Statistics for August 2012 can be found at: http://employment.alberta.ca/LMI

All figures are unadjusted, three-month moving averages for Aboriginal people living offreserve.

