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

Alberta Aboriginal People Highlights:

- The unadjusted three-month moving average unemployment rate for Aboriginal People living off-reserve was 12.2% in March 2012, 1.0 percentage points higher than a month ago, and 2.3 percentage points higher than March 2011.
- The Aboriginal labour force decreased by 1,600 in March 2012, and employment by 2,300 from February to March 2012.
- Between March 2011 and March 2012, full-time employment for Aboriginal people rose by 7,200 and part-time employment fell by 3,500.
- The three industries with increase in employment for Alberta's Aboriginal people in March 2012 compared to the previous month, were Accommodation and Food Services, up 700; Education Services, up 200; and Construction, up 100.

Additional information about Alberta's Labour Force Statistics for March 2012 can be found at <u>http://employment.alberta.ca/BI/67.html</u>

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

