



**MEMORANDUM TO:** Employment Service (ES) Providers  
Literacy and Basic Skills (LBS) Service Providers and  
Support Organizations  
Local Boards

**FROM:** Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities

**DATE:** May 30, 2014

**SUBJECT:** **EO Data for release to the Local Boards**

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The purpose of this bulletin is to inform the Employment Ontario (EO) network about the release of aggregate EO program related data to the Local Boards.

**WHAT IS HAPPENING:**

MTCU will be providing the Local Boards with aggregate EO data reports at the beginning of June as an input into local planning. The Local Boards will utilize these data reports to validate local workforce characteristics and client outcomes in the local area. The data may help to identify potential gaps or duplication in service and provide insight into better engaging underrepresented groups. The Local Boards are expected to discuss this data with service providers for local planning purposes, and collaborate on joint actions to address identified issues in the local area. The results of the EO data analysis and consultations will be captured in the the Boards' Local Labour Market Planning Report, due October 14, 2014.

This is the second year that MTCU has provided the information to the Local Boards; the first year helped to establish a baseline for analyzing and interpreting the data, with the second year building on that knowledge and information.

**NEXT STEPS:**

The EO data reports will be released to the Local Boards in the first week of June. This reflects a slight delay from the anticipated release date due to a delay in production. The intention of the EO data reports is for the Local Boards to analyze and facilitate discussions with stakeholders on local planning. The use of this data is not intended to assess the performance of the EO network.

If you have additional questions please contact your local Employment Ontario office.