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## **Program Guide**

### **Mobility Assistance**

Through Nunatsiavut Government's Aboriginal Skills & Employment Training Strategy (ASETS) the Mobility Assistance program helps people relocate from their home community to an outside community elsewhere in Canada for full time permanent meaningful employment, preferably linked to their field of studies.

#### What is Mobility Assistance?

Mobility Assistance is a funding program targeted to individuals to assist them while integrating into a labour market that is not their primary place of residence. The objective of the Mobility Assistance program is to assist clients to avail of full time permanent labour market opportunities for which they and their families must move from their existing home community to accept.

#### What are the eligible criteria for funding?

- Client must be a beneficiary of the Labrador Inuit Land Claims Agreement
- Client must be unemployed at the time of application;
- Client must submit a completed Mobility Assistance Application;
- Client must provide proof of full time permanent employment via a signed letter of employment offer from employer;
- Client must provide an estimate of travel costs from their home community to the relocation community.

Applications are accepted on an ongoing basis. Applicants have up to 4 weeks from initial application date to complete the application process by providing letter of employment & making travel arrangements.

#### What are the eligible costs for participants?

All or a portion of travel expenses including airfare, boat fare, mileage, meals, & accommodations. Eligible costs for travel are based on the most economical means of transportation to the location of work.