



★ **OFFICIAL PROGRAM STANDARDS NOTIFICATION** ★

Issued: October 5, 2012

**Program: Motor Vehicle Body Repairer (Metal and Paint)  
(Automotive Collision Repair Technician)**

**To:** ITA Training Providers  
Automotive Training Standards Organization (ATSO)  
ACE IT School Districts

**RE: REF: 2012 014  
NEW PROGRAM OUTLINE FOR MOTOR VEHICLE BODY REPAIRER (METAL  
AND PAINT) (AUTOMOTIVE COLLISION REPAIR TECHNICIAN)**

**Timing:** Effective March 2013

**Information:**

**Background**

This OPSN is to advise that a new Program Outline for Motor Vehicle Body Repairer (Metal and Paint) (Automotive Collision Repair Technician) has been approved by ITA and is available on the ITA web site [www.itabc.ca](http://www.itabc.ca). This update follows a review of the Motor Vehicle Body Repairer (Metal and Paint) (Automotive Collision Repair Technician) program by the Automotive Training Standards Organization (ATSO). The program review was initiated by a change to the National Occupational Analysis (NOA) in 2010 and was conducted with industry subject matter experts and training provider representatives.

ATSO have developed a standardized practical assessment guide for instructors in conjunction with instructors of this program. This practical assessment guide package will be piloted during the following months with the intent of acquiring feedback from the instructors. For details of this guide which will be available by 1st November 2012 please go to [info@autoapprentice.com](mailto:info@autoapprentice.com) or contact Kevin Cudmore at [Kevin@autoapprentice.com](mailto:Kevin@autoapprentice.com); tel. 604-419-4849.

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