## Definitions for the Exit Cohort Reports

All Working All participants that are found working in the TWC UI wage records and

OPM (Office of Personnel Management) databases and participants

who are working at the same time going to school

All Enrolled All participants that are found enrolled in a higher education institution

and participants who are working at the same time going to school

Enrolled Only Participants found enrolled in a higher education institution but not

working

**Graduates** Graduates during 20XX-20YY academic year

**Graduate** Students graduating a graduate program during 20XX-20YY academic

**Completers** year (for universities and HRIs only)

**Leavers** Non-returning students enrolled during, Fall 20XX, Spring and Summer

(I or II) 20YY and did not enroll in Fall 20YY at the same institution

Not Located Participants not found in the employment records or in the THECB

database

Undergraduate Students graduating an undergraduate program during 20XX-20YY

**Completers** academic year

Working only All participants that are found working in the TWC UI wage records and

OPM (Office of Personnel Management) databases but not enrolled in

higher education

\* Data suppressed due to low cell value

## Methodology for the Exit Cohort Reports

**Cohort** All individuals enrolled in Texas public institutions during FY 20YY

Employment Records

The records were matched with TWC UI wage records and national databases including Office of Personnel Management. Employment was determined if the former student was found working in the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter 20YY according to the records mentioned.

**Enrollment Records** 

The records were matched with public and private postsecondary enrollment records for predetermined periods of analysis. Pursuit of additional higher education was documented if the former student was found enrolled in the fall semester 20YY.

Industries for Employment It shows the industries in which the individual was found working. No information about the type of work the individual does is available.

Higher Education Institutions for Enrollment Institution where students enrolled in the following fall (Fall 20YY) after they left the original institution

CIP Areas for Enrollment Majors declared by students when they enroll in the following fall (Fall 20YY)