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**Assessment Requirements for HLTENN025  
Implement and monitor care for a person  
with diabetes**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	<p>This version was released in <i>HLT Health Training Package release 3.0</i> and meets the requirements of the 2012 Standards for Training Packages.</p> <p>Significant changes to the elements and performance criteria. New evidence requirements for assessment, including volume and frequency requirements. Minimal change to knowledge evidence.</p> <p>Supersedes HLTEN611B</p>

## Performance Evidence

The candidate must show evidence of the ability to complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit, manage tasks and manage contingencies in the context of the job role. There must be evidence that the candidate has:

- undertaken nursing work in accordance with Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia professional practice standards, codes and guidelines
- provided nursing care and management of 2 people with diabetes in the workplace including:
  - a person who has become hypoglycaemic
  - a person who has become hyperglycaemic
- provided nursing care and management of 1 person with diabetes in the workplace or a simulated environment including:
  - a person who is demonstrating signs of ketoacidosis.

## Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must be able to demonstrate essential knowledge required to effectively complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit, manage tasks and manage contingencies in the context of the work role. This includes knowledge of:

- anatomy, physiology and pathophysiology related to diabetes and diabetic conditions including:
  - Type 1 Diabetes
  - Type 2 Diabetes

- gestational diabetes mellitus
- potential problems related to care of a person with diabetes and the following conditions – with the knowledge sufficiently in-depth and specialised to make considered judgements:
  - hypoglycaemia
  - hyperglycaemia
  - ketoacidosis
  - hyper osmolar non-ketonic coma
  - retinopathy
  - infection
  - psychosocial issues
  - microvascular and macrovascular disease
- health promotion goals and their expected outcomes including:
  - exercise
  - diabetic diet
  - weight loss (body mass index or waist to hip ratio)
  - smoking cessation
  - foot and eye care
- factors influencing self esteem of the person with diabetes
- issues related to diabetes care delivery and diabetes-related services
- underlying environmental and social factors contributing to diabetes in the Australian general population, including the factors involved with higher rates experienced by Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people.

## Assessment Conditions

Skills must have been demonstrated in the workplace or in a simulated environment as specified in the performance evidence. The following conditions must be met for this unit:

- use of suitable facilities, equipment and resources in line with the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council's Standards including:
  - glucometer
  - progressive notes of a de-identified person's medical history
  - organisation policy and procedures on which the candidate bases the planning
- modelling of industry operating conditions including access to real people for simulations and scenarios in enrolled nursing work.

Assessors must satisfy the Standards for Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) 2015/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

In addition, assessors must hold current registration as a Registered Nurse with Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia.

## **Links**

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=ced1390f-48d9-4ab0-bd50-b015e5485705>