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## Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with ACM Animal Care and Management Training Package Version 6.0.

## Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.

There must be evidence that the individual has accessed and updated at least one database for companion animal rescue for their local area, and has included the following details:

- equipment requirements for two movement methods
- three suitable local evacuation facilities.

## Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- how to access relevant databases
- database information requirements, including:
  - suitability of potential sites and locations
  - methods, resources and transport requirements
  - contact list
  - provision for appropriate veterinary care
  - methods used to identify animals, and record-keeping requirements
  - briefing and debriefing incident processes
  - workplace health and safety and personal protective equipment (PPE) considerations
  - biosecurity and isolation areas
- database currency provision options
- companion animal emergency requirements:
  - veterinary
  - urgent housing or shelter
  - medications

- major incident types, including:
  - floods
  - fires
  - earthquakes
  - extreme weather events
  - human-induced hazards
  - occurrences likely to entail interstate, intra-state and possibly international resources
- existing animal identification databases and what each integrates with
- access to information about animal microchipping
- temporary companion animal identification options
- information relating to factors affecting the movement of animals, including:
  - fitness to be moved or to travel
  - species-specific needs and behaviours
  - equipment used.

## Assessment Conditions

Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
  - skills must be demonstrated in a workplace setting or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions or an incident scene – this includes the use of simulations and scenarios where assessment would be unsafe, impractical or unethical
- resources, equipment and materials:
  - computer with suitable database software
  - database style guides
- relationships:
  - service providers

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

## Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: -  
<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=b75f4b23-54c9-4cc9-a5db-d3502d154103>