Assessment Requirements for ACMGAS305 Rescue animals and apply basic first aid

# Modification History

| Release | Comments |
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| Release 2 | This version released with ACM Animal Care and Management Training Package Version 2.0. |
| Release 1 | This version released with ACM Animal Care and Management Training Package Version 1.0. |

# 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, on two different animals, has:

* planned and rescued according to WHS requirements
* applied basic first aid and care
* gathered information and accurately recorded and maintained records.

# 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:

* the animal emergency network, including animal welfare bodies and support facilities
* animal first aid techniques
* examination techniques for health status
* first aid casualty management principles
* methods used to capture, restrain and examine animals, including equipment commonly used
* methods used to identify animals
* personal protective clothing and equipment and when and how it should be used
* safe animal handling techniques and procedures
* organisation policies and procedures, including WHS and emergency procedures.

# Assessment Conditions

Assessment of skills must take place under the following conditions:

* physical conditions:
* a workplace setting or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
* resources, equipment and materials:
* live or simulated animals for capture
* PPE for handling animals
* first aid equipment.

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=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>

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