



Australian Government

AHC21316 Certificate II in Shearing

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Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

Qualification Description

This qualification provides an entry level occupational outcome in shearing. It recognises the work of a novice shearer who is able to shear a minimum of 40 adult merino sheep or 50 adult crossbred sheep per day to an acceptable industry standard. The shearing industry expects this qualification to be achieved to meet job outcomes at this level.

This qualification is suitable for an Australian Apprenticeship.

Possible job titles relevant to this qualification include:

- Shearer - novice level

No occupational licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.

Entry Requirements

There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

Packaging Rules

Total number of units = 9

- Core Units = 9
- Elective Units = 0

Core Units

Livestock

AHCLSK217	Apply animal welfare principles to handling and husbandry of livestock
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Shearing

Unit Code	Unit Title
AHCSHG201	Crutch sheep
AHCSHG203	Shear sheep to novice level
AHCSHG205	Grind combs and cutters for machine shearing
AHCSHG206	Prepare handpiece and downtube for machine shearing
AHCSHG210	Undertake basic shearing and crutching

Work

Unit Code	Unit Title
AHCWRK204	Work effectively in the industry
AHCWRK209	Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices

Work health and safety

Unit Code	Unit Title
AHCWHS201	Participate in work health and safety processes

Qualification Mapping Information

This qualification is not equivalent to AHC21310 Certificate II in Shearing.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>