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AHCLSK352 Implement feeding plans for intensive livestock production

Release: 1

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Release 11.0.

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to implement feeding plans for intensive livestock production.

The unit applies to individuals who implement feeding plans for intensive livestock production under broad direction and take responsibility for their own work.

All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, according to state/territory health and safety regulations, legislation and standards that apply to the workplace, and animal welfare legislation, regulations, standards and guidelines, and sustainability and biosecurity practices.

In addition to legal responsibilities, all units of competency dealing with animals in the AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package have the requirements for animals to be handled humanely to minimise stress and discomfort.

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

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

Livestock (LSK)

Elements and Performance Criteria

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1. Prepare for feeding	1.1 Identify hazards and risks, and implement safe working practices to manage risks 1.2 Assess and record livestock welfare and condition 1.3 Identify livestock production status or stage of production 1.4 Identify the environmental implications associated with intensive livestock production work, and assess and control appropriately 1.5 Check and maintain feed distribution system and feeders 1.6 Handle livestock using good stock handling techniques and according to animal welfare practices
2. Carry out feeding and watering	2.1 Check automatic and computerised feeders for blockages and correct functioning 2.2 Rectify abnormalities or irregularities with feed stocks 2.3 Monitor feed consumption and wastage and make adjustments 2.4 Feed and water livestock as required 2.5 Adjust watering systems for height or position 2.6 Check water flow and make appropriate adjustments 2.7 Empty watering containers or lines and clean where necessary
3. Conduct hygiene and administration activities	3.1 Dispose of waste according to environmental practices 3.2 Clean and maintain feeding equipment using appropriate hygiene procedures 3.3 Complete and maintain records and documentation, and report work activities

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.

Skill	Description
Writing	• Use clear language, accurate industry terminology and logical structure to record livestock condition, and feeding records and

	documentation
Oral communication	• Use clear language to report work activities • Respond to questions and clarify information

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current release	Code and title previous release	Comments	Equivalence status
AHCLSK352 Implement feeding plans for intensive livestock production	AHCLSK310 Implement feeding plans for intensive production	Unit title change Minor changes to application Minor changes to elements and performance criteria Foundation skills added Assessment requirements updated	Equivalent

Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: -
<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>