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# **AHCNAR102 Support native seed collection**

**Release: 1**

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### Modification History

| Release | TP Version | Comment         |
|---------|------------|-----------------|
| 1       | AHCv1.0    | Initial release |

### Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to support native seed collection across a range of landscapes and environments.

All work is done according to work site guidelines and supervisor's instructions, and in a safe and environmentally appropriate manner in accordance with relevant legislation and regulations.

This unit applies to individuals who work under close supervision and undertake defined activities and work in a structured context.

Licensing conditions and permissions or approvals apply to the collection of native seed. Specific determination should be sought through the relevant State or Territory.

### Pre-requisite Unit

Nil.

### Unit Sector

Natural Area Restoration (NAR)

### Elements and Performance Criteria

| Element  | Performance criteria   |
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| Elements describe the essential outcomes.                            | Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.  |
| 1. Prepare materials, tools and equipment for native seed collection | 1.1 Identify materials, tools and equipment required<br>1.2 Conduct checks on materials, tools and equipment and report insufficient or faulty items<br>1.3 Demonstrate correct manual handling techniques when loading and unloading materials<br>1.4 Select and check suitable personal protective equipment |

| Element   | Performance criteria  |
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|   | 1.5 Identify work health and safety hazards and tell supervisor<br>1.6 Confirm licensing and regulatory requirements for seed collection activities   |
| 2. Support native seed collection                 | 2.1 Follow work health and safety, environmentally sustainability and biosecurity policies and procedures when undertaking seed collection activities<br>2.2 Provide assistance to support the activities of others, follow supervisor instructions, and seek clarification when necessary<br>2.3 Provide support to collect seeds from a range of plants and from different areas of plants<br>2.4 Provide assistance to check seeds for diseases and pests, separate seeds from other materials and weigh and store the seeds<br>2.5 Place seed in clean containers and label the containers as directed by a supervisor<br>2.6 Record seed information |
| 3. Clean up on completion of seed collection work | 3.1 Store seeds and plant materials<br>3.2 Clean, maintain and store tools and equipment<br>3.3 Report work outcomes  |

## Foundation Skills

Foundation Skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit of competency.

## Range of Conditions

## Unit Mapping Information

This unit is equivalent to AHCNAR102A Support native seed collection.

## Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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