



Australian Government

AHCOCM401 Protect places of cultural significance

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 9.0.

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to protect places of cultural significance.

This unit applies to those whose work includes protecting Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Peoples' places of culture in co-operation with stakeholders and protecting places of cultural significance with reference to local Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Communities or line management. A high level of cultural awareness and the need to observe cultural protocols are important in the process.

Commonwealth and/or state/territory and Local Community legislation, regulations and codes of practice apply to conservation work on Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander sites. Requirements vary between jurisdictions.

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

On Country Management (OCM)

Elements and Performance Criteria

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<i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>
1. Communicate with stakeholders	1.1 Develop working relationships with stakeholders that support the management of culturally significant places 1.2 Develop communication approaches that accommodate cultural views and observe cultural protocols 1.3 Obtain and record views on the way in which the cultural

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	significance and resources can be conserved and used 1.4 Convey views obtained into an organisational and park planning process
2. Conserve significance	2.1 Consult with stakeholders to plan ongoing conservation and sustainability actions 2.2 Develop operational activities to implement the conservation and sustainability strategies and plans in a culturally sensitive manner 2.3 Ensure strategies and plans comply with legislation and codes of practice 2.4 Make submissions to the organisational budget process to implement conservation and restoration activities 2.5 Obtain resources for conservation and restoration activities 2.6 Organise staff to implement conservation actions that minimise deterioration and damage 2.7 Supervise staff during restoration projects
3. Manage incidents	3.1 Develop operational plans to manage incidents consistent with an emergency plan of management and risk management analysis 3.2 Assign staff responsibilities to manage types of incidents 3.3 Obtain and maintain equipment and supplies to enable effective response to incidents 3.4 Train staff in the appropriate response to incidents, that incorporate related work health and safety and environmental sustainability procedures 3.5 Make submissions to the organisational budget process to support incident management 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
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Reading	Interpret, analyse and extract information from a range of sources, including legal documents, policies and procedures
Oral communication	Use culturally appropriate verbal and non-verbal communication
Numeracy	Calculate costs

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHCOCM401 Protect places of cultural significance	AHCILM401 Protect places of cultural significance	Application updated Elements and Performance Criteria revised for clarity Foundation Skills added Performance Evidence, Knowledge Evidence and Assessment Conditions updated	Not equivalent

Links

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