



Australian Government

AHCTRF302 Establish turf

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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 establish turf by sowing, turf laying, sprigging and chaffing or stolonization in sporting, public recreational open space, commercial and residential sites.

It applies to individuals who take responsibility for their own work and for the quality of the work of others. They use discretion and judgement in the selection, allocation and use of available resources. All work is carried out to comply with workplace procedures.

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

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil.

Unit Sector

Turf (TRF)

Elements and Performance Criteria

Element	Performance criteria
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1. Sample soil for testing	1.1 Take and test site soil samples from a representative area 1.2 Use test results to guide soil preparation for establishing turf
2. Plant turf	2.1 Select tools and equipment for the task being undertaken and use safe working practices 2.2 Prepare planting site and sow seed or roll out lawn 2.3 Water and top-dress newly planted turf as required
3. Maintain newly	3.1 Water and fertilise newly established turf

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established turf	3.2 Mow turf according to a specified pattern and height 3.3 Monitor newly established turf, identify problems and report any changes 3.4 Apply top dressing according to the establishment plan
4. Report and repair areas of damaged turf	4.1 Monitor turf condition for quality and repair as necessary 4.2 Prepare work reports and recommendations

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 AHCTRF302A Establish turf.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet - <https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>