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Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.

There must be evidence that the individual has responded to emergencies on at least two occasions and has:

- operated emergency safety and communications equipment according to manufacturer specifications and training
- applied workplace health and safety requirements, including fitted and used personal protective equipment (PPE)
- evaluated the emergency to determine emergency response
- implemented fire protection and control procedures
- used appropriate fire protection and control techniques relevant to the organisation and industry
- safely confined the emergency to immediate area where possible and controlled the emergency situation.

Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- workplace hazard identification and risk assessment techniques and tools
- use of safety and communications equipment and protocols in the event of an emergency
- workplace requirements and duty of care responsibilities applicable to health and safety in the workplace for responding to emergencies
- workplace accident and incident policies and procedures
- emergency network contacts and call out procedures
- the proper use and technique for handling industrial gases
- workplace emergency evacuation procedures and assembly points.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
 - a workplace setting or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
- resources, equipment and materials:
 - emergency safety and communications equipment and resources, including firefighting tools and equipment
 - PPE applicable to responding to emergencies
- specifications:
 - workplace health and safety legislation, regulations, codes of practice and workplace procedures relevant to responding to emergencies
 - workplace accident and incident policies and procedures, and emergency evacuation procedures
- relationships:
 - appropriate personnel and supervisor.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

Links

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