



Australian Government

AMPQUA417 Establish sampling program

Release: 1

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with AMP Australian Meat Processing Training Package Version 8.0.

Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to establish a sampling program in a meat processing premises.

This unit applies to individuals who work in quality assurance or quality control roles in the meat processing industry. It may also apply to regulatory officers who audit the safety of meat.

All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, according to state/territory health and safety, food and meat safety regulations, legislation and standards that apply to the workplace.

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

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

Quality Assurance (QUA)

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. Establish a valid sampling plan	1.1 Recognise and use sampling tables from relevant Australian Standard 1.2 Determine scope and purpose of sampling 1.3 Identify the parameters to be measured

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	1.4 Determine how performance will be measured 1.5 Plan for how and when samples will be taken 1.6 Determine sample size for valid assessment 1.7 Identify levels for triggering corrective actions
2. Implement a sampling plan	2.1 Conduct sampling according to identified sampling plan, using appropriate facilities 2.2 Use aseptic techniques 2.3 Record and monitor sampling data 2.4 Interpret and report outcomes of sampling to relevant personnel 2.5 Retain records in line with workplace and regulatory requirements

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
Reading	Interpret regulations and industry guidelines for establishing sampling programs
Writing	Record sampling data using paper-based and/or digital formats
Numeracy	Record and monitor sampling data

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AMPQUA417 Establish sampling program	AMPX421 Establish sampling program	Unit code updated Performance Criteria clarified	Equivalent

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		Element 1 split into two Foundation Skills added Performance Evidence, Knowledge Evidence and Assessment Conditions reworded for clarity	

Links

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<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5e2e56b7-698f-4822-84bb-25adbb8443a7>