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AVIO2007 Establish and maintain a sterile area at an airport

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Modification History

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the AVI Aviation Training Package.

Application

This unit involves the skills and knowledge required to establish and maintain a sterile area at a security controlled airport with screened air services, in compliance with relevant regulatory requirements of the Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) and national operating standards.

It includes establishing sterile areas, recognising and reporting a breach, and completing required documentation.

This unit addresses aviation technical skill requirements (physical, mental and task-management abilities) related to aviation security duties of ground operations personnel, and contributes to safe and effective performance in complex aviation operational environments.

Operations are conducted as part of recreational, commercial and military aircraft activities across a variety of operational contexts within the Australian aviation industry.

Work is performed independently or under limited supervision as a single operator or within a team environment.

Licensing, legislative, regulatory or certification requirements are applicable to this unit.

Use for Defence Aviation is to be in accordance with relevant Defence Orders, Instructions, Publications and Regulations.

Pre-requisite Unit

Not applicable.

Competency Field

O – Security

Unit Sector

Not applicable.

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1 Establish sterile area	1.1 Sterile areas are established as required in accordance with workplace procedures
	1.2 Sterile areas are re-established following a breach, evacuation or equipment failure as required, in accordance with workplace procedures
2 Recognise and report a breach	2.1 Breaches or potential breaches of sterile areas are recognised
	2.2 Breaches or potential breaches are reported to designated personnel in accordance with the organisation's transport security program and workplace procedures
	2.3 Information about breaches or potential breaches is collected in accordance with workplace procedures
	2.4 Nature of breaches or potential breaches is determined in accordance with the organisation's transport security program and workplace procedures
	2.5 Appropriate action is taken in a breach in accordance with the organisation's transport security program and workplace procedures
3 Complete required documentation	3.1 Record of actions taken to establish and/or re-establish a sterile area are completed, in accordance with the organisation's transport security program and workplace procedures
	3.2 Records of a breach, potential breach, evacuation or equipment failure in a sterile area are completed, in accordance with the organisation's transport security program and workplace procedures
	3.3 Written reports of a breach, potential breach, evacuation or equipment failure and related action to re-establish a sterile area, are completed and referred to designated personnel in accordance with the organisation's transport security program and workplace procedures

Foundation Skills

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

Range of Conditions

Range is restricted to essential operating conditions and any other variables essential to the work environment.

Applicable legislation, regulations and codes must include:	• current Aviation Transport Security Act and • current Aviation Transport Security Regulations • notices made under the Act and the Regulations • organisation's transport security program
Workplace procedures must include one or more of the following:	• access and equity policies, principles and practices • applicable legislative requirements and aviation screening notices • client service standards • code of conduct or ethics • communication and reporting procedures • complaint and dispute resolution procedures • emergency and evacuation procedures • employer and employee rights and responsibilities • equipment use and maintenance • own role, responsibility and authority • privacy and confidentiality • standard operating procedures for screening • work health safety procedures applicable to aviation security screening
Breaches of a sterile area must include:	• breach at a screening point where there is immediate detection of the unauthorised person/s concerned • breach at an access point (other than a screening point) where there is immediate detection of the unauthorised person/s concerned • breach at an access point where the unauthorised person/s concerned is under constant observation • breach at an access point (other than a screening point) where the unauthorised person/s concerned is under constant observation • where the unauthorised person/s concerned is not under constant supervision and the area of the breach can be isolated • where the unauthorised person/s concerned is not under constant

Information about breaches or potential breaches must include:	supervision and the area of the breach cannot be isolated
	• details and description of the person/s breaching security
	• details of the affected area
	• estimated number of persons in the affected area
	• particulars of the breach including where it occurred
	• time of breach

Unit Mapping Information

This unit replaces and is equivalent to AVIO2007B Establish and maintain a sterile area at an airport.

Links

AVI Aviation Training Package Companion Volume Implementation Guide at: -
http://companion_volumes.vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingPackage.aspx?pid=21