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# **Assessment Requirements for CSCSAS006 Respond to medical emergencies**

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## Modification History

Release	Comments
1	<p>These Assessment Requirements were released in CSC Correctional Services Training Package release 1.0 and meet the Standards for Training Packages.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Assessment Requirements revised</li></ul>

Please refer to the advice in the CSC Assessment Guide.

## Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the candidate must demonstrate evidence of performance of the following on at least two occasions.

- applying infection control precautions and other WHS guidelines
- communicating effectively and assertively in a medical emergency

## Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the depth of knowledge demonstrated must be appropriate to the job context of the candidate.

- organisation's policies and procedures related to responding to medical emergencies
- responsibilities of first responding officer
- alarm codes and responses for medical emergencies
- basic principles of and concepts underlying the practice of first aid
- crime scene and evidence preservation
- priorities of management in first aid when dealing with life-threatening conditions
- duty of care

## Assessment Conditions

Assessment of this unit can be applied using a combination of training outcomes and performance in the workplace or in a suitable simulation that draws upon the context or range of applications appropriate to the workplace and the defined work role and responsibilities.

Because of the unpredictable factors included in this unit, assessment in the workplace may depend on indirect or supplementary evidence, particularly the use of simulations or practice drills.

Valid assessment of this unit requires a workplace environment or one that closely resembles normal work practice and replicates the range of conditions likely to be encountered when responding to medical emergencies, including coping with difficulties, irregularities and breakdowns in routine.

This unit has been identified by industry as suitable for holistic assessment with:

- CSCSAS008 Maintain security system
- CSCSAS009 Control incidents using defensive tactics
- HLTAID001 Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation
- HLTAID002 Provide basic emergency life support
- HLTAID003 Provide first aid
- HLTAID005 Provide first aid in remote situations

Refer to advice in the [CSC Assessment Guide](#)

<http://www.govskills.com.au/guides/correctional-services/assessment-guide>.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

## Links

GSA website - <http://www.govskills.com.au>

CSC Assessment Guide -

<http://www.govskills.com.au/guides/correctional-services/assessment-guide>

CSC Knowledge Guide -

<http://www.govskills.com.au/guides/correctional-services/knowledge-guide>

CSC Implementation Guide -

<http://www.govskills.com.au/guides/correctional-services/implementation-guide>