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Release: 1

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Modification History

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the CSC Correctional Services Training Package Release 5.0

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria on at least two occasions and include:

- providing verbal warnings and clear directions and instructions
- using effective tactical communication
- using defensive tactics to control the incident
- selecting reasonable force option in response to the incident
- assessing and reassessing the level of force required
- carrying and using defensive equipment in accordance with organisational instruction
- retention of defensive equipment
- completing reports and documentation
- maintaining respect, dignity and human rights principles.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria and include knowledge of:

- legal requirements and organisational policies and procedures related to use of defensive tactics
- duty of care
- considerations for the use of defensive tactics on vulnerable people
- stress management techniques
- human rights principles
- signs and symptoms of potential medical issues during the use of defensive tactics
- fundamentals of defensive tactics
- authorised alarms and codes
- reporting requirements
- defensive equipment issue, use and storage.

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must hold credentials specified within the Standards for Registered Training

Organisations current at the time of assessment.

Assessment must satisfy the Principles of Assessment and Rules of Evidence and all regulatory requirements included within the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

Assessment must occur in workplace operational situations. Where this is not appropriate, assessment must occur in simulated workplace operational situations that reflect workplace conditions.

Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.

Resources for assessment must include access to:

- a range of relevant exercises, case studies and/or simulations
- acceptable means of simulation assessment
- applicable documentation, including workplace procedures, regulations, codes of practice and operation manuals
- relevant materials, tools, equipment and PPE currently used in industry.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet - https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=114e25cd-3a2c-4490-baae-47d68dcd2fde