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FBPOPR2078 Work in a freezer storage area

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with FBP Food, Beverage and Pharmaceutical Training Package Version 6.0.

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to enter and work in a freezer storage or cold room area.

This unit applies to individuals working in a processing environment who work under general supervision.

All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, in accordance with state/territory health and safety, environmental 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

Operational (OPR)

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. Prepare to enter a freezer storage environment	1.1 Read or listen to work instructions from supervisor and clarify, where required 1.2 Identify health and safety hazards and quality risks in freezer storage area, and inform supervisor 1.3 Wear appropriate personal protective equipment according to safe

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	work requirements 1.4 Confirm clothing and footwear are correctly fitted prior to entering freezer 1.5 Carry out checks and inspections of freezer storage area
2. Identify and monitor equipment operation	2.1 Identify the effects of freezing temperatures on equipment 2.2 Monitor equipment when in use in freezer to ensure effective functioning
3. Handle frozen product safely	3.1 Identify handling requirements for frozen product according to workplace procedures 3.2 Handle frozen product safely according to workplace requirements 3.3 Use safe manual handling techniques to move frozen products 3.4 Complete workplace records in line with workplace requirements
4. Respond to emergencies	4.1 Identify signs and symptoms of exposure to low temperatures 4.2 Take appropriate action to minimise effects of exposure on self and others

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 workplace procedures and safety information - Identify product types and storage requirements
Numeracy	- Identify product weights (kg) for manual lifting purposes - Interpret storeroom temperature gauges (°C) - Count product quantities - Interpret freezing rates for products

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
FBPOPR2078 Work in a freezer storage area	FBPOPR2007 Work in a freezer storage area	Minor changes to Performance Criteria to clarify intent Foundation Skills refined Performance Evidence clarified Minor changes to Knowledge Evidence and Assessment Conditions	Equivalent

Links

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<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=78b15323-cd38-483e-aad7-1159b570a5c4>