

Australian Government

FNSCUS516 Record and implement client instructions

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version first released with FNS Financial Services Training Package Version 5.0.

Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to record and implement instructions regarding financial investments from a range of clients. It also covers the provision of client after sales service.

The unit applies to those who provide responsibility for their own and others' work outcomes. The client instructions to be implemented may come from financial advisers, or from shareholders, financial organisations, stockbrokers, trustees, agents and intermediaries.

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

Unit Sector

Customer service

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1. Establish client instructions	1.1 Identify client, and obtain client objectives, requirements and expectations according to organisational policies and procedures
	1.2 Confirm instructions according to best practice principles and policies and procedures
	1.3 Analyse client information to identify marketing strategies and communication methods available within organisation that best suit client and client needs
	1.4 Consult authorised representative and agree to instructions, and implementation strategies, actions, and communication methods to be used when implementing client instructions
	1.5 Document agreed client instructions and communication methods

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
	according to organisational policies and guidelines, legislative and confidentiality requirements, and industry codes of practice
2. Implement client instructions	2.1 Review and monitor terms and conditions of agreed financial options and investment strategies for consistency with client instructions
	2.2 Monitor and review agreed implementation strategies and actions, and confirm their compliance with client instructions
	2.3 Update required stakeholders on the implementation and administration of agreed investment strategies and instructions
	2.4 Confirm that no breaches of agreement or anomalies occur
	2.5 Report and document changes to financial markets where required and according to legislative and organisational requirements, and guidelines where appropriate
3. Establish after sales service procedures	3.1 Review client documentation and information and determine areas where additional after sales service can be provided
	3.2 Use identified marketing strategies to communicate potential additional after sales service to authorised representative
	3.3 Provide agreed additional after sales service based on authorised representative's confirmation of client agreement
	3.4 Identify and address areas of client dissatisfaction according to organisational procedures, legislative and confidentiality requirements, and industry codes of practice

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential to performance but not explicit in the performance criteria.

SKILL	DESCRIPTION
Learning	Maintains accurate and current knowledge of legislation relevant to role
Numeracy	• Records, identifies and assesses numerical data in client instructions
Oral communication	 Participates in spoken interactions using relevant conventions and protocols, including questioning and active listening techniques, to elicit information and confirm understanding Presents information that reflects compliance requirements, structuring tone, pace and content relevant to purpose and audience
Reading	Identifies and extracts information in texts of relative complexity with specialised terminology and vocabulary to monitor client

SKILL	DESCRIPTION
	requirements and instructions
Writing	 Uses relevant text types, formats and terminology to record and consolidate relevant facts, information, instructions and agreements Documents responses to problems in compliance with organisational and regulatory requirements
Initiative and enterprise	• Uses strategies to develop and maintain working relationships and persuasive techniques to negotiate agreement to further services
Planning and organising	 Organises, plans and sequences own workload Systematically gathers and analyses required information and evaluates options to make decisions about service provision
Problem solving	• Uses analytical problem-solving skills to monitor and resolve client satisfaction issues
Self-management	Takes responsibility for providing quality advisory services that comply with legal and organisational requirements
Technology	• Uses digital technologies and tools to access, store and share information

Unit Mapping Information

Supersedes and is equivalent to FNSCUS506 Record and implement client instructions.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guide is found on VETNet https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c7200cc8-0566-4f04-b76f-e89fd6f102fe