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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version was released in <i>HLT Health Training Package release 3.0</i> and meets the requirements of the 2012 Standards for Training Packages. Significant changes to the elements and performance criteria. New evidence requirements for assessment including volume and frequency requirements. Removal of pre-requisites. 240 work placement hours Supersedes HLTDP602D

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to obtain accurate, complete and legal records of the patient's personal, medical and dental information in order to develop a treatment plan prior to removable dental prosthetic treatment.

This unit applies to work in dental prosthetics.

The skills in this unit must be applied in accordance with Commonwealth and State/Territory legislation, Australian/New Zealand Standards and industry codes of practice.

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
Elements define the essential outcomes	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1. Obtain a complete patient history	1.1 Obtain accurate, complete and legal records of the patient's personal, medical and dental history 1.2 Check accuracy of information with the patient or where appropriate with their carer or guardian 1.3 Verify information with appropriate practitioner, where required by relevant guidelines or legislation
2. Consult medical history of	2.1 Consult and use appropriate medical history in

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determining requirements for removable dental prosthetic treatment

2.2 Consult patient, carer or guardian about medical history to ensure it is accurate and current

3. Obtain and record patient data

3.1 Record relevant information legibly, accurately and completely

3.2 Assist patient, carer or guardian to complete data forms as required

3.3 Obtain and document consent following ethical and legal requirements

3.4 Obtain patient, carer or guardian's signature to signify accuracy of the statement

3.5 Maintain patient confidentiality

4. Assess oral status for removable dental prosthetic procedures

4.1 Assess intra-oral status accurately in accordance with relevant guidelines and legislation

4.2 Modify examination procedures according to the specific needs of the patient

4.3 Where necessary, identify the need to refer patient for examination by a dentist

5. Develop a removable dental prosthetic treatment plan

5.1 Interpret and evaluate the results of removable dental prosthetic examination

5.2 Consider the patient's medical, medication and dental history when developing a treatment plan

5.3 Make prosthetic assessment in accordance with organisation procedures

5.4 Consult dentist or doctor where appropriate and in accordance with legislative guidelines

5.5 Refer patient to dentist or doctor where appropriate

5.6 Observe centric and eccentric mandibular movements

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6. Obtain patient, carer or guardian consent

6.1 Involve the patient, carer or guardian in discussions about their treatment using language that is understandable to them

6.2 Provide full details about removable dental prosthetic treatment and alternative options and the risks and benefits of the treatment

6.3 Allow sufficient time to discuss treatment options with patient, carer or guardian

6.4 Help patients understand the effects of treatment or no treatment, and to clarify their preferences

6.5 Ensure flexibility of patient services that consider the patient's special needs

6.6 Obtain and document consent following ethical and legal requirements

Foundation Skills

The Foundation Skills describe those required skills (language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills) that are essential to performance.

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

Unit Mapping Information

No Equivalent Unit

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=ced1390f-48d9-4ab0-bd50-b015e5485705>