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**Assessment Requirements for HLTENN047
Apply nursing practice in the primary
health care setting**

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 2	Release 2 HLTENN047 Apply nursing practice in the primary health care setting supersedes and is equivalent to Release 1 HLTENN047 Apply nursing practice in the primary health care setting. Updated: Mapping details and minor corrections.
Release 1	HLTENN047 Apply nursing practice in the primary health care setting supersedes and is equivalent to HLTENN015 Apply nursing practice in the primary health care setting.

Performance Evidence

Evidence of the ability to complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit in the context of the job role, and:

- analyse health information and the clinical presentation of one person to reach a plan of care
- address the needs of one person using primary health care principles
- review and update a plan of care for one person to address primary health care needs

The tasks must be undertaken in accordance with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) professional practice standards, codes and guidelines.

Knowledge Evidence

Demonstrate knowledge required to complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit:

- health challenges facing Australian communities including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities
- environmental health issues facing Australian communities including Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities
- environmental health issues facing Australian communities
- philosophy underpinning primary health care

- philosophy underpinning Aboriginal Community Controlled Health Organisations (ACCHO)
- acute mental health episodes
- management of first aid and other emergency treatments specific to a community
- age specific health issues across the lifespan for infants, children, adolescents, adults and older people
- social determinants of health and wellness
- cultural determinants of health and wellness
- problem-solving strategies.
- evidence-based practice
- health including the illness continuum
- literature and professional bodies associated with primary health care management
- service delivery models:
 - preventative
 - curative
 - rehabilitative
- National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) requirements
- role of Congress of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nurses and Midwives (CATSINaM)
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health and principles of cultural safety
- telehealth, health informatics and technology
- national immunisation programs:
 - immunisation schedule
 - catch up immunisation schedule
 - screening for all ages.

Assessment Conditions

To be eligible to apply for registration as an enrolled nurse and to practice in Australia, each applicant must complete a Diploma of Nursing program accredited by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council (ANMAC) and approved as ‘an approved program of study’ by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) in accordance with the Enrolled Nurse Accreditation Standards.

For more detail visit <https://www.ahpra.gov.au>.

Skills must be demonstrated in the workplace or in a simulated environment as specified in the performance evidence that model industry operating conditions including access to real people for simulations and scenarios in enrolled nursing work.

Assessors must satisfy the Standards for Registered Training Organisations’ requirements for assessors.

Assessors must also hold current registration as a registered nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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