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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	<p>This version was released in <i>HLT Health Training Package release 2.0</i> and meets the requirements of the 2012 Standards for Training Packages.</p> <p>Unit split to create new HLTOPD002. Significant changes to the elements and performance criteria. New evidence requirements for assessment, including volume and frequency requirements. Significant change to knowledge evidence.</p>

Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to determine client optical needs from prescriptions, and provide detailed technical advice on appliances.

This unit applies to optical dispensers who work according to prescriptions provided by optometrists or ophthalmologists.

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. Determine client optical needs

- 1.1 Access and correctly interpret prescription or customer record
- 1.2 Determine style and performance requirements in consultation with the client
- 1.3 Take and record accurate client measurements
- 1.4 Identify particular challenges or special needs of the client in relation to product options
- 1.5 Identify opportunities to suggest new or innovative

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products

1.6 Select products that meet client optical needs

2. Provide appliance information to client

2.1 Provide accurate and current style and performance details about available appliance options

2.2 Explain how the optical appliance will meet visual, functional and cosmetic needs

2.3 Provide accurate details of product costs

2.4 Involve the client in the decision making process and provide opportunities to ask questions and discuss concerns

2.5 Record advice provided according to organisation 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>