MSFFL3062 Install patterned and custom designed carpet
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Modification History
Release 1. Supersedes and is not equivalent to MSFFL3008 Install patterned carpet floor coverings, and, MSFFL3009 Install custom design carpet and decorative finishes.

Application
This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to set out, lay, stretch, join and finish woven and tufted carpets containing geometric, decorative and other custom designed patterns using adhesive-bonded and carpet gripper systems.

This unit applies to flooring technicians installing carpet in accordance with pre-determined work orders.

Licensing, legislative or certification requirements may apply to this unit and relevant state/territory and local government agencies should be consulted to determine any necessary certification or licensing for undertaking flooring work. Access to construction sites requires certification of general induction training specified by the National Code of Practice for Induction for Construction Work (ASCC 2007).

Pre-requisite Unit
N/A

Unit Sector
Flooring Technology

Elements and Performance Criteria

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<td>1.2 Read documentation and identify work requirements and process</td>
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<td>1.3 Confirm sub-floor suitability for installation consistent with Australian Standards and manufacturer recommendations</td>
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<td>1.4 Select and check tools, equipment and materials for suitability, serviceability and safety prior to use</td>
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| 2. Set out materials | 2.1 Check carpet to be installed against work order and acclimatise in accordance with manufacturer recommendations  
2.2 Select type of perimeter finishing, joining materials, gripper strip, metal mouldings and cover strips following specification or work order  
2.3 Inspect underlay, gripper strips and metal mouldings to confirm correct fitting  
2.4 Clear work area of scraps or other contaminants  
2.5 Establish work lines and starting point |
| 3. Lay floor coverings | 3.1 Identify and follow instructions and sequence for laying and fixing  
3.2 Lay out carpet pieces and check for size and direction of pile  
3.3 Use stretching equipment, joining and fixing methods in accordance with manufacturer instructions and Australian Standards  
3.4 Fix cover and finishing strips suited to the type of sub-floor  
3.5 Install protective coverings as specified  
3.6 Check finished work complies with work order, workplace and Australian Standards |
| 4. Complete housekeeping | 4.1 Store and recycle unused materials in accordance with workplace procedures  
4.2 Check, clean and store tools and equipment in accordance with workplace procedures  
4.3 Clean work area and dispose of rubbish safely  
4.4 Accurately complete required workplace documentation |

**Foundation Skills**

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=0601ab95-583a-4e93-b2d4-cfb27b03ed73