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Assessment Requirements for MSFFL3109 Install carpet tiles

Release: 1

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Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to MSFFL3059 Install carpet tiles. Changes to application, elements and performance criteria to improve clarity and consistency across MSFFL units. Changes to assessment requirements.

Performance Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has completed the tasks in the elements and performance criteria of this unit of competency and has demonstrated the ability to complete according to job instructions:

- at least three installations that include:
 - at least two full-spread installations
 - at least one:
 - pressure-sensitive adhesive installation
 - low-adhesive adhesive installation
 - hallway with multiple connecting rooms
 - site link-up around a central core
 - custom design requirement
 - instance of a multi-directional pattern or border
 - a carpet tile installation — where the stairs have been adequately prepared — on a box step stairway with at least three steps, including appropriate stair nosing.
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Knowledge Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has knowledge of:

- manufacturer installation instructions and the relevant Australian standards for carpet tiles including:
 - backed or un-backed
 - fixed or un-fixed
 - wool
 - synthetic or combination of fibres
 - pile
 - needle-punch
 - tufted
 - fusion bonded and woven
 - modular and square to one metre
 - tiles of various sizes and shapes including square, rectangular, hexagonal and diamond

- manufacturer use instructions for adhesives for fastening carpet tiles including:
 - low adhesive adhesives
 - pressure sensitive and wet acrylic adhesives
 - water and solvent-based contact adhesives
 - appropriate adhesives for and types of dual bond underlay systems
- manufacturer installation instructions and the relevant Australian standards for finishing strips
- the safe and correct use of, and maintenance requirements for tools and equipment for, installing carpet tiles
- the most common issues that can arise when installing carpet tiles and how to avoid and respond to them
- workplace policies and procedures relevant to their job role and responsibilities including for:
 - installing carpet tiles
 - communication and reporting
 - environmental protection and sustainability, including maximising resource utilisation and minimising waste
 - quality indicators for completed work and process improvements
 - work health and safety, including the use of personal protective equipment and safety data sheets
 - work planning
- how to identify if a subfloor is suitable for installing carpet tiles
- how to identify if carpet tiles are installed correctly.
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Assessment Conditions

Skills must have been demonstrated in the workplace or in a simulated environment that reflects workplace conditions and contingencies. The following conditions must be met for this unit:

- use of suitable facilities, equipment and resources, including:
 - locations in which to install carpet tiles
 - carpet tiles, adhesives, finishing strips and other materials required by job instructions
 - equipment and tools required for the activities set out in the elements and performance criteria, including those to control hazards
 - job instructions and workplace procedures.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet --

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=0601ab95-583a-4e93-b2d4-cfb27b03ed73>