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**Assessment Requirements for MSFUP3017  
Fit and apply final cover materials to  
furniture using decorative techniques**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

Release 1. Changes to code, application, elements, performance criteria, assessment requirements. Foundation skills added. Range of conditions removed. Assessment requirements changed.

## Performance Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has completed all the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit, and demonstrated the ability to:

- fit and apply a final material cover for:
  - 2 bedheads of at least 700 mm x 500 mm, using diamond buttoning, one with hand pleating, one with stitched pleating
  - a chair, using other decorative finishes, including one or more of the following:
    - pleating
    - fluting
    - stab and deep buttoning (elongated).
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## Knowledge Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has knowledge of:

- work requirements, including workplace quality standards, for fitting and applying final covers with decorative finishes
- workflows for applying final material covers to upholstered furniture using decorative techniques
- characteristics, common faults and inspection procedures for material used for final covers, including:
  - plain and patterned fabrics
  - vinyl
  - velvet
- the function and characteristics of items used in applying final covers to furniture, including at least 5 of the following:
  - piping
  - cords
  - pleats
  - glues
  - staples
  - buttons

- tacks
- tangles/gimp pins
- antique nails/upholstery studs
- quality requirements for applying final cover materials, including ensuring that:
  - patterns, naps/pile, sheens, direction of pattern, pattern repeat, and finished side of the materials are positioned appropriately
  - the finish of the material over the furniture foundation is smooth and consistent
  - weaving lines are straight and square to each other
- tools commonly used when applying final cover materials to furniture
- work health and safety requirements, including personal protective equipment (PPE) and manual handling procedures.
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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:
  - work orders
  - cover materials, trims, furniture frames and foundations, fixing materials and tools required for performance evidence, including PPE
  - workplace procedures, manufacturing specifications, codes, standards, manuals, and reference materials.

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>