

Assessment Requirements for MSTCL3006 Assemble bra or swimwear

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Modification History

Release 3. Supersedes and is equivalent to MSTCL3006 Assemble bra or swimwear (Release 2).

Pre-requisite unit, MSTGN2011 Identify fibres, fabrics and textiles used in the TCF industry, is superseded by MSTGN2013 Identify fibres, fabrics and textiles used in the TCF industry.

Release 2. Data entry errors re listed pre-requisite units corrected - MSTCL2001 and MSTCL2004 replaced with MSTFD2006.

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to LMTCL3006B Assemble bra or swimwear.

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria, and include:

- reading and following work instructions, standard operating procedures (SOPs), safe work practices
- applying relevant standards
- preparing workstation and work before commencing sewing operations
- determining specifications and machine requirements and planning for assembling of bra or swimwear
- performing a range of sewing operations, where the positioning, feeding and handling of
 work pieces involves discretionary changes, contouring or critical stopping points, and
 where special handling skills are required to accommodate fabric variations
- using one or more machines required for completing all operations to sew at least two (2) bras or swimwear according to garment requirements, quality standards and required operations
- operating and maintaining machine/s required for complete operations
- controlling machine speed and work handling for type of operations, fabrics and product type according to workplace procedures
- inspecting sewn garment, identifying any faults, taking appropriate action and checking finished work against quality standards
- recording results of inspections to identify faulty components and preventative action
- completing production records or packing slips and directing completed work to next operation or packing section, according to workplace procedures.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence must be provided that demonstrates knowledge of:

• safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)

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- machine operations and maintenance
- characteristics of fabrics, threads and other materials used in garment assembly
- quality standards and practices
- sequence of operations
- acceptable tolerances and other quality standards
- appropriate components for bras and swimwear:
 - straps
 - hooks
 - elastic
 - fasteners
 - ribbon
 - underwire
 - foam padding
 - oil-filled straps
 - rings
 - fine lace and delicate fabrics
- performance and properties of one-way and two-way stretch fabrics
- workplace procedures
- recording and reporting practices.

Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
 - satisfy the assessor competency requirements that are in place at the time of the assessment, as set by the VET regulator
 - have vocational competency in assembling bra or swimwear, at least to the level being assessed, with relevant industry knowledge and experience.
- Assessment should occur in operational workplace situations. Where this is not possible,
 or where personal safety or environmental damage are limiting factors, assessment must
 occur in a sufficiently rigorous simulated environment reflecting realistic operational
 workplace conditions. This must cover all aspects of workplace performance, including
 environment, task skills, task management skills, contingency management skills and job
 role environment skills.
- Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.
- Conditions for assessment must include access to all tools, equipment, materials and documentation required, including relevant workplace procedures, product and manufacturing specifications associated with this unit.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet - https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=a203ec5c-de7d-406b-b3e1-8f1a9b76e92e

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