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Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to LMTFD4007B Conduct quality assurance for patterns and garments

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) and safe work practices
- applying relevant standards
- interpreting specifications, assessing integrity and validity of base pattern and checking if block and pattern is appropriate
- taking accurate garment measurements and comparing to specifications in measurement table
- implementing relevant quality assurance assessments on at least two (2) occasions
- identifying, recording and reporting faults, deviations from specifications or production problems to relevant people
- taking action, as required, where quality assurance has not been met
- preparing garments for despatch according to industry standards, environmental considerations and sustainable practice
- maintaining accurate quality assurance, production and other records.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence must be provided that demonstrates knowledge of:

- safe work practices and procedures and use of personal protective equipment (PPE)
- Australian Standards for patterns and garment construction
- measures required to undertake quality assurance assessment
- garment construction and finishing methods
- garment measurements:
 - circumference and linear measurements
 - measuring across the top of the shoulder of the garment
 - sleeve
 - underarm to side seam
 - neck circumference
 - waist circumference
- patternmaking tools and equipment:

- tape measure
- pen/pencil
- measurement or size chart or table
- eraser
- Australian Standard Chart
- body sciences:
 - structural anatomy
 - morphology
 - anthropometry
- garment faults, quality deviations and production problems:
 - material faults, such as weak spots, pilling and bleeding
 - construction process faults, such as broken thread, inappropriate seams, seam finishing, seam puckering and needle damage
 - labelling and specifications faults, such as incorrect care label and instructions, and incorrect size
 - production problems for garment construction or patterns
- preparation for despatch:
 - boxing
 - packing
 - bagging
 - folding
 - hanging
- environmental considerations and sustainable practices
- documentation and recording 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 quality assurance in fashion design, 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-b3e1-8fla9b76e92e>