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Modification History

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the POL Police Training Package release 7.0.

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria on at least one occasion and include:

- communicating care or custody information verbally and in writing
- completing handover requirements for persons in care or custody
- documenting the services provided to persons in care or custody
- identifying referral requirements
- identifying safety risks to self, colleagues and public
- identifying services and resources, both internal and external, required to manage persons in care or custody
- monitoring, managing and reviewing the supervision provided to persons in care or custody.

Knowledge Evidence

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

- capabilities, powers and authorities of services external to policing
- duty of care responsibilities and custodial practices
- jurisdictional legislation, policies and procedures relating to care or custody management
- jurisdictional policies and procedures relating to work health and safety and mental health
- jurisdictional codes of conduct
- communication techniques relevant to care or custody situations.

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must hold credentials specified within the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

Assessment must satisfy the Principles of Assessment and Rules of Evidence and all regulatory requirements included within the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

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.

Assessment must occur in workplace operational situations. Where this is not appropriate, such as in situations that can affect safety or occur only rarely, assessment can occur in simulated workplace operational situations that reflect workplace conditions.

Resources for assessment must include access to:

- a range of relevant exercises, case studies and/or other simulations
- relevant and appropriate materials, tools, equipment and personal protective equipment (PPE) currently used in industry
- applicable documentation, including workplace procedures, regulations, codes of practice and operation manuals.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides can be found on VETNet - - https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=98c3984e-2cf1-48a8-8ed1-85e4b92e7351