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Assessment Requirements for PSPSEC011

Assess security risks

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Modification History

Release	Comments
1	<p>These Assessment Requirements were released in PSP Public Sector Training Package release 1.0 and meet the Standards for Training Packages.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment Requirements created drawing upon specified assessment information from superseded unit

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the candidate must demonstrate evidence of performance of the following on at least two occasions.

- applying legislation, regulations and policies relating to security risk management
- undertaking risk assessment
- reading and analysing the complex information in standards and security plans
- researching and analysing the operational environment and drawing accurate conclusions
- applying critical analysis, evaluation and deductive reasoning
- using problem solving and creative thinking in decision making
- communicating with diverse stakeholders: interviewing, listening, questioning, paraphrasing, clarifying, summarising
- writing reports requiring formal language and structure
- using computer technology and modelling to gather and analyse information and prepare reports
- representing numerical, graphical and statistical information in diverse formats

Knowledge Evidence

- Operational knowledge of:
 - public service Acts
 - Crimes Act 1914 and Criminal Code 1985
 - Freedom of Information Act 1982
 - Privacy Act 1988
 - fraud control policy
 - protective security policy
 - Australian Government Information Security Manual (ISM)

- Protective Security Policy Framework
- Australian standards, quality assurance and certification requirements
- Complex knowledge of:
 - risk assessment techniques/processes
 - information handling
 - qualitative and quantitative analysis techniques
 - incident reports and statistics
 - asset holdings and recording mechanisms
 - international treaties and protocols
 - cross-jurisdictional protocols
 - organisation's strategic objectives
 - national strategic objectives
 - requirements of user groups

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of this unit requires evidence gathered over time in a workplace environment or one that closely resembles normal work practice and replicates the diverse conditions likely to be encountered when assessing security risks

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

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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