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PUAEMR033 Determine treatment options

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Modification History

Release 1.0 This is the first release of this unit of competency in the PUA Public Safety Training Package.

Application

This unit of competency involves the skills and knowledge required to determine a range of treatment options for responding to emergency risks. It includes establishing project and working groups, confirming risks to be considered, identifying and evaluating treatment options, recommending treatment options for each risk, promoting ongoing commitment and ownership of processes and outcomes as well as monitoring and reviewing processes.

The unit applies to personnel who are part of a working group that develops treatment options during an emergency risk assessment with a community.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.

Pre-requisite Unit

Not applicable

Competency Field

Emergency Management

Unit Sector

Not applicable

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENTS

Elements describe the essential outcomes.

1 Determine treatment option framework

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.

1.1 Policies, procedures, standards, reports, records and emergency risk assessments are located and analysed

1.2 Emergency risk working group is established with an appropriate balance of expertise, representation and

	authority
	1.3 Principles, terminology, processes and organisational procedures are identified and confirmed with the emergency risk working group
	1.4 Sustainable emergency risk processes are negotiated for community context and capability, entity needs and identified practical constraints
	1.5 Project management and consultation plans are developed with entities
	1.6 Need for specialised information, additional skills and expertise in determining treatment options is identified
2 Confirm risks to be considered	2.1 Existing risk assessments are reviewed
	2.2 Sources of risk in determining treatment options are identified
	2.3 Responsibility for single or multi-organisational management of risks is identified
	2.4 Risk treatment objectives are identified in consultation with entities
3 Identify treatment options	3.1 Effectiveness of existing risk treatments is established through research and consultation
	3.2 Community vulnerability is reviewed when identifying treatment options
	3.3 Range of potential risk treatment options is identified through research and consultation
4 Evaluate treatment options	4.1 Evaluation methods are agreed with entities
	4.2 Treatment options are assessed and risks and implications for entities are identified
	4.3 Treatment options are documented for access by entities
	4.4 Feedback on likely implication and impact of treatment options is obtained from entities
	4.5 Residual risks are assessed for tolerability and/or acceptance

5 Recommend treatment options for each risk	5.1	Recommended options and implementation responsibilities are agreed in consultation with entities
	5.2	Recommended options and residual risks are documented
	5.3	Recommendations are submitted for approval
6 Promote commitment and ownership of processes and outcomes	6.1	Communication and consultation are undertaken with community entities using a range of methods and options
	6.2	A range of communication strategies are used whilst determining treatment options
	6.3	Processes, decisions and outcomes are documented
	6.4	Information is provided to the community and stakeholders
7 Monitor and review processes	7.1	Data and entity information is regularly reviewed and updated, as required
	7.2	Treatment options are monitored and reviewed in accordance with risk scope
	7.3	Opportunities for improving emergency risk management processes are reported to authorised personnel

Foundation Skills

Foundation skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit of competency.

Range of Conditions

Range is restricted to essential operating conditions and any other variables essential to the work environment.

Non-essential conditions may be found in the Companion Volume Implementation Guide.

Unit Mapping Information

This unit replaces and is not equivalent to PUAEMR012 Determine treatment options.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=3eca5672-6d5a-410b-8942-810d0ba05bbf>