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# **UEGNSG041 Apply safe working practices in the gas supply industry**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

**Release 1.** This is the first release of this unit of competency in the UEG Gas Industry Training Package.

## Application

This unit involves the skills and knowledge required to apply workplace safety regulations, codes and practices in the workplace; prepare to enter a work area; apply safe working practices; and follow workplace procedures for hazard identification and risk control.

It includes responsibilities and application at operative levels for health and safety, risk management and adherence to safety practices in the gas supply industry.

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

## Pre-requisite Unit

Not applicable.

## Competency Field

Gas Cross Discipline

## Unit Sector

Gas Industry

## Elements and Performance Criteria

### ELEMENTS

Elements describe the essential outcomes.

#### 1 Prepare to enter a work area

### PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

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

**1.1** Work area access permits, clearances and isolation permissions are obtained as required from relevant person/s in accordance with workplace procedures

**1.2** Relevant workplace safety legislation and codes of

practices are identified and applied when entering the work area

- 1.3** Safe work methods for controlling risks are obtained and applied prior to undertaking work activity in accordance with workplace safety procedures
  - 1.4** Isolated plant/machinery and equipment are checked in accordance with workplace procedures
  - 1.5** Tools and equipment required for the work are checked for safety and correct functionality in accordance with workplace procedures and regulatory requirements
- 2 Apply safe working practices**
- 2.1** Workplace safety and environmental risk control measures and workplace procedures are followed
  - 2.2** Workplace safety procedures for workplace emergencies, accidents and fires are followed in accordance with scope of responsibility and capability
- 3 Follow workplace procedures for hazard identification and risk control**
- 3.1** Hazards are identified and control measures implemented and monitored through regular and active participation in the consultation process with employer and other employees
  - 3.2** Unplanned events and newly identified hazards in the work area are reported to relevant person/s in accordance with workplace procedures
  - 3.3** Workplace safety documentation, including incident records, are completed in accordance with regulatory requirements and workplace procedures
  - 3.4** Workplace safety training and directives are followed in accordance with regulatory requirements and workplace procedures

## 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 UEG Gas Industry Training Package Companion Volume Implementation Guide.

## **Unit Mapping Information**

This unit replaces and is equivalent to UEGNSG141 Apply workplace health and safety regulations, codes and practices in the gas supply industry.

## **Links**

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=6a6c032e-ffcb-4f3d-8063-415efbd261e8>