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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with ACM Animal Care and Management Training Package Version 1.0.

Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.

There must be evidence that the individual has managed compliance for a companion animal enterprise and provided high-level technical advice to clients and more junior staff on at least three occasions, including:

- established animal welfare organisation policies and procedures that ensured the organisation is compliant with relevant legislation, regulations and codes of practice
- managed relationships and communicated effectively with a range of stakeholders, including veterinarians, suppliers and relevant industry associations
- maintained accurate records of medication and treatments provided to animals.

Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- principles and practices of managing compliance
- key requirements of legislation relating to animal care and management, including related regulations and codes of practice and their effect on the individual workplace in areas including animal transport and quarantine
- processes and techniques to develop policy and procedures, based on legislation, regulations and codes of practice, for an individual workplace
- scope of animal care and management services and agencies
- standards, guidelines and approaches to environmental sustainability relevant to the animal care industry
- WHS and animal welfare legislative requirements and codes of practice.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of skills must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
 - skills must be demonstrated in a workplace setting or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
- specifications:
 - access to documents such as policies, procedures, processes, forms
 - access to WHS, legislation current WHS, animal welfare legislation and regulations and codes of practice
 - clients/customers.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: - <https://vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=b75f4b23-54c9-4cc9-a5db-d3502d154103>