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Modification History

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1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

Performance Evidence

The candidate must be assessed on their ability to integrate and apply the performance requirements of this unit in an emergency disease or plant pest setting. Performance must be demonstrated consistently over time and in a suitable range of contexts.

The candidate must provide evidence that they can:

- apply standards, guidelines, protocols, and legislation in:
 - planning and amending a control program
 - recording information and disseminating
 - disseminating reports
 - identifying appropriate personnel along lines of communication as part of planning and overseeing an emergency disease or plant pest control program
- plan a control program around identified strategies with input of experts and submit to for approval
- identify declared areas that are within the jurisdiction of the control program
- brief appropriate personnel and organisations/agencies on developments and consequences of emergency disease or plant pest outbreak, and its ongoing management
- implement and monitor control plans utilising information management system and reporting as set out in standards and protocols
- monitor control strategies in use against the intended outcomes, and amend control plans as appropriate
- monitor resource requirements are sufficient to ensure strategies are achieved
- communicate revisions to control strategies and/or plans to appropriate personnel.

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate knowledge of:

- AUSVETPLAN or PLANTPLAN, and other Nationally Agreed Standard Operating Procedures (NASOP), relevant standards, guidelines and protocols and associated manuals
- incident management functions
- phases of a response

- the requirements of relevant commonwealth, state and territory legislation
- strategies for controlling emergency disease or plant pest situations
- support agencies and sources of expertise
- control procedures relevant to the emergency disease or plant pest situation
- project management principles
- consequences and impacts of the outbreak and management controls
- information management system
- processes for monitoring and reviewing control plans, and resource expenditure
- human and physical resources required to implement the control plan
- methods of communicating with stakeholders.

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must satisfy current standards for RTOs.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>