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Release 1	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 6.0.

Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to undertake routine horticultural production work under direct supervision and to support the horticultural production work of others.

The unit applies to individuals who support horticultural production work while working alongside a supervisor, exercising limited autonomy within established and well-known parameters. They identify and seek help with simple problems.

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

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

Unit Sector

Production Horticulture (PHT)

Elements and Performance Criteria

Elements	Performance Criteria
<i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>
1. Prepare materials, tools and equipment for horticultural production work	1.1 Collect required materials, tools and equipment according to lists provided and supervisor instructions 1.2 Check materials, tools and equipment required to carry out routine horticultural production work 1.3 Fit and use personal protective equipment (PPE) applicable to job requirements 1.4 Demonstrate correct manual handling techniques when loading

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	and unloading materials 1.5 Report faulty or unsafe tools, equipment or PPE to supervisor 1.6 Provide horticultural production work support according to work health and safety requirements and supervisor instruction 1.7 Recognise and report workplace hazards to supervisor
2. Undertake horticultural production work as directed	2.1 Follow instructions and directions provided by supervisor, and seek clarification when necessary 2.2 Interact with other staff and customers in a professional manner 2.3 Follow workplace policy and procedures in relation to workplace practices, handling and disposal of materials 2.4 Report problems or difficulties in completing work to required standards or timelines to supervisor
3. Clean up on completion of work	3.1 Store materials and dispose of waste materials according to supervisor instructions 3.2 Clean, maintain and store tools and equipment according to supervisor instructions 3.3 Report work outcomes and malfunctions, faults, wear or damage of tools to supervisor

Foundation Skills

This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.

Skill	Description
Oral communication	- Use clear language to report malfunctions, faults, wear or damage to tools - Participate in verbal exchanges to respond to questions and clarify information

Unit Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHCPHT102 Support horticultural production	AHCPHT101 Support horticultural production	Performance criteria clarified Foundation skills added Assessment requirements updated	Equivalent

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Assessment Requirements for AHCPTH102 Support horticultural production

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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 supported horticultural production work on at least two occasions, and has:

- prepared materials, tools and equipment for horticultural production work
- applied safe work practices
- undertaken routine horticultural production work as directed, including the safe use and operation of farm tools and equipment
- cleaned up and disposed of waste material on completion of work, consistent with environmental and workplace requirements.

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 for supporting production of horticultural crops:
 - planting, picking, packing, loading and transporting techniques support work
 - safe work practices used in horticultural production work
 - use of horticultural tools and equipment, including the safe use and operation of farm tools and equipment
- workplace health and safety requirements and environmental protection legislation applicable to supporting horticultural production.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:

- a workplace setting or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
- resources, equipment and materials:
 - work instructions and workplace procedures applicable to supporting horticultural production work
 - horticultural production materials, tools and equipment
 - personal protective equipment applicable to supporting horticultural production work
- relationships:
 - supervisor, staff and customers
- timeframes:
 - according to job requirements.

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

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