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AMPA2036 Operate sterivac equipment

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Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to operate sterivac equipment.

This unit is applicable to workers operating steam/vacuuming equipment on a slaughter floor or wild game processing establishment.

All work should be carried out to comply with workplace and hygiene requirements.

This unit applies to individuals who work under general supervision, exercise limited autonomy and have some accountability for their own work.

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

This unit must be delivered and assessed in the context of Australian meat processing standards and regulations.

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil.

Unit Sector

Elements and Performance Criteria

Element	Performance criteria
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.
1. Operate sterivac equipment	1.1 Identify contamination to be removed 1.2 Operate sterivac equipment in accordance with workplace requirements 1.3 Operate sterivac equipment to remove contamination in accordance with workplace health and safety requirements 1.4 Identify potential sources of contamination and

Element	Performance criteria
	cross-contamination
2. Clean and maintain sterivac equipment	2.1 Monitor performance of sterivac equipment and report faults either verbally or in writing in accordance with work instructions 2.2 Clean and maintain sterivac equipment to workplace requirements

Foundation Skills

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

Range of Conditions

Unit Mapping Information

This unit is equivalent to MTMP2043C Operate sterivac equipment.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5e2e56b7-698f-4822-84bb-25adbb8443a7>

Assessment Requirements for AMPA2036 Operate sterivac equipment

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Performance Evidence

The candidate must operate sterivac equipment.

The candidate must:

- operate sterivac equipment in accordance with workplace health and safety requirements
- operate sterivac equipment to remove contamination to workplace requirements
- identify contamination to be removed
- remove contamination in accordance with workplace requirements
- maintain sterivac equipment in accordance with workplace requirements
- apply relevant regulatory requirements
- use relevant communication skills

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate a basic factual, technical and procedural knowledge of:

- basic operating principles of pneumatic sterivac equipment
- workplace health and safety issues associated with use of sterivac equipment
- consequences of not removing contamination to workplace requirements
- work instructions for operating the sterivac equipment
- relevant regulatory requirements
- potential sources of contamination and cross-contamination

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of skills must be conducted in an operating plant.

Competency must be assessed at normal chain speed and over a period of time.

As a minimum, the following three forms of assessment must be used:

- quiz of underpinning knowledge
- workplace demonstration
- workplace referee or third-party report of performance over time

Assessors must satisfy the current standards for RTOs.

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