



**Australian Government**

# **AMPP209 Operate the live bird receiptal process**

**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

| Release   | Comments                                                                                |
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| Release 1 | This version released with AMP Australian Meat Processing Training Package Version 5.0. |

## Application

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to receive live poultry at a poultry processing premises.

This unit applies to individuals who work under supervision and are responsible for receiving live birds in a poultry processing environment.

All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures and animal welfare requirements, in accordance with state/territory food safety, work health and safety, and environmental codes, regulations, legislation and standards that apply to the workplace.

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

## Pre-requisite Unit

Nil

## Unit Sector

Poultry processing

## Elements and Performance Criteria

| Elements                                                     | Performance Criteria                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
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| <i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>             | <i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>                                                                                                                                                        |
| 1. Prepare the receiving equipment and process for operation | 1.1 Confirm live bird numbers are available to meet production requirements<br>1.2 Identify and confirm premises are prepared according to work health, safety and hygiene requirements<br>1.3 Identify and fit personal protective clothing and equipment as |

| Elements                                         | Performance Criteria                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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|                                                  | required by workplace safety procedures<br>1.4 Fit and adjust machine components and related attachments according to production requirements<br>1.5 Conduct pre-start checks according to workplace requirements                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 2. Receive birds                                 | 2.1 Inspect and confirm birds against load documentation<br>2.2 Operate equipment used to transfer/convey birds to meet unloading requirements<br>2.3 Monitor equipment to identify variation in operating conditions, and adjust or report variations according to production requirements<br>2.4 Monitor each stage of the process to confirm specifications are met<br>2.5 Identify, rectify or report out-of-specification product or process outcomes<br>2.6 Inspect bird condition, ensure bird comfort, and remove unacceptable birds according to workplace procedures<br>2.7 Manage escaped birds according to workplace requirements<br>2.8 Maintain condition of workplace area to workplace standards |
| 3. Complete the receipt process                  | 3.1 Identify and implement procedures for shutting down the receipt equipment used to transfer/convey birds<br>3.2 Identify and report maintenance requirements according to workplace procedures<br>3.3 Complete workplace records in required format                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |

## 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                                                                                                                                            |
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| Reading | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Interpret standard operating procedures for the bird receipt process</li> </ul>                                 |
| Writing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete records using clear language and industry terminology and according to workplace guidelines</li> </ul> |

| Skill    | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
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| Numeracy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Sequence receipt activities to minimise time between receipt and processing</li><li>Check humidity gauges and ambient temperatures to maintain the receipt environment</li></ul> |

## Unit Mapping Information

| Code and title current version                | Code and title previous version | Comments                                                                | Equivalence status |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| AMPP209 Operate the live bird receipt process | Not applicable                  | Unit has been created to address an emerging skill required by industry | Newly created      |

## Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: - <https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5e2e56b7-698f-4822-84bb-25adbb8443a7>