



Australian Government

Assessment Requirements for AVIW2033 Rappel from a helicopter

Release: 1

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Modification History

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the AVI Aviation Training Package.

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements, performance criteria and range of conditions on at least one occasion and include:

- adapting to differences in equipment and operating environment in accordance with standard operating procedures
- applying organisational tactics, techniques and procedures
- applying precautions and required action to minimise, control or eliminate identified hazards
- approaching and exiting helicopter in a safe manner in accordance with workplace procedures and/or flight crew instructions
- communicating effectively with others
- completing relevant documentation
- conducting rappel, operational and safety equipment individual pre-flight and in-flight checks
- descending landing in a controlled manner in accordance with workplace procedures
- following relevant legislation and workplace procedures
- identifying, operating and controlling rappelling and operational equipment
- implementing contingency plans
- implementing work health and safety (WHS)/occupational health and safety (OHS) procedures and relevant regulations
- maintaining situational awareness when conducting rappelling operations
- modifying activities depending on workplace contingencies, situations and environments
- monitoring and anticipating operational problems and hazards and taking appropriate action
- monitoring work activities in terms of planned schedule
- operating helicopter restraint, safety and emergency equipment
- reading, interpreting and following relevant regulations, instructions, procedures, information and signs
- reporting and/or rectifying identified problems promptly, in accordance with regulatory requirements and workplace procedures
- selecting and using required personal protective clothing and equipment conforming to industry and WHS/OHS standards
- working collaboratively with others
- working systematically with required attention to detail without injury to self, others or damage to goods or equipment.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements, performance criteria and range of conditions and include knowledge of:

- assembly point or marshalling area
- characteristics of helicopters including safety features and operating requirements
- hazards that exist when rappelling from a helicopter
- in a Defence context, relevant Defence Orders and Instructions
- manufacturer instructions for equipment used for rappelling from a helicopter
- problems that may occur when rappelling from a helicopter
- relevant Australian Standards
- relevant information/documents:
 - induction and training materials
 - operations manuals
 - workplace procedures and instructions, and job specification
- relevant legislation, regulations, organisational policy and procedures in relation to rappelling from a helicopter
- relevant WHS/OHS and environmental procedures and regulations
- risks that exist when rappelling from a helicopter
- safety equipment operation.

Assessment Conditions

As a minimum, assessors must satisfy applicable regulatory requirements, which include requirements in the *Standards for Registered Training Organisations* current at the time of assessment.

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Assessment must occur in workplace operational situations. Where this is not appropriate, assessment must occur in simulated workplace operational situations that reflect workplace conditions.

Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.

Resources for assessment must include access to:

- a range of relevant exercises, case studies and/or simulations
- acceptable means of simulation assessment
- applicable documentation including workplace procedures, regulations, codes of practice and operation manuals
- relevant materials, tools, equipment and personal protective equipment currently used in industry.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=4725260a-0af3-4daf-912b-ef1c2f3e5816>