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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version first released with BSB Business Services Training Package Version 5.0.

Performance Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate the ability to complete the tasks outlined in the elements, performance criteria and foundation skills of this unit, and to:

- contribute to monitoring at least three different physical agents or conditions relating to work health and safety (WHS) typically found in the workplace.

During each of these occasions, the candidate must:

- identify regulatory requirements and standards that apply to monitoring physical agents and/or conditions relevant to WHS
- identify context of measurements to be undertaken, including:
 - physical agents and/or conditions to be measured and their characteristics
 - where measurements will be taken
 - area or space available
 - movements of people and equipment, tasks or activities being undertaken, number of persons occupying area, and other factors that may impact on the sampling or data-collection processes and the health and safety of self and others
 - physical features of equipment, such as emitting sources
- prepare and collect WHS data and information
- consult and communicate with individuals and parties regarding monitoring process
- seek expert advice, support and equipment as required.
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Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate the knowledge to complete the tasks outlined in the elements, performance criteria and foundation skills of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- internal and external sources of WHS information and data
- typical physical agents and/or conditions relevant to WHS, including:

- biological agents, such as insects, mites and bacteria
- electricity
- fibres, dusts and particulates
- fumes, mists, gases and vapours
- heat and humidity
- light
- noise
- radiation, including ionising, non-ionising and laser
- vibration
- aspects of WHS laws and standards relevant to using testing equipment and measuring physical agents and/or conditions and how they apply to the organisation
- mode of action of common physical agents and/or conditions on the body and how they produce discomfort and harm
- characteristics, modes of action and units of measurement for major physical agents and/or conditions
- environmental conditions that impact on measurements
- types of measuring and monitoring equipment and techniques for correct and safe use, including limitations on use and output, adjustment, maintenance and any in-built alarms
- personal communication strategies to facilitate engagement with workplace parties and individuals
- organisational policies and procedures for:
 - identifying physical agent and/or condition to be measured
 - determining sampling process and defining a plan
 - checking operability of equipment to ensure it meets organisational and work activity requirements
 - maintaining own health and safety and that of others present during process described in the performance evidence
 - reinstating equipment to pre-use condition, including for dismantling and cleaning equipment and parts
 - storing and re-using equipment
 - retaining results and records.
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Assessment Conditions

Assessment must comply with WHS laws, legal responsibilities and duty of care required for this unit. It must be conducted in a safe environment where evidence gathered demonstrates consistent performance of typical activities undertaken by individuals carrying out WHS duties in the workplace, and must include access to:

- measuring devices and equipment
- workplace equipment and resources
- WHS laws, licensing requirements and standards required to demonstrate the performance evidence

- case studies and, where possible, real situations
- opportunities for interaction with others.

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

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are available from VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=11ef6853-ceed-4ba7-9d87-4da407e23c10>