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CPPWMT3008 Store and monitor contained waste

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Modification History

Release 1 This version first released with CPP Property Services Training Package Release 10.0.

Supersedes but is not equivalent to:

- CPPWMT3017A Store waste.
- CPPWMT3025A Monitor contained waste.

Application

This unit specifies the skills and knowledge required to store and monitor contained waste. It includes assessing waste types and volume to maximise storage space and maintain containment. It also includes monitoring stored waste to check integrity of containment, manage hazards, risks and non-conformances, maintain quality and prevent contamination, spillage and unauthorised access to the facility.

A person who achieves this unit of competency is expected to take responsibility for completing these tasks with a high degree of self-direction.

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

Pre-requisite Unit

Nil.

Unit Sector

Waste management

Elements and Performance Criteria

Elements describe the essential outcomes.

Performance criteria describe what needs to be done to demonstrate achievement of the element.

1 Prepare to store and monitor contained waste.

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| 1.1 | Review job schedule to confirm contained waste storage and monitoring requirements and clarify issues with relevant persons. |
| 1.2 | Review workplace policies and procedures and work health and safety (WHS) requirements for storing and monitoring contained waste and apply to work activities. |

- 1.3 Assess waste types and quantities, and duration of required storage.
 - 1.4 Locate suitable storage area according to workplace and regulatory requirements.
 - 1.5 Ensure signage complies with workplace and regulatory requirements.
 - 1.6 Select, check and use personal protective equipment appropriate for work activities.
 - 1.7 Identify hazards and risks associated with work activities and implement required controls according to workplace WHS requirements.
- 2 Store waste.
 - 2.1 Check area to confirm it is fit for purpose and meets waste storage requirements.
 - 2.2 Store waste, ensuring compatibility of waste types according to workplace and regulatory requirements.
 - 2.3 Stack, place or decant waste to maximise storage space.
 - 2.4 Conduct regular checks to ensure integrity of containment.
 - 2.5 Contain, secure and cover stored waste to maintain waste quality and prevent contamination or spillage.
 - 2.6 Place correct and visible signage to identify regulated or prescribed waste according to regulatory requirements.
 - 2.7 Record details of stored waste according to workplace and regulatory requirements.
- 3 Monitor contained waste.
 - 3.1 Check area to confirm the absence of contamination and that it is secure from unauthorised access.
 - 3.2 Monitor stored waste to check integrity of containment according to workplace requirements.
 - 3.3 Use testing equipment to test facility area and waste containment following manufacturer instructions.
 - 3.4 Conduct waste stocktake and confirm compliance with

workplace and regulatory requirements.

- 3.5 Document monitoring and testing results for contained waste according to workplace and regulatory requirements.

Foundation Skills

This section describes the language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills essential to performance in this unit but not explicit in the performance criteria:

- numeracy skills to measure and calculate waste volumes [cubic metres (m³)] against available storage space.

Unit Mapping Information

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Assessment Requirements for CPPWMT3008 Store and monitor contained waste

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Performance Evidence

To demonstrate competency, a candidate must meet the performance criteria of this unit by:

- storing and monitoring contained waste according to job schedule on two separate occasions, and on each occasion:
 - identifying two potential hazards in the storage area and implementing required controls using the hierarchy of risk control
 - identifying one non-conformance associated with stored waste.

Knowledge Evidence

To be competent in this unit, a candidate must demonstrate knowledge of:

- legislative and procedural requirements applicable to storing and monitoring contained waste and relevant to the workplace:
 - Australian standards and codes of practice
 - commonwealth, state and territory legislation and regulations in the state or territory of operation, including work health and safety (WHS)
 - classifications of dangerous goods and hazardous substances
 - dangerous goods storage
 - environmental protection
 - licence requirements for facility
- compatibilities of waste types, including regulated or prescribed waste
- methods for checking the integrity of waste containment, including checks for:
 - contamination
 - drum expansion
 - gases
 - leaching
 - leaks

- seals
- spillage
- unstable form
- methods for containing and securing stored waste
- physical properties of waste:
 - density
 - quality
 - shape
 - size
 - volume
 - weight
- safe decanting practices for flammable liquids
- signage requirements for stored regulated or prescribed waste
- types of equipment used when testing contained waste and facility
- typical hazards associated with stored waste and monitoring activities
- waste types
- waste non-conformances and signs of contamination
- workplace policies and procedures for storing and monitoring contained waste:
 - documentation and reporting
 - stock control
 - waste containment, signage and labelling requirements, including labelling of dangerous goods
 - WHS:
 - emergency response
 - hazard identification, risk assessment and control using the hierarchy of control
 - injury, dangerous occurrence and incident response and reporting
 - personal protective equipment.

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must meet the requirements for assessors contained in the Standards for Registered Training Organisations.

Assessment must be conducted in the workplace or in a simulated workplace environment using realistic workplace conditions, materials, activities, responsibilities, procedures, safety requirements and environmental considerations.

Candidates must have access to workplace policies and procedures, job schedules and documentation, waste types, equipment and facility required to achieve the performance evidence.

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