



Australian Government

HLTPOP002 Monitor and maintain sewage systems

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version was released in <i>HLT Health Training Package release 3.0</i> and meets the requirements of the 2012 Standards for Training Packages. Merged HLTPOP216D/HLTPOP217D. Significant changes to the elements and performance criteria. New evidence requirements for assessment, including volume and frequency requirements. Significant change to knowledge evidence.

Application

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to identify the basic way in which sewage systems function and the strategies needed to maintain sewage systems in the community.

This unit applies to work in a public health context and workers at this level will work under supervision and within defined guidelines.

Plumbing work must only be performed by a person authorised by registration or licence granted by the relevant State or Territory regulatory authority under legislation.

The skills in this unit must be applied in accordance with Commonwealth and State/Territory legislation, Australian/New Zealand standards and industry codes of practice.

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENT

PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

Elements define the essential outcomes.

Performance criteria specify the level of performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.

1. Identify potential problems and faults with sewage systems in the community

1.1 Identify components of the sewage system in the community

1.2 Check for signs of contamination and identify potential problems that can occur with sewage systems and household plumbing and fixtures, including septic tanks

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2. Monitor and maintain the sewage system

- 2.1 Identify strategies required to prevent the transmission of disease through sewage disposal
- 2.2 Develop and implement a work plan in relation to the identified strategies in conjunction with supervisor
- 2.3 Report any difficulties or problems to supervisor in accordance with organisation policy and procedure
- 2.4 Refer any problems or difficulties that are outside own area of responsibility or expertise to appropriate people or agencies

Foundation Skills

The Foundation Skills describe those required skills (language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills) that are essential to performance.

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

Unit Mapping Information

No equivalent unit

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=ced1390f-48d9-4ab0-bd50-b015e5485705>