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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version was released in <i>HLT Health Training Package release 2.0</i> and meets the requirements of the 2012 Standards for Training Packages. Significant changes to the elements and performance criteria. New evidence requirements for assessment, including volume and frequency requirements. Significant change to knowledge evidence. Removed prerequisite.

Performance Evidence

The candidate must show evidence of the ability to complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit, manage tasks and manage contingencies in the context of the job role. There must be evidence that the candidate has:

- followed established procedures, work processes and national standards for the inspection, assembly, packaging and labelling of reusable medical devices on at least 3 occasions
- operated and monitored equipment on at least 3 occasions, including illuminated magnifier
- completed accurate quality assurance documentation
- addressed relevant work health and safety, infection control and manual handling requirements
- identified and responded to routine process and maintenance problems and variations

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must be able to demonstrate essential knowledge required to effectively complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit, manage tasks and manage contingencies in the context of the work role. This includes knowledge of:

- packaging in relation to client safety, and implications of negligence
- existence and basic requirements of AS/NZS 4187, and its role in packaging
- features of inspection and test equipment and processes, including:
 - air guns
 - lighted magnification
 - heat sealer

- height adjustable work stations
- insulation testing
- labelling systems
- instrument checklists
- wrapping and packaging materials and techniques:
 - relationship of sterile barrier systems and wrapping material to sterilisation method used
 - sealing materials
 - single use and reusable sterile barrier systems
 - rigid reusable container systems
- classes of chemical indicators
- identification and traceability systems
- performance qualification for packaging
- features of quality assurance documentation
- safe work practices in the sterilisation work area:
 - manual task risk factors and how to control for them
 - infection control
 - personal hygiene

Assessment Conditions

Skills must have been demonstrated in the workplace or in a simulated environment that reflects workplace conditions. The following conditions must be met for this unit:

- use of suitable facilities, equipment and resources, including:
 - wrapping and packaging materials
 - heat sealing equipment
 - sterile barriers systems
 - reusable medical devices:
 - personal hygiene hair ware
 - quality assurance documentation
 - procedures to be followed by the candidate
- modelling of industry operating conditions, including:
 - speed and timing requirements for the checking and packaging process
 - presence of situations requiring problem solving

Assessors must satisfy the Standards for Registered Training Organisations (RTOs) 2015/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors

Links

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