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Assessment Requirements for MEM23151 Commission and optimise performance of HVACR systems

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Modification History

Release 1. Supersedes and is equivalent to MEM23151A Commission and optimise performance of HVACR systems.

Performance Evidence

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

- identifying and interpreting drawings and system specifications and commissioning requirements appropriate to the task
- implementing work health and safety (WHS) procedures and practices including the use of risk control measures
- devising a commissioning schedule and plan
- setting up and documenting commissioning tests on at least two occasions
- commissioning of HVACR systems on at least two occasions
- communicating technical and procedural requirements to others
- dealing with unexpected situations
- documenting technical information and designs in accordance with procedures.

Note: Where a volume and/or frequency is not specified, demonstration must be provided at least once.

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate the required knowledge for this unit must be relevant to and satisfy the requirements of the elements and performance criteria and include knowledge of:

- WHS requirements
- appropriate personnel to consult
- fundamentals of HVACR systems, plant and equipment including:
 - air systems
 - hydronic systems
 - control systems
 - chillers
 - boilers and furnaces
 - cooling towers
 - heat exchangers
 - piping

- ducts
- plant and equipment commissioning techniques and procedures including:
 - set up
 - measuring and testing
 - fault-finding
 - adjustments
 - reporting and documenting
 - commissioning schedules
- environmental requirements
- organisational procedures
- resource and equipment requirements.
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Assessment Conditions

- Assessors must:
 - have vocational competency in commissioning and optimising performance of HVACR systems at least to the level being assessed with relevant industry knowledge and experience
 - satisfy the assessor requirements in the *Standards for Registered Training Organisations 2015 or its replacement* and comply with the *National Vocational Education and Training Regulator Act 2011*, its replacement or equivalent legislation covering VET regulation in a non-referring state/territory as the case requires.
- Where possible assessment must occur in operational workplace situations. Where this is not possible or where personal safety or environmental damage are limiting factors, assessment must occur in a sufficiently rigorous simulated environment that reflects realistic operational workplace conditions that cover all aspects of workplace performance, including environment, task skills, task management skills, contingency management skills and job role environment skills.
- Conditions for assessment must include access to all tools, equipment, materials and documentation required including relevant workplace procedures, product and manufacturing specifications.
- 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.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are available on VETNet -
<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=b7050d37-5fd0-4740-8f7d-3b7a49c10bb2>