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Assessment Requirements for POLINV003 Manage incident scenes

Release: 2

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Modification History

Release 2. Modifications have been made to:

- Unit Application
- Elements and Performance Criteria
- Performance and Knowledge Evidence

Release 1. These Assessment Requirements were released in POL Police Training Package release 1.0 and meet the Standards for Training Packages.

- Assessment Requirements created drawing upon specified assessment information from superseded unit

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria on at least one occasion and include:

- defining and securing incident scenes, both primary and secondary
- preserving life, property and evidence at incident scene through the identification of risk factors
- controlling persons and suspects at incident, including searching, separating and securing them
- communicating with and managing witnesses and victims
- coordinating stakeholders to manage, process and rehabilitate incident scene
- identifying specialist support services required at incident scene
- managing information for planning, recording and reporting purposes
- applying investigative techniques to collect information and evidence, including investigative interviewing
- handling and preserving continuity of evidence
- examining evidence, with consideration of work health and safety (WHS)/occupational health and safety (OHS)
- referring relevant persons to external services for support and wellbeing purposes
- coordinating the return, disposal and storage of evidence.

Knowledge Evidence

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

- organisational and policy context in which incident scenes are managed and investigated

- judicial and evidentiary requirements
- jurisdictional processes for the collection, preservation and continuity of evidence
- investigation techniques
- capabilities, powers and authorities of services external to policing
- risk factors associated with incident scenes, both tactical and environmental

Assessment Conditions

As a minimum, assessors must satisfy applicable regulatory requirements, which include requirements in the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

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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.

Assessment must occur in workplace operational situations. Where this is not appropriate, assessment must occur in simulated workplace operational situations that reflect workplace conditions.

Resources for assessment must include access to:

- a range of relevant exercises, case studies and/or other simulations
- relevant and appropriate materials, tools, equipment and personal protective equipment (PPE) currently used in industry
- applicable documentation, including workplace procedures, regulations, codes of practice and operation manuals
- acceptable means of simulated assessment.

Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=98c3984e-2cf1-48a8-8ed1-85e4b92e7351>