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PSPBDR001 Conduct patrols

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Modification History

Release	Comments
1	This unit was released in PSP Public Sector Training Package release 1.0 and meets the Standards for Training Packages. This unit supersedes and is equivalent to PSPBORD301A Conduct patrols. • Unit code updated • Content and formatting updated to comply with the new standards • All PC transitioned from passive to active voice

Application

This unit describes the skills required to undertake all patrol functions, excluding marine. It includes preparing to patrol, conducting the patrol, gathering and reporting information, and reporting on and reviewing patrol activities.

This unit applies to those working in border protection roles.

The skills and knowledge described in this unit must be applied within the legislative, regulatory and policy environment in which they are carried out. Organisational policies and procedures must be consulted and adhered to.

Those undertaking this unit would work supervising a team, performing routine tasks in a range of contexts.

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

Competency Field

Border protection

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
Elements describe the essential outcomes	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element. Where bold italicised text is used, further information is detailed in the range of conditions section.

1. Prepare to patrol	1.1 Explain the purpose and objectives of the patrol to relevant personnel. 1.2 Identify the legislation, regulations, policies and guidelines under which the patrol is to be conducted. 1.3 Confirm the powers of officers under the legislation and apply correctly. 1.4 Plan the patrol operation to suit its objectives. 1.5 Identify equipment, other resources and the need for assistance that may be required for the purposes of the patrol. 1.6 Identify any risks to the health and safety of officers involved in the patrol and take into account within the plan.
2. Conduct the patrol	2.1 Undertake patrol activities. 2.2 Record patrol actions, findings and outcomes.
3. Gather and report information	3.1 Use initiative to identify possible information. 3.2 Record information accurately. 3.3 Report information accurately.
4. Report on and review patrol activities	4.1 Record and disseminate outcomes of patrol activities. 4.2 Evaluate the outcomes, procedures and processes used within the patrol. 4.3 Identify and action improvements to procedures and processes.

Foundation Skills

Foundation skills are embedded within the elements and performance criteria of this unit.

Unit Mapping Information

This unit supersedes and is equivalent to PSPBORD301A Conduct patrols.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet - <https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=bebbece7-ff48-4d2c-8876-405679019623>

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Assessment Requirements for PSPBDR001 Conduct patrols

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1	These Assessment Requirements were released in PSP Public Sector 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 must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the candidate must demonstrate evidence of performance of the following on at least one occasion.

- conducting a thorough patrol in line with legal and policy requirements
- selecting and using equipment that meets the purposes of the patrol
- identifying and addressing work health and safety and environmental risks associated with conducting the patrol
- recording and reporting information
- communicating with diverse audiences, conveying sometimes complex information orally and in writing

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the depth of knowledge demonstrated must be appropriate to the job context of the candidate.

- Australian legal framework as it applies to the conduct of patrols
- enabling and allied legislation
- policy, procedures, guidelines, protocols and standard operating procedures
- jurisdictional and organisational values/ethics and codes of conduct
- the organisation's corporate planning cycle and risk management policy and practices
- confidentiality, privacy and security issues
- equity and diversity principles
- work health and safety and environment legislation, policies and guidelines relating to the conduct of patrols
- communication systems relevant to the workplace including communications network and radio protocols

- risk assessment techniques
- equipment operation, usage and maintenance procedures
- reporting procedures
- evidence handling and storage
- profiles and trends
- workplace and industry environment

Assessment Conditions

This unit contains no specific industry-mandated assessment conditions. Guidance on suggested and recommended conditions and methods can be found in the Implementation Guide.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

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