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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with RGR Racing and Breeding Training Package Version 2.0.

Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency in this unit must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria of this unit. There must be evidence that the individual has assessed the driving or riding skills of at least three licence or registration applicants, including for each:

- reviewed requirements and selected the appropriate organisational assessment tool to assess the licence or registration applicant for class of application
- observed and recorded the applicant's ability to:
 - adhere to safe work practices
 - select and fit nominated gear correctly
 - demonstrate application of safe control of horses in harness or under saddle
 - demonstrate driving or riding skills applicable to class of application
- made assessment decision and recommendation for licence or registration application based on evidence collected in assessment process
- followed organisational procedures for recording information and advising applicant of outcome.

Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- governing authority's licence or registration requirements for driving or riding for nominated class and relationship to the rules of racing for relevant code
- governing authority's performance requirements and tools for assessing applicants, covering:
 - safe horse handling and controlling techniques in harness or under saddle
 - use of approved gear, including correct fit and adjustment
 - ability to start a race or trial without hindering horse's progress
- role of evidence and using objective measurements when assessing applicants
- principles of effective communication when giving instructions and providing feedback

- ethical conduct standards of relevant governing authority
- horse behaviour, body language and communication traits and safe handling and controlling techniques
- types of remedial action to recommend to unsuccessful applicants
- racing industry requirements, including:
 - animal welfare requirements and signs of animal health, ill health, injury and diseases
 - work health and safety relevant to animal handling and control
- organisational procedures for processing outcomes of licence or registration assessment process.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of skills must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
 - safe handling areas, such as stables, training and racetracks
- resources, equipment and materials:
 - a range of standardbred or thoroughbred horses
 - materials and equipment relevant to assessing individual's ability to assess licence or registration applicants' driving or riding skills
- specifications:
 - work instructions and related documentation.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet - <https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5c4b8489-f7e1-463b-81c8-6ecce6c192a0>