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Release 1	This version released with SFI Seafood Industry Training Package Version 1.0.

Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.

There must be evidence that the individual has assisted in controlling common predators or pests on at least one occasion, including:

- detecting and reporting actual and potential predator or pest problems
- communicating with supervisor on work instructions for control activities
- preparing and using the required equipment for predator or pest control, including personal protective equipment
- assisting with installing or repairing and maintaining predator or pest control structures
- using the appropriate disposal methods for wastes and mortalities
- completing accurate records on predator or pest control observations
- maintaining work area and equipment after control tasks.

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:

- gross signs and symptoms of predator and pest infestation of cultured or held stock
- potential effects of predators or pests on cultured or held stock
- habitats and behaviour of main predators and pests
- hygiene risks associated with predator and pest control
- types of structures and equipment options to control predators and pests
- requirements relating to disposing of mortalities and waste
- workplace procedures for tasks associated with controlling predators and pests
- safe work practices in context of controlling pests and predators.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of skills must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
 - skills must be demonstrated in an aquaculture workplace or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
- resources, equipment and materials:
 - equipment to install, erect, repair and maintain predator or pest control structures
 - personal protective equipment
 - culture or holding structures that contain stock threatened by actual and/or potential predators or pests
 - data or recording sheets
- specifications:
 - instructions and workplace procedures for controlling predators and pests
- relationships:
 - evidence of interactions with supervisor.

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=e31d8c6b-1608-4d77-9f71-9ee749456273>