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Assessment Requirements for UEP OPS024

Coordinate first response team operation

Release: 1

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Modification History

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the UEP Electricity Supply Industry - Generation Sector Training Package Release 2.0.

Performance Evidence

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

- applying emergency and evacuation techniques and procedures
- applying work health and safety (WHS)/occupational health and safety (OHS) requirements, including:
 - risk control measures
 - safe working practices
 - personal protective equipment (PPE)
- classifying fires and emergencies
- communicating with personnel and external organisations and agencies during an emergency
- cooperating with emergency services personnel
- coordinating workplace first response team
- evaluating emergency incidents
- evaluating first response plans and team outcomes
- identifying potential hazards
- identifying roles and responsibilities, including teamwork
- implementing regulations, legislative requirements, codes of practice, manufacturers' recommendations and specifications, and environmental requirements
- locating power generating plant and equipment
- preparing first responder emergency equipment for operation
- reporting outcomes of first response team
- responding to emergency incidents
- utilising emergency plans.

Knowledge Evidence

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

- classification of fires and emergencies

- communication with personnel and external agencies
- emergency plans
- emergency responses
- equipment for first response tasks, including emergency warning signs
- evaluation of outcomes
- regulations, legislative requirements, codes of practice, manufacturers' recommendations and specifications, and environmental requirements
- power generating plant and equipment, location and operating parameters
- power generating plant status
- role and responsibilities of emergency services
- role of the first response team and its members
- WHS/OHS requirements, including:
 - risk control measures
 - safe working practices
 - Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- workplace documentation
- workplace policies and procedures.

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must hold credentials specified within the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

Assessment must satisfy the Principles of Assessment and Rules of Evidence and all regulatory requirements included within the Standards for Registered Training Organisations current at the time of assessment.

Assessment must occur in workplace operational situations where it is appropriate to do so; where this is not appropriate, assessment must occur in simulated workplace operational situations that replicate workplace conditions.

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.

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 PPE currently used in industry
- applicable documentation, including workplace procedures, equipment specifications, regulations, codes of practice and operation manuals.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=1715b9fa-e7bd-441c-bb8d-cf22c9c825a8>