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Release: 2

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Modification History

Release 2. This is the second release of this unit in the Electricity Supply Industry - Generation Sector Training Package. The following modification has been made:

- UEPOPS210 Conduct first response within a workplace team deleted due to zero enrolment.

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the UEP Generation Training Package.

Performance Evidence

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

- 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 including use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- classifying fires and emergencies
- communicating with personnel and external organisations and/or 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 team work
- implementing legislation, industry standards, codes of practice and regulations
- implementing safety procedures
- 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, performance criteria and range of conditions and includes 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
- legislation, industry standards, codes of practice and regulations
- potential hazards
- power generating plant and equipment, its 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 legislated requirements including:
 - risk control measures
 - safe working practices including use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- workplace documentation
- workplace policies and procedures

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 currently used in industry
- applicable documentation including workplace procedures, industry standards, 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>