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Trainer/assessor guide

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Welcome to this unit of study

This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to conduct work health and safety (WHS) risk management processes.

It applies to individuals who manage WHS risks, based on the organisation's WHS management system (WHSMS), WHS information system (WHSIS) and risk-management approach (as covered in BSBWHS503 Contribute to the systematic management of WHS risk). These individuals will work in a range of WHS roles across all industries and apply a substantial knowledge base and well-developed skills in a wide variety of WHS contexts.

NOTE: The terms 'occupational health and safety' (OHS) and 'work health and safety' (WHS) are equivalent and generally either can be used in the workplace. In jurisdictions where the Model WHS Legislation has not been implemented RTOs are advised to contextualise the unit of competency by referring to the existing State/Territory OHS legislative requirements.

It may be undertaken as:

- » part of a formal qualification nationally recognised through the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF)
- » a stand alone unit
- » part of a formal skill set

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About this trainer/assessor guide

Learning resource

The learning resource is divided into the following topics:

- » Access information and data on WHS hazards and risk management
- » Prepare to manage WHS risks
- » Develop and implement WHS risk-management processes

Each topic provides information to help you gain the skills and knowledge required to perform the work tasks to which they refer. Read the information and practise the skills described. You should also take the opportunity to undertake additional independent research. Your trainer/assessor may also provide supplementary information including interpretation of the contents of this resource.

At the end of each topic is:

- » a set of true or false questions
- » a set of multiple choice questions

These questions provide an opportunity to check your understanding and progress. They are self-marking and do not form part of the assessment for the unit.

Assessment workbook

To have this unit recognised as a formal qualification you need to have your skills and knowledge assessed. The assessment workbook provides:

- » information on competency-based assessment
- » instructions on how you will be assessed
- » assessment tools to assess your competence
- » instructions on how to complete the assessment tasks within each assessment tool

To be assessed as competent you need to provide evidence that you have the skills and knowledge to undertake the requirements of this unit. This assessment of competency is made by a qualified trainer/assessor from a registered training organisation. You must complete all the assessments as directed by your trainer/assessor to the required standard. It is not necessary to work through the guide in the order in which it is written. However this is at the discretion of your trainer/assessor.

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