

Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with ACM Animal Care and Management Training Package Version 5.0.

ACM50X21	Diploma of Equine Management																
<p>Qualification Description</p> <p>This qualification reflects the role of individuals who work in a management capacity in a small to medium sized equine establishment or who function as part of a management team in a larger equine establishment. Individuals in these roles have a high degree of autonomy and manage staff, horses and operations in a range of equine workplaces which may include performance horse or sport establishments, agistment centres, and coaching/riding centres or similar.</p> <p>No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.</p>																	
<p>Entry Requirements</p> <p>Prior to commencing this qualification, individuals must have the skills and knowledge to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> interact with and safely handle a range of horses of different classes, life stages and different temperaments provide husbandry care in an equine workplace work independently and within a team apply and communicate solutions to predictable and at times unpredictable problems relating to people, horses and job role in an equine workplace make judgements on routine activities and contingency measures relating to safe work practices and interactions with horses, and animal welfare principles. <p>These skills and knowledge may have been acquired through completion of a Certificate III or higher qualification involving horses or through industry experience in an equine workplace.</p>																	
<p>Packaging Rules</p> <p>To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 14 units of competency: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8 core units plus 6 elective units. <p>Elective units must ensure the integrity of the qualification's Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) alignment and contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome. The electives are to be chosen as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 from electives listed below up to 2 from the electives listed below and/or from any currently endorsed Training Package or accredited course. 																	
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Elective Units

An asterisk (*) next to the unit code indicates that there are prerequisite requirements which must be met when packaging the qualification. Please refer to the Prerequisite requirements table for details.

Group A Horse management

ACMAIM402	Develop a large animal incident response plan for an organisation
ACMEQU4XX	Manage equine tack, equipment and gear (new unit TBC)
ACMEQU4X5	Manage selection of horse for new or inexperienced handler
ACMPHR4X4 (recode AQF5)	Manage international opportunities for performance horses
ACMPHR406 (AQF5?)	Manage the presentation of young horses
ACMPHR502	Manage horse health using selected therapies
ACMPHR5X3	Evaluate horse conformation and physical condition (redesigned unit)
ACMPHR505	Manage fitness in performance horses
AHCWRK509 OR BSBOPS505 OR BSBOPS404	Provide specialist advice to clients OR Manage organisational customer service OR Implement customer service strategies
ACMPHR4X9 (recode AQF5) OR SISOEQU015*	Select horses based on analysis of pedigree and conformation (revised title - previously Analyse performance horse pedigrees) OR Acquire and educate horses for sport or recreational programs

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Links to TGA
<https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/AHCWRK509>
<https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/BSBOPS505>
<https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/BSBOPS404>

Group B Farm management

ACMHBR504 (recode EQU)	Manage horse pastures
AHCAGB512	Plan and manage infrastructure
AHCAGB513	Develop a farm plan
AHCLSK413	Design livestock handling facilities
AHCMOM402	Supervise maintenance of property machinery and equipment
AHCMOM501	Manage machinery and equipment
AHCNAR506	Develop and implement sustainable land use strategies
AHCWRK510	Audit site operations
BSBSUS411	Implement and monitor environmentally sustainable work practices (319 RTOs with unit on scope)

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AHCWRK511 Develop workplace policy and procedures for sustainability (53 RTOs with unit on scope)
OR
ACMSUS401 Implement and monitor environmentally sustainable work practices (27 RTOs with unit on scope)
OR
BSBSUS511 Develop workplace policies and procedures for sustainability (171 RTOs with unit on scope)

Group C Stud management (breeding)

AHCAIS401	Supervise artificial breeding or embryo transfer programs
AHCLSK416	Identify and select animals for breeding
RGRHBR505	Carry out stud stable management duties
RGRHBR404*	Oversee care and supervise staff raising young horses
RGRHBR504	Manage horse breeding operations

Group D General (business)

AHCBUS516 OR BSBESB401	Develop and review a business plan OR Research and develop business plans
AHCWRK504	Assess new industry developments
AHCWRK512	Plan, implement and review a quality assurance program
BSBOPS404	Implement customer service strategies
BSBHRM415	Coordinate recruitment and onboarding
BSBLDR521	Lead the development of diverse workforces

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<https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/AHCBUS516>
<https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/BSBESB401>

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BSBLDR522	Manage people performance
BSBPEF501	Manage personal and professional development
BSBTWK401	Build and maintain business relationships
HLTAID011	Provide first aid
SISXEMR002	Coordinate emergency responses
SITEEVT010	Manage on-site event operations

Prerequisite requirements

Units listed in the Prerequisite requirement column that have their own prerequisite requirements are shown with an asterisk (*)

Unit of competency	Prerequisite requirement
ACMEQU202 Handle horses safely	ACMEQU205 Apply knowledge of horse behaviour (<i>likely to be removed</i>)
RGRHBR404 Supervise staff raising young horses	ACMEQU202 Handle horses safely*
SISOEQU015 Acquire and educate horses for sport or recreational programs	SISOEQU001 Handle horses SISOEQU010 Identify hazards, assess and control safety risks for horse handling and riding activities

Qualification Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
ACM50X21 Diploma of Equine Management	ACM50417 Diploma of Performance Horse Management	Title changed Core units updated Electives grouped, and elective units added and removed	Not equivalent

Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet:
<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=b75f4b23-54c9-4cc9-a5db-d3502d154103>