Modification history

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| Release | Comments |
| Release 1 | This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 8.0. |

| AHCWRK1X1 | Maintain the workplace |
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| Application | This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to maintain a range of work areas, including preparing tools, equipment and machinery, maintaining a clean and safe workplace and maintaining structures and workplace surroundings.  All work is carried out to comply with workplace procedures.  The unit applies to individuals who maintain the workplace while working alongside a supervisor, exercising limited autonomy within established and well known parameters. They identify and seek help with simple problems.  All work is carried out to comply with workplace procedures, health and safety in the workplace requirements.  No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication. |
| Prerequisite Unit | Nil |
| Unit Sector | Work (WRK) |

| Elements | Performance Criteria |
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| Elements describe the essential outcomes. | Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element. |
| 1. Prepare and use tools, equipment and machinery | 1.1 Collect required materials, tools and equipment according to lists provided and supervisor instructions  1.2 Fit and use personal protective equipment (PPE) as directed by supervisor  1.3 Use correct manual handling techniques as instructed  1.4 Check and report insufficient, faulty or unsafe materials, tools, equipment and PPE to supervisor  1.5 Recognise and report workplace hazards and risks to supervisor  1.6 Confirm communication channels with supervisor |
| 2. Maintain a clean and safe workplace | 2.1 Confirm location of services with the supervisor  2.2 Sweep, wash and treat floors, benches and other flat work surfaces according to supervisor instructions  2.3 Clean and store materials, tools and equipment according to supervisor instructions  2.4 Store, recycle or dispose of waste material and debris according to supervisor instructions  2.5 Recognise and report workplace hazards to supervisor  2.6 Apply sustainability practices relevant to workplace and activity |
| 3. Assist with maintenance of structures and workplace surroundings | 3.1 Confirm maintenance requirements of structures and workplace surroundings with supervisor  3.2 Maintain structures and workplace surroundings with supervisor  3.3 Report damage and deterioration of structures to supervisor |

| Foundation Skills  This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria. | |
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| Skill | Description |
| Numeracy | * Calculate work hours and quantities of cleaning materials, measure volumes of cleaning agents and estimate areas |
| Oral communication | * Use clear language and standard industry terminology to report malfunctions, faults, wear or damage to tools * Participate in verbal exchanges to respond to questions and clarify information |

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| Unit Mapping Information | | | |
| Code and title current version | Code and title previous version | Comments | Equivalence status |
| AHCWRK1X1 Maintain the workplace | AHCWRK101 Maintain the workplace | Minor changes to application  Minor changes to performance criteria  Foundation skills added  Major and minor edits to performance and knowledge evidence and assessment conditions | Not equivalent |

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| TITLE | Assessment requirements for AHCWRK1X1 Maintain the workplace |
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| 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 maintained the workplace on at least one occasion, and has:   * followed workplace health and safety practices, including fitted and used personal protective equipment (PPE) * followed instructions * read and followed workplace notices, workplace safety signs, symbols and labels * communicated effectively with supervisor. | |

| Knowledge Evidence |
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| 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:   * the effect of outdoor climatic conditions which may prevent or impede maintenance activities * the relationship between specific maintenance activities and the external environment * workplace health and safety hazards risks, and work health and safety symbols, signs and practices relevant to area of work. |

| Assessment Conditions |
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| Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:   * physical conditions: * a workplace setting or an environment that accurately represent workplace conditions * resources, equipment and materials: * PPE applicable to maintaining the workplace * materials, tools and equipment applicable to maintaining the workplace * workplace notices, workplace safety signs, symbols and labels relevant to area of work * relationships: * supervisor.   Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards. |

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