AHC404XX Certificate IV in Horticulture

Modification History

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

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Qualification Description

This qualification describes the skills and knowledge for supervisory job roles in the horticulture industry.

Individuals with this qualification will perform tasks involving technical skills and supervisory skills to operate, monitor and improve performance of horticultural systems and projects, and may supervise staff.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication. **Entry Requirements**

To commence this qualification, individuals must have completed a Certificate III or higher qualification relating to horticulture or an allied industry.

Packaging Rules

To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in:

- 12 units of competency:
 - 4 core unit plus
 - 8 elective units.

Elective units must ensure the integrity of the qualification's Australian Qualification Framework (AQF) alignment and contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome. The electives are to be chosen as follows:

- 4 units must be from group A
- 2 units must be from groups A or B
- 2 units must be from the remaining units listed in groups A or B, or any currently endorsed Training Package or accredited course.

Core Units

AHCPCM406	Develop a soil health and plant nutrition program
AHCPGD404	Plan a plant establishment program
AHCWHS4X1	Maintain workplace health and safety processes
AHCWRK4X5	Implement and monitor environmentally sustainable work practices

Elective Units

Group A

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AHCBUS407	Cost a project	
AHCBUS408	Operate within a budget framework	
AHCBUS4X10	Report on a project	
AHCCHM405	Plan and implement a chemical use program	
AHCIRG437	Schedule irrigations	
AHCLSC404	Supervise landscape project works	
AHCMOM402	Supervise maintenance of property, machinery and	
	equipment	
AHCPCM404	Recommend plants and cultural practices	
AHCPGD403	Design plant displays	
AHCPMG409	Implement a pest management plan	
AHCTRF403	Develop a sports turf maintenance program	
AHCWRK4X3	Supervise work routines and staff performance	
BSBHRM415	Coordinate recruitment and onboarding	

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AHCCHM403	Prepare safe operating procedures for calibration of		
	equipment		
AHCCHM404	Develop procedures to minimise risks in the use of chemicals		
AHCECR402	Plan the implementation of revegetation works		
AHCIRG442	Supervise irrigation system installation		
AHCNSY403	Plan a growing-on program		
AHCNSY404	Plan a propagation program		
AHCORG403	Manage organic soil improvement		
AHCPMG401	Implement the pest monitoring and evaluation plan		
AHCSOL406	Sample soils and interpret results		
AHCTRF404	Plan and implement sports turf renovation		
AHCWRK4X1	Implement quality assurance procedures		
AHCWRK4X6	Develop community networks		
BSBTEC401	Design and produce complex text documents		
CUAACD313	Produce technical drawings		
TLIR4002	Source goods/services and evaluate contractors		

Qualification Mapping Information					
Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status		
AHC404XX Certificate IV in Horticulture	AHC40416 Certificate IV in Horticulture	Updated to meet standards for Training Packages Entry requirements added to qualification Revised packaging rules to better reflect outcomes Revised and increased core units by 3 units Added electives group A and B, added, removed and updated elective units	Not equivalent		

Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72