Modification history

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| Release | Comments |
| Release 1 | This version released with AMP Australian Meat Processing Training Package Version 8.0. |

| AMPCOM4X1 | Build productive and effective workplace relationships |
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| Application | This unit describes the skills and knowledge required to develop, maintain and model positive workplace relationships. Effective workplace relationships contribute to a productive working environment and minimise conflict and disruption.  This unit applies to individuals who work as first line managers, including supervisors and team leaders, working in a meat processing context. In this role, workers take responsibility for their own work and the work of others and provide and communicate solutions to a range of predictable and sometimes unpredictable problems.  All work must be carried out to comply with workplace procedures, in accordance with state/territory health and safety, food and meat safety regulations, legislation and standards that apply to the workplace.  No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication. |
| Prerequisite Unit | Nil |
| Unit Sector | Communication (COM) |

| 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. Develop trust and confidence | 1.1 Treat team members and colleagues and customers with integrity and respect  1.2 Use workplace, ethical and business standards to develop and maintain positive relationships  1.3 Gain and maintain trust and confidence of colleagues, customers and suppliers through competent and consistent performance  1.4 Adjust interpersonal styles and methods to the social and cultural environment |
| 2. Build and maintain networks and relationships | 2.1 Use business networking opportunities to identify and build relationships  2.2 Engage with business contacts using written and verbal communication to promote business opportunities  2.2 Provide identifiable benefits for the team and organisation through networks and other work relationships with stakeholders |
| 3. Gather and present information and ideas relevant to the job | 3.1 Utilise information from a range of sources to fulfil workplace responsibilities and to develop and refine alternative processes and solutions  3.2 Use written and oral communication strategies to meet the of the audience, including those from diverse backgrounds  3.3 Use written and oral communication strategies to keep relevant personnel informed about enterprise or department directions and activities  3.4 Provide clear and unambiguous guidance and direction to others, consistent with workplace responsibilities  3.5 Seek and value input from internal and external sources when developing and refining new ideas and approaches |
| 4. Manage difficulties to achieve positive outcomes | 4.1 Identify and analyse problems and take action to rectify them with minimal disruption to performance  4.2 Ensure colleagues receive guidance and support to resolve their work difficulties  4.3 Use pro-active strategies to manage individual performance in accordance with workplace processes  4.4 Manage conflict constructively in accordance with workplace processes  4.5 Negotiate difficult situations to achieve results which are acceptable to participants and also meet organisational and legislative requirements |

| 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 |
| Learning | * Observe and respect workplace confidentiality requirements and individual's privacy requests * Reflect on own actions and attitudes and recognise their impact on colleagues * Maintain currency of knowledge through independent research or professional development * Locate and evaluate information from a range of sources, using a range of available resources including the internet and journals |
| Reading | * Sources and analyses information to build networks and relationships that consistently promote business opportunities |
| Writing | * Uses vocabulary and layout suitable to the audience to convey ideas and information * Uses digital tools to interact with others |
| Oral Communication | * Mentor and counsel individuals and teams, within workplace procedures * Monitor and diffuse potential conflicts and disputes, applying a range of strategies including the enterprise’s established procedures * Provide direction, instruction and guidance in ways that encourage cooperation * Acknowledge and discuss alternative suggestions and viewpoints |

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| Unit Mapping Information | | | |
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| AMPCOM4X1 Build productive and effective workplace relationships | AMPX412 Build productive and effective workplace relationships | Unit code updated.  Elements reordered.  Performance criteria clarified.  Foundation skills added.  Performance Evidence, Knowledge evidence and Assessment Conditions revised. | Equivalent |

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| TITLE | | Assessment requirements for AMPCOM4X1 Build productive and effective workplace relationships |
| 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 built and maintained a productive and effective business relationship with at least two different individuals, including for each:   * built the relationship using written and oral communication * identified ways to improve the relationship * managed difficulties to achieve positive outcomes. | | |

| 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 impact of enterprise social, ethical and business standards on workplace relationships * factors that influence workplace relationships, including cultural and social characteristics, past experiences and industrial approaches * networks and other sources of information that could assist in developing workplace relationships and building own knowledge and expertise * strategies for building networks * conflict resolution strategies * effective communication methods. |

| Assessment Conditions |
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| Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:   * physical conditions: * skills must be demonstrated in a meat processing workplace or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions * resources, equipment and materials: * communication tools and equipment * reporting and monitoring systems * specifications: * human resources policies and procedures * relationships: * interactions with work team, colleagues and customers.   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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