
Overview

This standard is about your ability to conform to the general safety and security arrangements in your area of work. It includes safe working practices, hazard and risk identification, compliance with relevant requirements, awareness of personal responsibilities and behaviour.

This standard can apply to anyone working in the extractives and minerals processing environment.

Performance criteria

- You must be able to:*
- P1 identify hazards and risks associated with the work activity and environment
 - P2 report and record hazards and risks to an authorised person
 - P3 comply with all health and safety legislation and regulations applicable to the work activity and environment
 - P4 adhere to all statutory or organisational safety notices and warning signs displayed in the work area
 - P5 use personal protective equipment provided for the work activity and the work environment
 - P6 maintain a clean and tidy work environment
 - P7 comply with and maintain organisational workplace security arrangements
 - P8 carry out activities according to **approved policies, procedures and practices**

Knowledge and understanding

You need to know and understand:

- K1 the hazards and risks associated with the work activity and working environment
- K2 the methods of reporting and recording hazards and risks
- K3 the causes of accidents, incidents and ill health in the working environment
- K4 arrangements for reporting accidents and incidents
- K5 the first aid arrangements in the workplace
- K6 organisational emergency procedures
- K7 safety notices and warning signs applicable to the work activity and working environment
- K8 why and when personal protective equipment should be used
- K9 the personal protective equipment applicable to the work activity and working environment
- K10 the types of fire extinguishers and how each are used
- K11 the principles of safe manual handling
- K12 the requirements for housekeeping in the work area
- K13 how equipment is used and stored
- K14 the security arrangements for the workplace
- K15 the **approved policies, procedures and practices** associated with the work activity and working environment

Additional Information

Scope/range

- 1 **approved policies, procedures and practices;** legislative, organisational, operational, health and safety, accident, emergency, first aid, security as applicable to the work activity and working environment

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