#### DEMONSTRATE OCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PRACTICES

UNIT CODE: AQ/OS/AT/BC/07/4/A

## **UNIT DESCRIPTION**

This unit specifies the competencies required to practice safety and health, and comply with OSH requirements relevant to work

## ELEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

| ELEMENT  | PERFORMANCE CRITERIA   |
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| These describe the key outcomes which make up                              | These are assessable statements which specify the required level of performance for each of the elements.  |
| workplace function.  | Bold and italicized terms are elaborated in the Range  |
| Observe workplace     procedures for hazards     and risk prevention       | 1.1 Arrangement of work area and items in accordance with     Company housekeeping procedures is followed     1.2 Work standards and procedures are followed   |
|  | <ul> <li>1.3 Prevention and control measures, including use of safety gears/PPE are applied</li> <li>1.4 Standards and procedures for incidents and emergencies are studied and applied, as needed</li> </ul>  |
| 2. Participate in arrangements for workplace safety and health maintenance | <ul> <li>2.1 Orientations on <i>OSH requirements/regulations</i> of tasks is participated</li> <li>2.2 Feedback on health, safety, and security concerns are provided to appropriate personnel as required in a sufficiently detailed manner.</li> <li>2.3 Workplace procedures for reporting hazards, incidents, injuries and sickness are practiced</li> <li>2.4 OSH requirements/ regulations and workplace safety and hazard control procedures are reviewed, and compliance reported to appropriate personnel, as needed</li> <li>2.5 Needed <i>OSH-related trainings</i> are identified and proposed to appropriate personnel</li> </ul> |

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# **RANGE**

This section provides work environments and conditions to which the performance criteria apply. It allows for different work environments and situations that will affect performance.

| Variable  | Range  |
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| Prevention and control measures may include but are not limited to:   | <ul> <li>Eliminate the hazard (i.e., get rid of the dangerous machine</li> <li>Isolate the hazard (i.e. keep the machine in a closed room and operate it remotely; barricade an unsafe area off)</li> <li>Substitute the hazard with a safer alternative (i.e., replace the machine with a safer one)</li> <li>Use administrative controls to reduce the risk (i.e. give</li> <li>trainings on how to use equipment safely; OSH-related</li> <li>topics, issue warning signages, rotation/shifting work</li> <li>schedule)</li> <li>Use engineering controls to reduce the risk (i.e. use safety guards to machine)</li> <li>Use personal protective equipment</li> <li>Safety, Health and Work Environment Evaluation</li> <li>Periodic and/or special medical examinations of workers</li> </ul> |
| Safety gears /PPE     (Personal     Protective     Equipment's) may     include but are not     limited to: | <ul> <li>Arm/Hand guard, gloves</li> <li>Eye protection (goggles, shield)</li> <li>Hearing protection (ear muffs, ear plugs)</li> <li>Hair Net/cap/bonnet</li> <li>Hard hat</li> <li>Face protection (mask, shield)</li> <li>Apron/Gown/coverall/jump suit</li> <li>Anti-static suits</li> <li>High-visibility reflective vest</li> </ul>  |

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| Incidents and emergencies may include but are not limited to:                  | <ul> <li>Chemical spills</li> <li>Equipment/vehicle accidents</li> <li>Explosion</li> <li>Fire</li> <li>Gas leak</li> <li>Injury to personnel</li> <li>Structural collapse</li> <li>Toxic and/or flammable vapors emission.</li> </ul>  |
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| OSH requirements     / regulations may     include but are not     limited to: | <ul><li>Building code</li><li>Permit to Operate</li></ul>   |
| OSH-related trainings may include but are not limited to:                      | <ul> <li>Safety Orientations relevant to tasks</li> <li>Safe and Correct Operation of Tools and Equipment</li> <li>Health Orientations/trainings (Healthy Lifestyle, Prevention of drug/alcohol dependence, violence in the workplace, work-stress)</li> <li>Prevention and Control of OSH Hazards in the workplace</li> <li>Chemical Handling</li> <li>Safety Trainings (Fire Safety, Construction Safety, Confined Space)</li> <li>Prevention and Control of Work-related Injuries and Illness</li> <li>Basic First-aid Trainings</li> <li>Emergency Response Trainings</li> <li>Trainings on use of fire-extinguisher</li> </ul> |

# REQUIRED SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

This section describes the skills and knowledge required for this unit of competency.

## **Required Skills**

The individual needs to demonstrate the following skills:

- Communication Skills
- Knowledge management
- Collaborating skills
- Interpersonal Skills

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- Troubleshooting skills
- Critical thinking Skills
- Observation Skills

### Required Knowledge

The individual needs to demonstrate knowledge of:

- General OSH principles and legislations
- Principles of good housekeeping (5S)
- Company/workplace policies/ guidelines
- Standards and safety requirements of work process and procedures
- Standard Workplace emergency plan and procedures
- Safety and health requirements of tasks
- Workplace guidelines on providing feedback on OSH and security concerns
- OSH regulations
- Hazard control procedures
- OSH trainings relevant to work

#### **EVIDENCE GUIDE**

This provides advice on assessment and must be read in conjunction with the performance criteria, required skills and knowledge and range.

| 1. Critical Aspects | Assessment requires evidence that the candidate:  |
|---------------------|---|
| of Competency       | 1.1 Follows work and housekeeping procedures, and complies  |
|                     | with its requirements   |
|                     | 1.2 Follows work standards and procedures   |
|                     | 1.3 Applies OSH preventive and control measures, including emergency plan, standards and procedures |
|                     | 1.4 Participates in orientations on OSH requirements of tasks                                       |
|                     | 1.5 Provides feedback on health, safety, and security concerns                                      |
|                     | in a sufficiently detailed manner.  |
|                     | 1.6 Practices workplace procedures for reporting hazards,   |
|                     | incidents, injuries and sickness  |
|                     | 1.7 Reviews and reports compliance to workplace OSH   |
|                     | regulations and hazard control procedures   |
|                     | 1.8 Identifies and proposes OSH trainings relevant to work  |
| 2. Resource         | The following resources should be provided:   |
| Implications        |   |

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|                            | 2.1 Facilities, materials tools and equipment necessary for the activity |
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| 3. Methods of              | Competency in this unit may be assessed through:                         |
| Assessment                 | 3.1 Observation/Demonstration with oral questioning                      |
|                            | 3.2 Third party report   |
|                            | 3.3 Written exam   |
| 4. Context of              | Competency may be assessed on the job, off the job or a                  |
| Assessment                 | combination of these. Off the job assessment must be undertaken          |
|                            | in a closely simulated workplace environment.                            |
| 5. Guidance                | Holistic assessment with other units relevant to the industry sector,    |
| information for assessment | workplace and job role is recommended.                                   |
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