BACK-OFFICE MANAGEMENT

UNIT CODE: BUS/CU/BF/CR/08/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Manage Back Office

Duration of Unit: 200 Hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to manage back office. It involves processing employee salary, managing suspense account, managing asset register, managing office stationery, managing bank voucher, performing data clean up and managing customer account.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Process employee salary
- 2. Manage suspense account
- 3. Manage asset register
- 4. Manage office stationery
- 5. Manage bank voucher
- 6. Perform data clean up
- 7. Manage customer account

Learning Outcomes, Content and Suggested Assessment Methods

Learning Outcome	Content	Suggested
	253	Assessment Methods
1. Process employee	Salary	Written tests
salary	• Process	 Observation
	Validation of business	 Oral questions
	customer details	 Third party
	o Image	report
	o Signature	
	 Account balance 	
	Verification of employee	
	details.	
	Importance of verification of	
	employee details	
	Requirement for salary	
	processing\	
	Costs involved with salary	
	processing.	
2. Manage suspense	• Suspense	Written tests

account	 Importance of managing suspense accounts Types of suspense accounts The need for suspense accounts in banks. Risks associated with suspense account Retrieval of suspense report. Reconciliation and reversal of suspense items 	 Observation Oral questions Third party report
3. Manage asset register	 Asset register Different types of assets found in a bank. Importance of maintaining asset registers Process of marking assets Details to capture in asset register Depreciation of assets Disposal of asset Repair of assets 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
4. Manage office stationery	 Stationery Types of stationeries needed in a bank. Importance of managing stationeries. Reorder level Acquisition of stationeries. Disposal of obsolete stationeries Stationery cost management. Maintenance of the stationery room. Storage of stationeries Different methods of arranging stationeries. 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report

	• Retrieval of stationeries.	
5. Manage bank voucher	 Voucher Types of vouchers Importance of managing vouchers. Ticking of vouchers. Storage of vouchers. Retrieval of vouchers Disposal of obsolete vouchers. Voucher confidentiality. 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
6. Perform data clean up	 Data Types of data in a bank Importance of cleaning data. Process of cleaning different types of data. Customer data confidentiality. Importance of maintaining confidentiality. 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
7. Manage customer account	 Accounts Importance of managing accounts. Requirements for different types of accounts. Dormant accounts. Handling of dormant accounts. Risks associated with dormant accounts. Zero balance accounts. Effects of the zero balance accounts. Handling the zero balance accounts. Overdrawn accounts. 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report

Handling of overdrawn	
accounts.	
 Customer data 	
confidentiality.	
• Importance of maintaining	
confidentiality.	

Suggested Methods of Instruction

- Project
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Discussions
- Direct instruction
- Simulation
- On job training

Recommended Resources

- Writing materials
- Projector
- Computer
- Flip Chart/white board