

COMPETENCY BASED CURRICULUM

FOR

CHILD PROTECTION

LEVEL 6



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FOREWORD

The provision of quality education and training is fundamental to the Government's overall strategy for social economic development. Quality education and training will contribute to achievement of Kenya's development blueprint and sustainable development goals.

Reforms in the education sector are necessary for the achievement of Kenya Vision 2030 and meeting the provisions of the Constitution of Kenya 2010. The education sector had to be aligned to the Constitution and this resulted to the formulation of the Policy Framework for Reforming Education and Training. A key feature of this policy is the radical change in the design and delivery of TVET training. This policy document requires that training in TVET be competency based, curriculum development be industry led, certification be based on demonstration of competence and mode of delivery allows for multiple entry and exit in TVET programmes.

These reforms demand that Industry takes a leading role in curriculum development to ensure the curriculum addresses its competence needs. It is against this background that this curriculum has been developed.

It is my conviction that this curriculum will play a great role towards development of competent human resource for Child protection sector's growth and development.

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PREFACE

Kenya Vision 2030 aims to transform the country into a newly industrializing, "middle-income country providing a high-quality life to all its citizens by the year 2030". Kenya intends to create a globally competitive and adaptive human resource base to meet the requirements of a rapidly industrializing economy through life-long education and training. TVET has a responsibility of facilitating the process of inculcating knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary for catapulting the nation to a globally competitive country, hence the paradigm shift to embrace Competency Based Education and Training (CBET).

The Technical and Vocational Education and Training Act No. 29 of 2013 on Reforming Education and Training in Kenya, emphasized the need to reform curriculum development, assessment and certification. This called for a shift to CBET to address the mismatch between skills acquired through training and skills needed by industry as well as increase the global competitiveness of Kenyan labour force.

TVET Curriculum Development, Assessment and Certification Council (TVET CDACC) in conjunction with Child protection Sector Skills Advisory Committee (SSAC) have developed this curriculum.

This curriculum has been developed following the CBET framework policy; the CBETA standards and guidelines provided by the TVET Authority and the Kenya National Qualification Framework designed by the Kenya National Qualification Authority.

This curriculum is designed and organized with an outline of learning outcomes; suggested delivery methods, training/learning resources and methods of assessing the trainee's achievement. The curriculum is competency-based and allows multiple entry and exit to the course.

I am grateful to the Council Members, Council Secretariat, Child protection SSAC, expert workers and all those who participated in the development of this curriculum.

CHAIRPERSON TVET CDACC

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This curriculum has been designed for competency-based training and has independent units of learning that allow the trainee flexibility in entry and exit. In developing the curriculum, significant involvement and support was received from various organizations.

I recognize with appreciation the role of the Child protection Sector Skills Advisory Committee (SSAC) in ensuring that competencies required by the industry are addressed in the curriculum. I also thank all stakeholders in Child protection sector for their valuable input and all those who participated in the process of developing this curriculum.

I am convinced that this curriculum will go a long way in ensuring that workers in Child protection Sector acquires the competencies that will enable them to perform their work more efficiently and effectively.

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ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

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CBET Competency-Based Education and Training

CDACC Curriculum Development, Assessment and Certification Council

CP Child Protection

CU Curriculum

EMCA Environmental Management Co-ordination Act

EMS Environmental Management Systems

ICT Information Communication Technology

NEMA National Environment Management Authority

OSH Occupational Safety and Health

SOPs Standard Operating Procedures

SW Social Work

TVET Technical and Vocational Education and Training

KEY TO UNIT CODE

SW/CU/CP/BC/01/6/A

Industry or sector

Curriculum

Occupational area

Type of competency

Competency number

Competency level

Control version

COURSE OVERVIEW

Child Protection Officer level 6 qualification consists of competencies that a person must achieve to enable him/her to effectively discharge Child Protection works and contributes towards meeting Child rights policy requirements. It involves managing child welfare programmes, carrying out community-based child protection strategies, coordinating child rights policy enforcement, carrying out case management, providing psycho-social support, managing child abuse cases and managing children placement centre.

The units of competency leading to Child Protection Officer Level 6 qualification include the following units of Learning:

Basic Units of Learning

Unit Code	Unit Title	Duration	Credit factor
		in Hours	
SW/CU/CP/BC/01/6/A	Communication Skills	40	4
SW/CU/CP/BC/02/6/A	Numeracy Skills	60	6
SW/CU/CP/BC/03/6/A	Digital Literacy	60	6
SW/CU/CP/BC/04/6/A	Entrepreneurship	100	10
	Education		
SW/CU/CP/BC/05/6/A	Employability Skills	80	8
SW/CU/CP/BC/06/6/A	Environmental Literacy	40	4
SW/CU/CP/BC/07/6/A	Occupational Safety And	40	4
	Health Practices		
	Total	420	42

Core Units of Learning

Unit Code	Unit Title	Duration in	Credit
		Hours	factor
SW/CU/CP/CR/01/6/A	Management Of Child Welfare	220	22
	Programmes		
SW/CU/CP/CR/02/6/A	Community-Based Child	210	21
	Protection Strategies		
SW/CU/CP/CR/03/6/A	Child Rights Enforcement	210	21
SW/CU/CP/CR/04/6/A	Case Management	230	23
SW/CU/CP/CR/05/6/A	Psycho-Social Support	200	20
SW/CU/CP/CR/06/6/A	Management Of Child Abuse	210	21
	Cases		

SW/CU/CP/CR/07/6/A	Management Of Children	240	24
	Placement Centre		
SW/CU/CP/CR/08/6/A	Industrial Attachment	480	48
Total		2000	200
Grand total		2420	242

The total duration of the course for an average trainee is 2420 hours, which is equivalent to 80 weeks at 30 hours of learning per week, including 480 hours (12 weeks) of field attachment.

Entry Requirements

An individual entering this course should have any of the following minimum requirements:

a) Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE) mean grade C- (minus)

Or

b) Certificate Level 5 in a related course

Or

c) Equivalent qualifications as determined by Kenya National Qualifications Authority (KNQA)

Industrial attachment

An individual enrolled in this course will undergo a field attachment for a duration of 480 hours which is equivalent to 12 weeks at 40 hours per week in a Child rights firm/organization. The trainee can also be attached in various government institutions which relates to child protection. This includes but not limited to departments of children's services.

Trainer qualification

A trainer for this course should have a higher qualification than the level of this course **Assessment**

The course will be assessed at two levels:

Internal assessment: conducted continuously by the trainer (internal assessor) who is monitored by an accredited internal verifier.

External assessment: conducted by an accredited external assessor who is monitored by an accredited external verifier?

The assessors and verifiers are accredited by TVET CDACC, which also coordinates external assessment.

Certification

An individual will be awarded a Certificate of Competency on demonstration of competence in a unit of competency. To be awarded National Certificate in child protection Level 6, an individual must demonstrate competence in all the units of competency.

TVET CDACC will award these certificates in conjunction with the training provider.



BASIC UNITS OF LEARNING

COMMUNICATION SKILLS

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/BC/01/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate Communication Skills

Duration of Unit: 40 hours

Unit Description

This unit covers the competencies required to demonstrate communication skills .It involves, meeting communication needs of clients and colleagues; developing communication strategies, establishing and maintaining communication pathways, conducting interviews, facilitating group discussion and representing the organization.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Meet communication needs of clients and colleagues
- 2. Develop communication strategies
- 3. Establish and maintain communication pathways
- 4. Promote use of communication strategies
- 5. Conduct interview
- 6. Facilitate group discussion
- 7. Represent the organization

Learning Outcomes, Content and Methods of Assessment

Learning Outcome	Content Methods of Assessment	
Meet communication needs of clients and colleagues	 Communication process Modes of communication Medium of communication Effective communication Barriers to communication Flow of communication Sources of information Organizational policies Organization requirements for written and electronic communication methods Report writing 	InterviewWritten texts

	 Effective questioning techniques (clarifying and probing) Workplace etiquette Ethical work practices in handling communication Active listening Feedback Interpretation Flexibility in communication Types of communication strategies Elements of communication strategy 	
2. Develop communication strategies	 Dynamics of groups Styles of group leadership Openness and flexibility in communication Communication skills relevant to client groups 	InterviewWritten texts
3. Establish and maintain communication pathways	Types of communication pathways	InterviewWritten texts
4. Promote use of communication strategies	 Application of elements of communication strategies Effective communication techniques 	InterviewWritten texts
5. Conduct interview	 Types of interview Establishing rapport Facilitating resolution of issues Developing action plans 	InterviewWritten texts
6. Facilitate group discussion	 Identification of communication needs Dynamics of groups Styles of group leadership Presentation of information 	InterviewWritten texts

	•	Encouraging group members participation Evaluating group communication strategies		
7. Represent the organization	•	Presentation techniques Development of a presentation Multi-media utilization in presentation Communication skills relevant to client groups	•	Interview Written texts

Suggested Methods of Instruction

- Discussion
- Role playing
- Simulation
- Direct instruction

Recommended Resources

- Desktop computers/laptops
- Internet connection
- Projectors
- Telephone

NUMERACY SKILLS

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/BC/02/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate Numeracy Skills.

Duration of Unit: 60 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required to demonstrate numeracy skills. It involves applying a wide range of mathematical calculations for work; applying ratios, rates and proportions to solve problems; estimating, measuring and calculating measurement for work; using detailed maps to plan travel routes for work; using geometry to draw and construct 2D and 3D shapes for work; collecting, organizing and interpreting statistical data; using routine formula and algebraic expressions for work and using common functions of a scientific calculator.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Apply a wide range of mathematical calculations for work
- 2. Apply ratios, rates and proportions to solve problems
- 3. Estimate, measure and calculate measurement for work
- 4. Use detailed maps to plan travel routes for work
- 5. Use geometry to draw and construct 2D and 3D shapes for work
- 6. Collect, organize and interpret statistical data
- 7. Use routine formula and algebraic expressions for work
- 8. Use common functions of a scientific calculator

Learning Outcomes, Content and Methods of Assessment

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
Apply a wide range of mathematical calculations for work	 Fundamentals of mathematics Addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of positive and negative numbers Algebraic expressions 	Written testsAssignmentsSupervised exercises

2. Apply ratios, rates and proportions to solve problems	 manipulation Forms of fractions, decimals and percentages Expression of numbers as powers and roots Rates, ratios and proportions Meaning Conversions into percentages Direct and inverse proportions determination Performing calculations Construction of graphs, charts and tables Recording of information 	 Written tests Assignments Supervised exercises
3. Estimate, measure and calculate measurement for work	 Units of measurements and their symbols Identification and selection of measuring equipment Conversion of units of measurement Perimeters of regular figures Areas of regular figures Volumes of regular figures Carrying out measurements Recording of information 	 Assignments Supervised exercises Written tests
4. Use detailed maps to plan travel routes for work	 Identification of features in routine maps and plans Symbols and keys used in routine maps and plans Identification and interpretation of orientation of map to North Demonstrate understanding of direction and location Apply simple scale to estimate length of objects, or distance 	WrittenPractical test

	to location on chicat
	to location or object
	Give and receive directions
	using both formal and
	informal language
	• Planning of routes
	 Calculation of distance, speed
	and time
5. Use geometry to	Identify two dimensional
draw and	shapes and routine three
construct 2D	dimensional shapes in
and 3D shapes	everyday objects and in
for work	different orientations
	Explain the use and
	application of shapes
	Use formal and informal
	mathematical language and
	symbols to describe and
	compare the features of two
	dimensional shapes and
	routine three dimensional
	shapes
	Identify common angles
	Estimate common angles in
	everyday objects
	Evaluation of unknown angles
	Use formal and informal
	mathematical language to
	describe and compare
	common angles
	Symmetry and similarity
	Use common geometric instruments to draw two
	instruments to draw two
	dimensional shapes
	Construct routine three
	dimensional objects from
	given nets

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6. Colle	ect.	Classification of data	• Assignments
	nize and		AssignmentsSupervised
inter		Grouped data	exercises
-	stical data	Ungrouped data Data as lighting.	
Statis	oticui data	Data collection	Written tests
		• Observation	
		• Recording	
	•	Distinguishing between sampling	
		and census	
	•	Importance of sampling	
	•	Errors in sampling	
	•	Types of sampling and their	
		limitations e.g.	
		 Stratified random 	
		 Cluster 	
		 Judgmental 	
	•	Tabulation of data	
		 Class intervals 	
		 Class boundaries 	
		 Frequency tables 	
		 Cumulative frequency 	
	•	Diagrammatic and graphical	
		presentation of data e.g.	
		 Histograms 	
		 Frequency polygons 	
		Bar charts	
		• Pie charts	
		 Cumulative frequency 	
		curves	
		Interpretation of data	
7. Use 1	routine •	Solving linear equations	Assignments
form	ula and •	Linear graphs	 Supervised
algel	oraic	• Plotting	exercises
expre	essions for	Interpretation	Written tests
work	•	Applications of linear graphs	
		Curves of first and second	
		degree	
		Plotting	
		- I louing	

	Interpretation	
8. Use common functions of a scientific calculator	Identify and use keys for common functions on a calculator	WrittenPractical test
	Calculate using whole numbers, money and routine decimals and percentages	
	Calculate with routine fractions and percentages	
	Apply order of operations to solve multi-step calculations	
	Interpret display and record result	

Suggested Methods of Instruction

- Group discussions
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practical work by trainee
- Exercises

Recommended Resources

- Calculators
- Rulers, pencils, erasers
- Charts with presentations of data
- Graph books
- Dice

DIGITAL LITERACY

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/BC/02/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate Digital Literacy

Duration of Unit: 60 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes competencies required to demonstrate digital literacy. It involves in identifying computer software and hardware, applying security measures to data, hardware, software in automated environment, computer software in solving task, internet and email in communication at workplace, desktop publishing in official assignments and preparing presentation packages.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify computer software and hardware
- 2. Apply security measures to data, hardware, software in automated environment
- 3. Apply computer software in solving tasks
- 4. Apply internet and email in communication at workplace
- 5. Apply desktop publishing in official assignments
- 6. Prepare presentation packages

Learning Outcomes, Content and Methods of Assessment

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of
		Assessment
1. Identify computer	Concepts of ICT	• Written tests
hardware and	 Functions of ICT 	 Oral
software	History of computers	presentation
	Components of a computer	
	 Classification of computers 	
2. Apply security	Data security and control	Written tests
measures to data,	 Security threats and control 	 Oral
hardware, software	measures	presentation
in automated	Types of computer crimes	 Project

	environment	 Detection and protection against computer crimes Laws governing protection of ICT 	
3.	Apply computer software in solving tasks	 Operating system Word processing Spread sheets Data base design and manipulation Data manipulation, storage and retrieval 	 Oral questioning Project
4.	Apply internet and email in communication at workplace	 Computer networks Network configurations Uses of internet Electronic mail (e-mail) concept 	Oral questioningWritten report
5.	Apply desktop publishing in official assignments	 Concept of desktop publishing Opening publication window Identifying different tools and tool bars Determining page layout Opening, saving and closing files Drawing various shapes using DTP Using colour pellets to enhance a document Inserting text frames Importing and exporting text Object linking and embedding Designing of various publications Printing of various publications 	 Oral questioning Written report Project

6. Prepare presentation	Types of presentation	• Oral
packages	packages	questioning
	 Procedure of creating slides 	Written report
	 Formatting slides 	 Project
	 Presentation of slides 	
	• Procedure for editing objects	

Suggested Methods of Instruction

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practical work by trainee
- Viewing of related videos
- Project
- Group discussions

Recommended Resources

- Computers
- Printers
- Storage devices
- Internet access

ENTREPRENEURIAL SKILLS

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/BC/04/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate Entrepreneurial Skills

Duration of unit: 100 hours

Unit Description

This unit covers the competencies required to demonstrate understanding of entrepreneurship. It involves demonstrating understanding of an entrepreneur, entrepreneurship and self-employment. It also involves identifying entrepreneurship opportunities, creating entrepreneurial awareness, applying entrepreneurial motivation and developing business innovative strategies.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Demonstrate understanding of who an entrepreneur
- 2. Demonstrate knowledge of entrepreneurship and self-employment
- 3. Identify entrepreneurship opportunities
- 4. Create entrepreneurial awareness
- 5. Apply entrepreneurial motivation
- 6. Develop business innovative strategies
- 7. Develop Business plan

Learning Outcomes, Content and Methods of Assessment

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1. Demonstrate knowledge of entrepreneurshi p and self-employment	 Importance of self-employment Requirements for entry into self-employment Role of an Entrepreneur in business Contributions of Entrepreneurs to National development Entrepreneurship culture in 	 Individual/group assignments Projects Written tests Oral questions Third party report
2. Identify entrepreneurshi p opportunities	 Business ideas and opportunities Sources of business ideas Business life cycle Legal aspects of business Assessment of product demand Business environment Factors to consider when evaluating business environment Technology in business 	 Individual/group assignments Projects Written tests Oral questions Third party report Interviews
3. Create entrepreneurial awareness	 Forms of businesses Sources of business finance Factors in selecting source of business finance Governing policies on Small Scale Enterprises (SSEs) Problems of starting and operating SSEs 	 Individual/group assignments Projects Written tests Oral questions Third party report Interviews

4. Apply entrepreneurial motivation 5. Develop business innovative strategies	 Internal and external motivation Motivational theories Self-assessment Entrepreneurial orientation Effective communications in entrepreneurship Principles of communication Entrepreneurial motivation Innovation in business Small business Strategic Plan Creativity in business development Linkages with other entrepreneurs ICT in business growth and development 	 Case studies Individual/group assignments Projects Written tests Oral questions Third party report Interviews Case studies Individual/group assignments Projects Written tests Oral questions Third party report Interviews
6. Develop Business Plan	 Business description Marketing plan Organizational/Management plan Production/operation plan Financial plan Executive summary Presentation of Business Plan 	 Case studies Individual/group assignments Projects Written tests Oral questions Third party report Interviews

Suggested Methods of Instruction

- Direct instruction
- Project
- Case studies
- Field trips
- Discussions
- Demonstration

- Question and answer
- Problem solving
- Experiential
- Team training

Recommended Resources

- Case studies
- Business plan templates
- Computers
- Overhead projectors
- Internet
- Mobile phone
- Video clips
- Films
- Newspapers and Handouts
- Business Journals
- Writing materials

EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/BC/05/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate Employability Skills

Duration of Unit: 80 hours

Unit Description

This unit covers competencies required to demonstrate employability skills. It involves conducting self-management, demonstrating interpersonal communication, critical safe work habits, leading a workplace team, planning and organizing work, maintaining professional growth and development, demonstrating workplace learning, problem solving skills and managing ethical performance.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Conduct self-management
- 2. Demonstrate interpersonal communication
- 3. Demonstrate critical safe work habits
- 4. Lead a workplace team
- 5. Plan and organize work
- 6. Maintain professional growth and development
- 7. Demonstrate workplace learning
- 8. Demonstrate problem solving skills
- 9. Manage ethical performance

Learning Outcomes, Content and Methods of Assessment

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1. Conduct self-	• Self-awareness	Written tests
management	 Formulating personal 	Oral questioning
	vision, mission and goals	 Interviewing
	 Strategies for overcoming 	Portfolio of evidence
	life challenges	Third party report
	 Managing emotions 	
	Emotional intelligence	

	Assertiveness versus	
	1 Issertiveness versus	
	aggressiveness	
	• Expressing personal	
	thoughts, feelings and beliefs	
	Developing and Developing and Developing and Developing and	
	maintaining high self-	
	esteem	
	Developing and	
	maintaining positive self-	
	image	
	• Setting performance	
	targets	
	Monitoring and evaluating	
	performance	
	Articulating ideas and	
	aspirations	
	Accountability and	
	responsibility	
	• Good work habits	
	• Self-awareness	
	• Values and beliefs	
	Self-development	
	 Financial literacy 	
	 Healthy lifestyle practices 	
	 Adopting safety practices 	
2. Demonstrate	 Meaning of interpersonal 	 Written tests
interpersonal	communication	 Oral questioning
communication	 Listening skills 	 Interviewing
	 Types of audience 	 Portfolio of evidence
	 Public speaking 	 Third party report
	 Writing skills 	
	 Negotiation skills 	
	 Reading skills 	
	 Meaning of empathy 	
	• Understanding customers'	
	needs	
	necus	

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3. Demonstrate critical safe work habits	 Establishing communication networks Assertiveness Sharing information Stress and stress management Time concept Punctuality and time consciousness Leisure Integrating personal objectives into organizational objectives Resources mobilization Resources utilization Setting work priorities Developing healthy relationships HIV and AIDS Drug and substance abuse Managing emerging issues 	 Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Portfolio of evidence Third party report
4. Lead a workplace team	 Leadership qualities Power and authority Team building Determination of team roles and objectives Team parameters and relationships Individual responsibilities in a team Forms of communication Complementing team activities Gender and gender mainstreaming Human rights Developing healthy 	 Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Portfolio of evidence Third party report

5. Plan and organize work	relationships Maintaining relationships Conflicts and conflict resolution Coaching and mentoring skills Functions of management Planning Organizing Time management Decision making concept Task allocation Developing work plans Developing work goals/objectives and deliverables Monitoring work activities Evaluating work activities Resource mobilization Resource allocation Resource utilization Proactive planning Risk evaluation Problem solving Collecting, analysing and	 Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Portfolio of evidence Third party report
	Collecting, analysing and organising informationNegotiation	
6. Maintain professional growth and development	 Avenues for professional growth Training and career opportunities Assessing training needs Mobilizing training resources Licenses and certifications for professional growth and development 	 Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Portfolio of evidence Third party report

7. Demonstrate workplace learning	 Pursuing personal and organizational goals Managing work priorities and commitments Recognizing career advancement Managing own learning Mentoring Coaching Contributing to the learning community at the workplace Cultural aspects of work Networking Variety of learning context Application of learning Safe use of technology Taking initiative/proactivity Flexibility Identifying opportunities Generating new ideas Workplace inpovation 	 Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Portfolio of evidence Third party report
8. Demonstrate problem solving skills	 Generating new ideas Workplace innovation Performance improvement Managing emerging issues Future trends and concerns in learning Critical thinking process Data analysis tools Decision making Creative thinking Development of creative, innovative and practical solutions Independence in identifying and solving problems 	 Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Portfolio of evidence Third party report

	Solving problems in teamsApplication of problemsolving strategies	
	Testing assumptionsResolving customer concerns	
9. Manage ethical performance	 Meaning of ethics Ethical perspectives Principles of ethics Ethical standards Organization code of ethics Common ethical dilemmas Organization culture Corruption, bribery and conflict of interest Privacy and data protection Diversity, harassment and mutual respect Financial responsibility/accountability Etiquette Personal and professional integrity Commitment to jurisdictional laws Emerging issues in ethics 	 Written tests Oral questioning Interviewing Portfolio of evidence Third party report

Suggested Methods of Instruction

- Demonstrations
- Simulation/Role play
- Group Discussion
- Presentations
- Assignments
- Q&A

Recommended Resources

- Computers
- Stationery
- Charts
- Video clips
- Audio tapes
- Radio sets
- TV sets
- LCD projectors

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ENVIRONMENTAL LITERACY

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/BC/06/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards:

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate Environmental Literacy

Duration of Unit: 40 hours

Unit Description

This unit describes the competencies required demonstrate environmental literacy.it involves controlling environmental hazard, controlling environmental pollution, complying with workplace sustainable resource use, evaluating current practices in relation to resource usage, identifying environmental legislations/conventions for environmental concerns, implementing specific environmental programs, monitoring activities on environmental protection/programs, analysing resource use and developing resource conservation plans.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Control environmental hazard
- 2. Control environmental Pollution
- 3. Demonstrate sustainable resource use
- 4. Evaluate current practices in relation to resource usage
- 5. Identify Environmental legislations/conventions for environmental concerns
- 6. Implement specific environmental programs
- 7. Monitor activities on Environmental protection/Programs
- 8. Analyze resource use
- 9. Develop resource conservation plans

Learning Outcomes, Content and Methods of Assessment

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
Control environmental hazard	 Purposes and content of Environmental Management and Coordination Act 1999 Storage methods for environmentally hazardous 	Written questionsOral questions

2.	Control environmental Pollution control	 materials Disposal methods of hazardous wastes Types and uses of PPE in line with environmental regulations Occupational Safety and Health Standards (OSHS) Types of pollution Environmental pollution control measures Types of solid wastes Procedures for solid waste management Different types of noise pollution Methods for minimizing noise pollution 	•	Written questions Oral questions Role play
3.	Demonstrate sustainable resource use	 Types of resources Techniques in measuring current usage of resources Calculating current usage of resources Methods for minimizing wastage Waste management procedures Principles of 3Rs (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle) Methods for economizing or reducing resource consumption 	•	Written questions Oral questions Role play
4.	Evaluate current practices in relation to resource usage	 Collection of information on environmental and resource efficiency systems and procedures, Measurement and recording of 	•	Written questions Oral questions Role play

5. Identify Environmental legislations/conventio ns for environmental concerns	 current resource usage Analysis and recording of current purchasing strategies. Analysis of current work processes to access information and data Identification of areas for improvement Environmental issues/concerns Environmental legislations /conventions and local ordinances Industrial standard /environmental practices International Environmental Protocols (Montreal, Kyoto) 	 Written questions Oral questions
	 Features of an environmental strategy 	
6. Implement specific environmental programs	 Community needs and expectations Resource availability 5s of good housekeeping Identification of programs/Activities Setting of individual roles /responsibilities Resolving problems /constraints encountered Consultation with stakeholders 	 Written questions Oral questions Role play
7. Monitor activities on Environmental protection/Programs	 Periodic monitoring and Evaluation of activities Gathering feedback from stakeholders Analyzing data gathered Documentation of 	 Oral questions Written tests Practical test

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	recommendations and submission • Setting of management support systems to sustain and enhance the program • Monitoring and reporting of environmental incidents to	
8. Analyze resource use	 concerned /proper authorities Identification of resource consuming processes Determination of quantity and nature of resource consumed Analysis of resource flow through different parts of the process. Classification of wastes for possible source of resources. 	Written testsOral questionsPractical test
9. Develop resource Conservation plans	 Determination of efficiency of use/conversion of resources Causes of low efficiency of use of resources Plans for increasing the efficiency of resource use 	Written testsOral questionsPractical test

- Instructor led facilitation of theory
- Practical demonstration of tasks by trainer
- Practice by trainees
- Observations and comments and corrections by trainers

Recommended Resources

- Standard operating and/or other workplace procedures manuals
- Specific job procedures manuals
- Environmental Management and Coordination Act 1999

- Machine/equipment manufacturer's specifications and instructions
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- ISO standards
- Company environmental management systems (EMS)
- Montreal Protocol
- Kyoto Protocol



OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PRACTICES

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/BC/07/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Demonstrate Occupational Safety and

Health Practices

Duration of Unit: 40 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to demonstrate occupational health and safety practices. It involves identifying workplace hazards and risk, identifying and implementing appropriate control measures to hazards and risks and implementing OSH programs, procedures and policies/guidelines.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify workplace hazards and risk
- 2. Control OSH hazards
- 3. Implement OSH programs

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
Identify workplace hazards and risks	 Identification of hazards in the workplace and/or the indicators of their presence Evaluation and/or work environment measurements of OSH hazards/risk existing in the workplace Gathering of OSH issues and/or concerns 	 Oral questions Written tests Portfolio of evidence Third party report
2. Control OSH hazards	 Prevention and control measures e.g. use of PPE Risk assessment 	Oral questionsWritten tests

	Contingency measures	Portfolio of evidenceThird party report
3. Implement OSH programs	 Company OSH program, evaluation and review Implementation of OSH programs Training of team members and advice on OSH standards and procedures Implementation of procedures for maintaining OSH-related records 	 Oral questions Written tests Portfolio of evidence Third party report

- Assigments
- Discussion
- Q&A
- Role play
- Viewing of related videos

Recommended Resources

- Standard operating and/or other workplace procedures manuals
- Specific job procedures manuals
- Machine/equipment manufacturer's specifications and instructions
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) e.g.
 - Mask
 - Face mask/shield
 - Safety boots
 - Safety harness
 - Arm/Hand guard, gloves
 - Eye protection (goggles, shield)
 - Hearing protection (ear muffs, ear plugs)
 - Hair Net/cap/bonnet
 - Hard hat

- Face protection (mask, shield)
- Apron/Gown/coverall/jump suit
- Anti-static suits
- High-visibility reflective vest

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CORE UNITS OF LEARNING

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MANAGEMENT OF CHILD WELFARE PROGRAMMES

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/CR/01/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: manage child welfare programmes

Duration of Unit: 220 Hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to manage child welfare programmes. It involves carrying out child welfare needs assessment, developing welfare programmes models, carrying out welfare programmes, monitoring and evaluating child welfare programmes and documenting welfare programmes activities.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1 Carry out child welfare needs assessment
- 2 Develop welfare programmes models
- 3 Carry out welfare programmes
- 4 Monitor and evaluate child welfare programmes
- 5 Document welfare programmes activities

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
Carry out child welfare needs assessment Develop welfare programmes models	 Meaning of terms Child social economic welfare needs Needs assessment plan Data collection and analysis Programme needs report Preparation Dissemination Child welfare needs Identification Prioritization Child welfare resources Determination and allocation of resources Alternative family care 	 Written tests Observation Case study Oral questions Third party report Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report

3	Carry out welfare programmes Monitor and evaluate child welfare programmes	 Stakeholders mapping Coordination of partners and networking Child welfare programme design Programme implementation plan Monitoring and evaluation of child welfare programmes Mapping of programme partners Mobilization of programme partners Training of programme implementers Implementation of child welfare programmes Implementation progress report Monitoring and evaluation strategy Programme performance indicators Training of monitoring and evaluation budget Programme data collection and analysis Monitoring and evaluation report Preparation Dissemination Project review plans and recommendations Preparation Sharing 	 Written tests Observation Oral questioning Third party report Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
5	Document welfare programmes activities	 Programme information management system Accessibility and efficiency of information management system Information management system review 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report

• Direct instruction

- Project
- Case studies
- Group discussions
- Field trips /site visits
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainees
- Industrial attachment
- Viewing of related videos

List of Recommended Resources:

- Computers
- Data collection tools
- Monitoring and evaluation tools
- Standard manuals/SOPs
- Projectors
- Stationery
- Flip charts
- Charts with presentations of data
- Internet
- Relevant videos
- Printers

COMMUNITY-BASED CHILD PROTECTION STRATEGIES

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/CR/02/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: carry out community-based child protection strategies

Duration of Unit: 210 hours

Unit description:

This unit specifies the competencies required to carry out community-based child protection strategies. It involves developing child protection strategies, forming child protection networks, developing stakeholder policy agreement and carrying out child protection strategies. It also entails monitoring and evaluating CBCPM and teams.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1 Develop child protection strategies
- 2 Form child protection networks
- 3 Develop stakeholder policy agreement
- 4 Carry out child protection strategies
- 5 Monitor and evaluate CBCPM and teams

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1 Develop child protection strategies	 Child protection policies Child protection structures Assessment of existing child protection structures Child protection barriers Mapping and profiling of children in especially difficult circumstances Caseworks development Enforcement of child abuse prevention guidelines Preparation of community action plan 	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report
2 Form child protection networks	 Stakeholders in child protection Child protection services Synchronization of child protection services Child protection resources Formation of linkages and 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report

		collaborations	
3	Develop stakeholder policy agreement	 Identification of areas of intervention in child protection Formation of linkages Coordination between sectors and levels Development of policy content Policy agreement MOU 	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report
4	Implement child protection strategies	 Development of training materials and equipment Mobilization of stakeholders Conducting training Advocacy campaigns on child protection Child protection media campaigns Referrals and linkage Creation of community awareness and sensitization Children assemblies Child right clubs Formation of CBCPM teams Reports Preparation Dissemination 	 Written tests Observation Oral questioning Third party report
5	Monitor and evaluate CBCPM and teams	 Meaning of terms Monitoring, evaluation and reporting tools Data analysis M&E report Recommendations Preparations D Disseminations 	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report

Suggested Methods of Delivery:

- Direct instruction
- Project
- Case studies
- Field trips/site visits
- Group discussions

- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Computer aided learning

List of Recommended Resources:

- Control room facility
- Computers
- Standard manuals/SOPs
- Projectors
- Flip charts
- Internet
- Relevant videos

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ENFORCEMENT OF CHILD RIGHTS

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/CR/03/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: coordinate child rights policy enforcement.

Duration of Unit: 210 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to coordinate child rights policy enforcement. It involves identifying vulnerable children, assessing child rights violation, establishing corrective plans of action, carrying out action plans and maintaining child protection networks.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Identify vulnerable children
- 2. Assess child rights violation
- 3. Establish corrective plans of action
- 4. Carry out action plans
- 5. Maintain child protection networks

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1 Identify vulnerable children	 Child vulnerability criteria Formation of Community volunteer teams Development of training tools Conducting training Data collection and analysis 	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report
2 Assess child rights violation	 Meaning of terms Child protection legal and policy frameworks Child right violation Child rights violation indicators Assessment of child violation rights Child safety 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report

3	Establish corrective plans of action	 Support, linkages and referrals Case record sheet Social inquiry report Establishment of nature of child right violation Development of rescue plans Rescue and placement of children Child immediate need assessment Referrals and linkages 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
4	Carry out action plans	 Needs assessment Preparation and dissemination of assessment report Formation of child rights protection committee Child friendly spaces Sensitization trainings Formation of child right and support systems Case conferencing Documentation 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report
5	Maintain child protection networks	 Database development Child protection networks Development of collective strategies Promising/best/millstone practices in child protection Progressive score cards Documentations of child protection network 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report

- Direct instruction
- Project
- Case studies
- Field trips
- Discussions
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee

List of Recommended Resources:

- Training resources
- Computers
- Stationery
- Standard operating procedures (SOPs)
- Projectors
- Flip charts
- Charts with presentations of data
- Internet
- Relevant videos

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CASE MANAGEMENT

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/CR/04/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: conduct case management

Duration of Unit: 230 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to conduct case management. It involves conducting intake process, assessing vulnerable child, formulating child protection plans, carrying out plans of action, monitoring and evaluating implementation plans. It also entails carrying out case closure and maintaining case management records.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1 Conduct intake process
- 2 Assess vulnerable child
- 3 Formulate child protection plan
- 4 Carry out plans of action
- 5 Monitor and evaluate implementation plans
- 6 Carry out case closure
- 7 Maintain case management

Le	arning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1	Conduct intake process	 Case management tools Cases of children in need of care and protection and those in conflict with the law Determination of immediate need of children 	ObservationCase studiesOralThird party report
2	Assess a vulnerable child	 Legal instruments Relevant laws and policies in child protection Development of assessment plan Identification and mobilization of assessment resources Carrying out assessment Assessment report 	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report

case		 Child protection policies Identification of child abuse cases Identification of required interventions Development of performance indicators Assessment of available resources Creation of linkages and referrals Development of implementation plan 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
4 Carry action	out plans of	 Allocation of duties and responsibilities Rescue operations and placement Sensitization trainings and awareness Linkages and referrals Preparation and dissemination of report 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report
evalu	ementation	 Review of performance indicators Monitoring and evaluation budget Data collection and analysis Routine data quality assessment Monitoring and evaluation report Case management review plans and recommendations 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
6 Carry closu	out case re	 Case disposal mechanisms Referrals and linkages After care services in child protection 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report
	tain case gement records	 Child protection information management database Performance of information management database 	Written testsObservationOral questions

Information management database system review	Third party report
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- Direct instruction
- Project
- Case studies
- Field trips/site visits
- Discussions
- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee

List of Recommended Resources:

- Computers
- SOPs
- Projectors
- Flip charts
- Stationary
- Relevant charts and journals
- Internet
- Relevant videos

PSYCHO-SOCIAL SUPPORT

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/CR/05/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: provide psycho-social support

Duration of Unit: 200 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to provide psycho-social support. It involves carrying out psychosocial needs assessment (PSS), planning for psychosocial support activities, carrying out psychosocial support, conducting re-integration activities and conducting re-integration follow-ups

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1 Carry out psychosocial needs assessment (PSS)
- 2 Plan for psychosocial support activities
- 3 Carry out psychosocial support
- 4 Conduct re-integration activities
- 5 Conduct re-integration follow-ups

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1 Carry out psychosocial needs assessment (PSS)	 Meaning of terms Needs assessment plan Child psychosocial needs Psychosocial needs analysis Child protection policy frameworks Needs assessment report 	ObservationCase studiesOralThird party report
2 Plan for psychosocial support activities	 Child safety Psychosocial support implementation plan Resource mobilization Psychosocial support activities Budgetary allocation plan Community organizing Formation of volunteer 	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report

3	Carry out psychosocial support	 Support group Identification of Stakeholders Development of mmonitoring and evaluation tools Resource mobilization Child psychology Psychosocial support programme monitoring and evaluation Execution of psychosocial implementation plan Psychosocial support progress report Networking, referrals and linkages formation 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
5	Conduct reintegration activities Conduct reintegration follow-	 Re-integration plan development Re-integration procedures and guidelines Mobilization and allocation of re-integration resources Networking, referral and linkages Re-integration report preparation Development of re-integration follow-up plan 	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report Written tests
	ups	Resource allocationConducting follow-upsRe-integration follow-up report	ObservationOral questionsThird party report

- Direct instruction
- Project
- Case studies
- Field trips/ site visit
- Computer aided learning
- Group discussions
- Demonstration by trainer

- Practice by the trainee
- Relevant video shows

List of Recommended Resources

- Computer
- Stationaries
- Workstation
- Flip charts
- Journals
- Surveying tools
- Internet connectivity

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MANAGEMENT OF CHILD ABUSE CASES

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/CR/06/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: manage child abuse cases

Duration of Unit: 210 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to manage child abuse cases. It involves establishing case history, preparing child for court case, presenting child in court and coordinating court orders.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1. Establish case history
- 2. Prepare child for court case
- 3. Present child in court
- 4. Coordinate court orders

Le	arning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1	Establish case history	 Legal framework in child protection Child interviews Child welfare assessment Immediate needs assessment Network with law enforcement agencies Child safety plan Preparation Execution Social inquiry report 	ObservationCase studiesOralThird party report
2	Prepare child for court case	 Guiding principles in child protection Basic Counselling skills Child pre-interviews Networking with other law enforcement agencies Evidence documents 	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report

	PreparationIdentificationSubmission	
3 Present child in court	 Legal and policy framework Basic knowledge on judicial process Child protection policy framework Social inquiry report presentation Court orders 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report
4 Coordinate court orders	 Meaning of terms Network, referrals and linkages Court orders execution Continuous progress reports Information in child protection management 	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report

- Direct instruction
- Project
- Case studies
- Field trips/site visits
- Group discussions
- Demonstration by trainer
- Computer Aided Learning (CAL)
- Practice by the trainee
- Relevant video shows

List of Recommended Resources

- Legal statutes
- Computer
- Internet connectivity
- Stationery
- Flip charts
- Journals

MANAGEMENT OF CHILDREN PLACEMENT CENTRE

UNIT CODE: SW/CU/CP/CR/07/6/A

Relationship to Occupational Standards

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: manage children placement Centre

Duration of Unit: 240 hours

Unit Description

This unit specifies the competencies required to manage children placement Centre. It involves planning placement centre activities, coordinating placement centre activities, coordinating rehabilitation programmes, maintaining placement centre networks and managing placement centre records.

Summary of Learning Outcomes

- 1 Plan placement centre activities
- 2 Coordinate placement centre activities
- 3 Coordinate rehabilitation programmes
- 4 Maintain placement centre networks
- 5 Manage placement centre records

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of Assessment
1 Plan placement centre activities	 Placement centre compliance Placement centre standard regulation Centre management operational guidelines and procedures Placement centre programmes Basic management and financial administration Placement centre operational budget preparation Roles and responsibilities of placement centre staff Development of rehabilitation plans 	ObservationCase studiesOralThird party report

plac prog	ement centre grammes •	Resource allocation Placement centre standard guidelines Placement centre programmed implantation plan Monitoring and evaluation of placement centre programme Basic management skills Report writing	Written testsObservationOral questioningThird party report
reha	ordinate abilitation grammes •	Individual treatment and care plan Identification of child needs Design of individual treatment and care plan Placement admission guidelines and procedures Linkages, referrals and networks Alternative family care guidelines Re-integration plans	 Written tests Observation Oral questions Third party report
plac	ement centre works	Placement centre network database management Development of Collective strategies Performance evaluation	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report
5 Mar plac reco	ement centre •	Record management Placement record auditing Database management compliance Data integration	Written testsObservationOral questionsThird party report

- Direct instruction
- Project
- Case studies
- Field trips/site visits
- Group discussions

- Demonstration by trainer
- Practice by the trainee
- Exercises

List of Recommended Resources

- Computer networks
- Relevant software
- Internet connectivity
- Projectors
- Flip charts
- Charts with presentations of data
- Relevant videos

