## **Modification history**

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with RGR Racing Training Package Version 1.0.

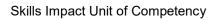
RGRPSG306	Determine care and treatment needs of racing greyhounds
Application	This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to follow illness and injury management plans for greyhounds.
	The unit applies to individuals who care for greyhounds.
	Licensing, legislative, regulatory or certification requirements may apply to this unit. Refer to your state or territory Controlling Body or Principal Racing Authority for current licence or registration requirements.
Prerequisite Unit	RGRPSG201 Handle greyhounds
Unit Sector	Performance services greyhounds (PSG)

Elements	Performance Criteria	
Elements describe the	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate	
essential outcomes.	achievement of the element.	
1. Plan greyhound health	1.1 Arrange greyhounds' housing according to industry rules and	
and emergency care	regulations	
procedures	1.2 Assess the health status of individual greyhounds	
	1.3 Recognise signs and symptoms of infectious diseases of greyhounds	
	and implement control measures	
	1.4 Plan for suitable personal protective equipment to be used	
	1.5 Plan measures to prevent re-occurrence and minimise risk of infection	
	1.6 Develop health and emergency care protocols and programs according	
	to industry standards and relay them to staff	
2. Undertake health	2.1 Implement parasite control and vaccination programs according to	
management programs for	greyhound health care polices and industry standards	
greyhounds	2.2 Compile and update greyhound health records	
3. Determine treatment for	3.1 Determine health care and management of individual greyhounds	
greyhounds	3.2 Discuss prognosis for common illnesses and injuries with relevant	
	persons	
	3.3 Determine need for veterinary assistance or other specialist advice	
	3.4 Evaluate treatment options and select preferred option for common	
	injuries and illnesses according to specialist advice	
4. Administer treatment and	4.1 Administer medication and treatments according to fear free handling	
monitor greyhound	and safe greyhound health care practices and industry standards	
progress	4.2 Monitor greyhound, post-treatment, for signs of treatment effectiveness	
	and recovery and update health records	
	4.3 Assess and monitor withdrawal times for prohibited substances	
5.5.11	4.4 Dispose of waste material according to industry standards	
5. Follow greyhound illness	5.1 Identify the impact of medications and therapies on greyhounds' body	
and injury management	systems	
plans	5.2 Provide care and treatment for injured or sick greyhounds according to	
	veterinary directions and animal welfare principles	
	5.3 Recognise greyhound healing processes following illness or injury	
	5.4 Report post-treatment information to trainer/supervisor so that	
	prevention strategies can be planned and implemented	

Foundation Skills	3		
		e, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for y but are not explicit in the performance criteria.	
Skill	Descri	Description	
Reading		aluate and integrate facts and ideas to construct meaning from texts ating to the care and treatment of greyhounds	
Writing		e clear, specific and industry-related terminology to complete and late workplace documentation including health records	

Unit Mapping Information			
Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
RGRPSG306 Determine care and treatment needs of racing greyhounds	Not applicable	New unit	No equivalent unit

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## **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:

- cared for, treated and implemented a health management program for at least three greyhounds, including:
  - administered or supervised administration of non-prescription and prescribed medication
  - identified and applied different therapies or medications in the correct manner.

## Knowledge Evidence

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:

- · principles and practices of greyhound care and treatment
- · techniques for fear-free handling
- · Five Domains model of animal welfare
- · common illnesses and injuries in greyhounds
- impact of common medications or therapies
- key features and functions of greyhound body systems
- prohibited substances and withdrawal periods
- racing industry animal welfare requirements
- · relevant rules of racing
- restraining techniques for greyhounds
- identifying features and functions of greyhound body systems
- · signs and symptoms of greyhound illnesses and injuries
- types of medications and therapies
- greyhound anatomy and physiology
- signs of behavioural changes.

## **Assessment Conditions**

Assessment of skills must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
  - · a greyhound establishment or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
- resources, equipment and materials:
  - greyhounds
  - greyhound treatment resources
- specifications:
  - greyhound industry standards and codes of practice.

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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