

Modification history

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 9.0.

AHCOCM2X01	Maintain cultural sites
Application	<p>This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to maintain Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural sites according to local Community guidelines and cultural protocols.</p> <p>This unit applies to individuals who work under general supervision and exercise limited autonomy with some accountability for own work. This includes undertaking defined activities and work in a structured context.</p> <p>No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication.</p>
Prerequisite Unit	Nil
Unit Sector	On Country Management (OCM)

Elements	Performance Criteria
<i>Elements describe the essential outcomes.</i>	<i>Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.</i>
1. Assess maintenance work required	1.1 Identify works required under the management plan and organisational procedures 1.2 Identify required machinery and tools to carry out maintenance works 1.3 Estimate materials required for maintenance work
2. Prepare for maintenance	2.1 Organise machinery, tools and materials to carry out maintenance works 2.2 Inspect area for hazards associated with maintenance work and report to supervisor 2.3 Prepare and assemble safety equipment and materials
3. Maintain condition of cultural site	3.1 Undertake maintenance work according to work programs and work health and safety policies and procedures 3.2 Recognise flora and/or fauna which may pose a threat to the cultural site and report to supervisor 3.3 Report evidence of deterioration and wear 3.4 Clean up cultural site on completion of maintenance works
4. Protect cultural site	4.1 Report any evidence of damage to cultural site to supervisor 4.2 Report any breach of organisation's procedures to supervisor 4.3 Maintain protective barriers and signs

Foundation Skills	
<i>This section describes those language, literacy, numeracy and employment skills that are essential for performance in this unit of competency but are not explicit in the performance criteria.</i>	
Skill	Description
Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interpret operating/instruction manuals for machinery and tools
Oral Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use culturally appropriate verbal and non-verbal communication
Numeracy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Measure area of cultural site to be maintained Calculate required amounts for materials

Unit Mapping Information			
Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHCOCM2X01 Maintain cultural sites	AHCILM201 Maintain cultural places	Minor changes to Application Minor changes to Elements and Performance Criteria Added Foundation Skills Revised Performance Evidence to express assessment in terms of frequency Revised Knowledge Evidence Revised Assessment Conditions to include Assessor requirements	Equivalent

Links	Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72 .
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TITLE	Assessment requirements for AHCOCM2X01 Maintain cultural sites
Performance Evidence	
<p>An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.</p> <p>There must be evidence that the individual has maintained cultural sites at least once and has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • identified the level of work required to maintain the cultural site and confirmed with supervisor • prepared for and carried out maintenance activities in accordance with organisational, cultural and environmental requirements • erected signage and/or barriers to protect cultural site • reported deterioration or damage to cultural site to supervisor • recognised and reported potential threats to culture site which may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • vandalism and damage • evidence of deterioration • feral animals and other pests • flora which is not endemic to the cultural site • applied work health and safety practices in the context of own work. 	
Knowledge Evidence	
<p>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:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • potential threats to cultural site including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • vandalism and damage • deterioration of the cultural site • infestations of feral animals and pests • invasive species of flora • techniques for maintenance and protection of cultural site • range of maintenance works undertaken on cultural sites • operation of machinery and tools • signs and barriers required to protect a cultural site • organisational procedures relating to the reporting of deterioration or damage to cultural site or reporting of incidents. 	
Assessment Conditions	
<p>Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • physical conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skills must be demonstrated on Country and/or within an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Community or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions • specifications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • access to organisation's policies and procedures • relationships: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • local Community Elders and/or Custodians. <p>Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards. In addition, the following specific assessor requirements apply to this unit:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment must be undertaken by a workplace assessor who has expertise in this unit of competency and who is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Elder and/or Custodian <p>or:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • accompanied by, and/or in communication with, an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person who is a recognised member of the community with experience and knowledge of local cultural protocols. 	
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