FIELD HEALTH

Review of Core Health unit standards

| Subfield | Domain | ld |
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| Health Studies | Core Health | 6127, 6413-6422, 6425, 12699-12732, 14785, |
| | | 14786, 20100, 20700 |

The National Qualifications Services of NZQA has completed the review of the unit standards listed above.

Date new versions published

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Summary of review and consultation process

In 2002, the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) took stock of the qualifications and unit standards that it was responsible for developing. A prioritisation and rationalisation exercise carried out by National Qualifications Services (NQS) in September 2002 aimed at rationalising the work of NZQA to ensure that the unit standards and qualifications for which NQS was responsible were relevant, useful, and met the current needs of learners, providers, the community, and government. Careful consideration was given to the process to ensure that the unit standards retained by NQS reflected its responsibilities in relation to the Industry Training Act 1992, and national priorities including those expressed in the Tertiary Education Strategy and Statement of Tertiary Education Priorities (STEPs).

The decision was made for NQS to exit from standard setting responsibilities for the Core Health unit standards listed above by 2007. There was extensive consultation with the sector, including providers and other standards setting bodies since 2002, and this confirmed the decision to designate the unit standards as expiring.

Main changes resulting from the review

All unit standards in domain Core Health listed above have been designated expiring.

First aid unit standards 6400, 6401 and 6402 classified in domain Core Health will remain on the National Qualifications Framework (NQF). Unit standard 5013 also classified in domain Core Health will remain on the NQF as it is under the standard-setting scope of the Community Support Services Industry Training Organisation.

Unit standards categorised as category C or D expire at the end of December 2012.

Impact on existing provider accreditations

None.

Impact on Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP)

AMAP 0104 has been updated to reflect the changes made to the standards.

Impact on existing qualifications

Qualifications that contain the reviewed standards or classifications are tabled below. All ITOs were consulted as part of this review.

The following qualifications include unit standards identified in this review as expiring, and will need revision before the expiry of the unit standards in December 2012:

| Qualification title | Standard(s) in the qualification | SSB Name |
|--|---|--|
| National Certificate in Support of the Older Person (Level 3) with strands in Community, and Residential [Ref: 0729] | 6422 | Community Support Services Industry Training Organisation |
| National Certificate in Community Support (Core Competencies) (Level 3) [Ref: 1327] | 20100, 20700 | |
| National Certificate in Ambulance (Patient Care and Transport) (Level 4) [Ref: 0206] | 6127, 6416, 6417, 6421, 12700-12702, 12706, 12713, 12719, 12722, 12725, 12728, 20100 | ElectroTechnology Industry Training Organisation |
| National Certificate in Beauty Services (Beautician) (Level 4) [Ref: 1046] | 12703, 12714 | NZQA National Qualifications Services |
| National Certificate in Beauty Services (Nail Technology) (Level 4) [Ref: 1047] | 12703, 12714 | |
| National Certificate in Beauty Services (Electrology) (Level 5) [Ref: 1048] | 12701, 12703, 12709, 12714, 12716, 12723, 12727 | |
| National Certificate in Beauty Services (Body Therapy) (Level 5) [Ref: 1049] | 12701, 12703, 12707, 12709, 12714, 12716, 12720, 12721, 12723, 12727, 12729, 12732 | |
| National Certificate in Pharmacy (Assistant) (Level 3) [Ref: 0469] | 6418 | Pharmacy Industry Training Organisation |
| National Certificate in Snowsport (Level 3) with strands in Patrol, and Courtesy Patrol [Ref: 0492] | 6418 | Sport, Fitness and Recreation Industry Training Organisation |

The following qualifications include domain Core Health as a source of potential credits, and may need revision before the expiry of the unit standards in December 2012:

| Qualification title | SSB Name |
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| National Certificate in Drycleaning (Garment Finishing) [Ref: 0576] | Apparel and Textile |
| National Certificate in Drycleaning (Processing and Stain Removal) | Industry Training |
| [Ref: 0577] | Organisation |
| National Certificate in Drycleaning (Production Assistant) [Ref: 0578] | |
| National Certificate in Laundry (Finishing and Packing) [Ref: 0579] | |
| National Certificate in Laundry (Washroom Procedures) [Ref: 0580] | |
| National Certificate in Cleaning and Caretaking (Level 2) with strands | Building Service |
| in Commercial Cleaning and Health Care Facilities | Contractors of New |
| [Ref: 0214] | Zealand Incorporated |
| National Certificate in Cleaning and Caretaking (Level 3) [Ref: 0754] | |
| National Certificate in Cleaning and Caretaking (Level 4) [Ref: 0755] | |

| Qualification title | SSB Name |
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| National Certificate in Manufacturing and Mechanical Engineering | Competenz |
| (Level 2) [Ref: 0127] | |
| National Certificate in Manufacturing and Mechanical Engineering (Level 3) [Ref: 0128] | |
| National Certificate in Food and Related Products Processing (Level 2) | |
| [Ref: 0342] | |
| National Certificate in Food and Related Products Processing (Level 3) [Ref: 0343] | |
| National Certificate in Food and Related Products Processing (Level 4) [Ref: 0344] | |
| National Certificate in Baking (Level 2) [Ref: 0588] | |
| National Certificate in Baking (Level 3) [Ref: 0589] | |
| National Certificate in Baking (Plant Baking) (Level 4) with strands in | |
| Bread, Biscuit, Cake, and Pastry [Ref: 0591] | |
| National Certificate in Manufacturing and Mechanical Engineering (Level 4) [Ref: 0750] | |
| National Certificate in Food and Related Products Processing (Level 1) | |
| [Ref: 0954] | |
| National Certificate in Baking (Instore/Franchise) (Level 4) [Ref: 1267] | |
| National Diploma in Forestry (Forest Management) (Level 6) | Forest Industries Training |
| [Ref: 0232] | and Education Council |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Mechanised Harvesting) [Ref: 0489] | (FITEC) |
| National Certificate in Wood Manufacturing – Generic Skills (Tissue | |
| Converting) (Level 2) [Ref: 0650] | |
| National Certificate in Wood Manufacturing – Generic Skills (Tissue | |
| Converting) (Level 3) [Ref: 0651] | |
| National Certificate in Wood Manufacturing – Generic Skills (Tissue | |
| Converting) (Level 4) [Ref: 0652] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Establishment and Silviculture) (Level | |
| 3) [Ref: 0702] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Harvesting) (Level 3) [Ref: 0704] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Cable Harvesting – Extraction) [Ref: 0828] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Forest Establishment) [Ref: 0829] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Ground Based Harvesting – | |
| Extraction) [Ref: 0830] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Log Loading) [Ref: 0831] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Log Making) [Ref: 0832] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Mensuration) [Ref: 0833] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Operations Management) [Ref: 0834] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Silvicultural Thinning) [Ref: 0835] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Silvicultural Pruning) [Ref: 0836] | |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Tree Felling) [Ref: 0837] | 1 |
| National Certificate in Forestry (Mechanical Land Preparation) (Level | |
| 4) [Ref: 1066] | |
| National Certificate in Hospitality (Entry Skills) [Ref: 1257] | Hospitality Standards Institute |
| National Certificate in Civil Infrastructure (General Introductory Skills) | InfraTrain New Zealand |
| [Ref: 1125] | |
| National Certificate in Fellmongery Processing (Knowledge of Slipe | New Zealand Industry |
| Wool and Pickled Pelt Production) [Ref: 0913] | Training Organisation |
| National Certificate in Occupational Health and Safety (Co-ordination) (Level 4) [Ref: 0944] | |
| National Diploma in Sports Turf Management (Level 6) [Ref: 1272] | New Zealand Sports Turf |

| Qualification title | SSB Name |
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| National Certificate in Sports Turf (Introduction to Turf Care (Level 3) | Industry Training |
| [Ref: 0700] | Organisation |
| National Certificate in Materials Processing (Level 1) with strands in | Plastics and Materials |
| General, Plastics Injection Moulding, Plastics Extrusion, Plastics Blow | Processing Industry |
| Moulding, Plastics Thermoforming, Plastics Blown Film Extrusion, | Training Organisation |
| Plastics Film Conversion, Plastics Injection [Ref: 1072] | Incorporated |
| National Certificate in Materials Processing (Level 2) with strands in | |
| General, Plastics Injection Moulding, Plastics Extrusion, Plastics Blow | |
| Moulding, Plastics Pressure Thermoforming, Plastics Vacuum | |
| Thermoforming, Plastics Blown Film Extrusion, Plastic [Ref: 1073] | |
| National Certificate in Materials Processing (Level 3) with strands in | |
| General, Expanded Polystyrene Moulding, and Paint Manufacturing | |
| [Ref: 1074] | |

Review Categories and changes to classification, title, level and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

Key to review category

- A Dates changed, but no other changes are made the new version of the standard carries the same Id and a new version number
- **B** Changes made, but the overall outcome remains the same the new version of the standard carries the same Id and a new version number
- C Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new ld
- D Standard will expire and not be replaced

Subfield Health Studies Domain Core Health

| ld | Title | Level | Credit | Review Category |
|------|--|-------|--------|-----------------|
| 6127 | Describe ethical responsibility towards consumers in a health care context | 3 | 5 | D |
| 6413 | Communicate principles of healthy living to individuals, groups or communities | 4 | 7 | D |
| 6414 | Plan to act as an advocate for a consumer in a health care context | 4 | 5 | D |
| 6415 | Describe changes in health care knowledge, values, and practices in a specific health care context | 3 | 3 | D |
| 6416 | Demonstrate knowledge of compliance with regulatory requirements in a specific health care context | 3 | 3 | D |
| 6417 | Describe elements of safe practice in a specific health care context | 3 | 3 | D |
| 6418 | Describe normal human structure and function in a health context | 3 | 5 | D |
| 6419 | Describe abnormal human structure and function in a health context | 3 | 5 | D |
| 6420 | Apply knowledge of health environmental factors to the promotion of wellness | 4 | 5 | D |
| 6421 | Apply problem solving approaches in a health care context | 3 | 2 | D |

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|-------|---|-------|--------|--------------------|
| 6422 | Describe cultural sensitivities in a specific health care context | 3 | 5 | D |
| 6425 | Describe skills of teamwork in a health care context | 3 | 3 | D |
| 12699 | Describe blood and its components in the human body | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12700 | Describe the human cardiovascular system | 4 | 1 | D |
| 12701 | Describe the roles and responses of the human cardiovascular system | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12702 | Describe cells and tissues of the human body | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12703 | Describe the role and responses of human cells and tissues | 5 | 4 | D |
| 12704 | Describe principles of chemistry in the human body for core health | 4 | 5 | D |
| 12705 | Demonstrate knowledge of human reproduction, physiological development, and heredity | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12706 | Describe the human digestive system | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12707 | Describe the relationship between the structure and function of the human digestive system | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12708 | Describe the endocrine system of the human body | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12709 | Describe the role and responses of the human endocrine system | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12710 | Describe maintenance of fluid, electrolyte, and acid-base balance in the human body | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12711 | Describe human body defence mechanisms and immunity | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12712 | Describe human immune response and resistance to disease | 6 | 5 | D |
| 12713 | Describe the integumentary system of the human body | 4 | 1 | D |
| 12714 | Demonstrate knowledge of the role and responses of the human integumentary system | 5 | 2 | D |
| 12715 | Describe the human lymphatic system | 4 | 1 | D |
| 12716 | Demonstrate knowledge of the role and responses of the human lymphatic system | 5 | 2 | D |
| 12717 | Describe processes of human metabolism | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12718 | Demonstrate knowledge of chemical reactions and nutrient utilisation in human metabolism | 6 | 4 | О |
| 12719 | Describe the human musculoskeletal system | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12720 | Demonstrate knowledge of bones, muscles, and skeletal tissues of the human body | 5 | 5 | D |
| 12721 | Demonstrate knowledge of the articulations and movements of the human musculoskeletal system | 6 | 5 | D |
| 12722 | Describe the nervous system of the human body | 4 | 3 | D |
| 12723 | Describe the structure and function of the human nervous system | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12724 | Demonstrate knowledge of human neurophysiology | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12725 | Define the organisational structure and describe functional characteristics of the human body | 3 | 1 | D |

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|-------|---|-------|--------|--------------------|
| 12726 | Describe the reproductive systems of the human body | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12727 | Describe the role and responses of the human reproductive system | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12728 | Describe the human respiratory system | 4 | 1 | D |
| 12729 | Demonstrate knowledge of the role and responses of the human respiratory system | 5 | 3 | D |
| 12730 | Describe the special senses of the human body | 4 | 2 | D |
| 12731 | Describe the urinary system of the human body | 4 | 1 | D |
| 12732 | Describe the role and responses of the human urinary system | 5 | 3 | D |
| 14785 | Demonstrate knowledge of diseases and disorders in the human body | 4 | 9 | D |
| 14786 | Demonstrate knowledge of human pathology | 6 | 7 | D |
| 20100 | Behave professionally with consumers and their support people in a specific health care context | 3 | 5 | D |
| 20700 | Describe the stages of the normal human lifespan | 4 | 4 | D |