

Title	Demonstrate knowledge of Codes of Practice and guidelines for arboriculture		
Level	3	Credits	2

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of Codes of Practice and guidelines for arboriculture.
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Classification	Horticulture > Arboriculture
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- References relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to:
 - WorkSafe New Zealand, *Approved Code of Practice Safety and Health in Arboriculture* (2012), available from www.worksafe.govt.nz/worksafe;
 - WorkSafe New Zealand, *Approved Code of Practice for Safety and Health in Tree Work Part 2: Maintenance of trees around power lines* (1996), available from www.worksafe.govt.nz/worksafe;
 - New Zealand Arboricultural Association Inc. (NZ Arb), *Best Practice Guide (BPG) for Safety Requirements in New Zealand Arboricultural Operations* (2017), available from www.nzarb.org.nz.
- Definition
Arboriculture situation – for the purposes of this unit standard, an arboriculture scenario is a situation or workplace that the candidate is familiar with, or is likely to become familiar with, that is distinguishable from another scenario in terms of task or site requirements, and covers a range of codes used within the New Zealand arboriculture sector.
- This unit standard is intended to assess understanding of how the approved Codes of Practice, and Best Practice Guides apply to arboriculture situations rather than assess specific knowledge of the provisions found within the codes.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of Codes of Practice and guidelines for arboriculture.

Range evidence of three arboriculture scenarios is required.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Describe the differences between approved Codes of Practice, and Best Practice Guides, and how they are used within the arboriculture industry.
- 1.2 Locate specific information within the identified Codes of Practice, and Best Practice Guides that are critical for given arboriculture scenarios.

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Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0032
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

Comments on this unit standard

Please contact Muka Tangata - People, Food and Fibre Workforce Development Council qualifications@mukatangata.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.