

Field Health

Review of *Pre-Hospital Emergency Care* unit standards

Subfield	Domain	ID
Emergency Services	Pre-Hospital Emergency Care	14473, 25411, 25412

The Skills Organisation (Skills) has completed the review of the unit standards listed above.

Date new versions published **December 2015**

Planned review date **December 2020**

Summary

During 2014, a mandatory sector review of qualifications in the Healthcare sector occurred. One of the resulting qualifications, listed in 2015, the New Zealand Certificate in Emergency Care (First Responder) (Level 3), had a relationship to the content of the Pre-Hospital Emergency Care (PHEC) unit standards. To support the New Zealand qualification, the PHEC unit standards were reviewed and a suite of new unit standards were developed. The development encompassed broad consultation with the sector to ensure that the standards align to the qualification outcomes and meet current and future needs.

Main changes

- Unit standard 14473, 25411, and 25412 were replaced by 29321, which was placed into new domain *Emergency Care - First Response*
- New unit standards addressing themes required by the New Zealand qualification were listed.

Category C unit standards will expire at the end of December 2019

Impact on existing organisations with consent to assess

Current consent for			Consent extended to		
Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level	Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level
Domain	Pre-Hospital Emergency Care	3-4	Domain	Emergency Care - First Response	3-4
Standard	14473	3	Standard	29321	3
Standard	25411	2	Standard	29321	3
Standard	25412	3	Standard	29321	3

Impact on registered qualifications

Key to type of impact	
Affected	The qualification lists a reviewed classification (domain or subfield) in an elective set The qualification lists a standard that has changes to level or credits The qualification lists a C or D category standard
Not materially affected	The qualification lists a standard that has a new title The qualification lists a standard that has a new classification

The following Skills qualification is impacted by the outcome of this review and were reviewed in 2014. The classifications and/or standards that generated the status *Affected* are listed in **bold**.

Ref	Qualification Title	Classification or ID
1408	National Diploma in Ambulance Practice (Level 5)	14473, 25411, 25412

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 ID
D	Standard will expire and not be replaced

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
29322	Demonstrate knowledge of emergency response systems in New Zealand	3	5	New
29323	Gather and record information to support patient assessment	3	3	New
29324	Demonstrate understanding of the use of common medications relevant to the emergency care first response context	3	3	New
29325	Adapt strategies to manage complex emergency situations arising in an emergency care first response context	4	10	New

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14473 and 25411 and 25412	Pre-Hospital Emergency Care	Move a patient in preparation for transportation	3	1	C
		Demonstrate knowledge of and use an Automated External Defibrillator (AED)	2	1	
		Provide basic pre-hospital emergency care	3	6	
29321	Emergency Care - First Response	Provide basic emergency care	3	14	