

Field Service Sector

Registration of *Rigging and Scaffolding Safety* skill standard 40624

Waihanga Ara Rau Construction and Infrastructure Workforce Development Council has registered one new skill standard in the *Rigging and Scaffolding Safety* domain.

Date new versions published

March 2025

Planned review date

December 2029

Summary

Waihanga Ara Rau developed this skill standard as a mandatory one to be used in programmes requiring knowledge and skills of temporary edge protection systems.

The development was overseen by a technical advisory group consisting of industry representatives with the appropriate knowledge and skills in edge protection, scaffolding and rigging, programme development, and assessment. The technical advisory group convened in August 2024 with online meetings held from September 2024 through to November 2024 to develop the skill standard.

The draft skill standard was distributed for wider industry consultation with key stakeholders from edge protection, including providers and the New Zealand Association for Scaffolding, Access and Rigging (SARNZ). All feedback was considered and actioned where appropriate.

Main Change

- One new skill standard has been registered to meet industry requirements.

Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level, and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
40624	Evaluate the suitability of temporary edge protection systems	4	8	NEW