

Title	Explain the content of an environmental management plan for a resource recovery site		
Level	3	Credits	4

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to explain the content of an environmental management plan for a resource recovery site.
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Classification	Resource Recovery > Resource Recovery Theory
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes but is not limited to:
 Biosecurity Act 1993;
 Conservation Act 1987;
 Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996;
 Ozone Layer Protection Act 1996;
 Resource Management Act 1991;
 local authority bylaws.
- 2 The environmental management plan must be consistent with national environmental standards, regional policy statements, and regional plans prepared under the Resource Management Act 1991.
- 3 Assessment against this unit standard must take place in the context of a resource recovery park, transfer station, landfill site, or the resource recovery area of a commercial or industrial site.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Explain the content of an environmental management plan for a resource recovery site.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Purposes of the plan are explained.
- 1.2 The responsibilities for ensuring the criteria of the plan are achieved are explained.
- 1.3 Objectives of the plan are explained in relation to protecting air, ground, and water.

- 1.4 The plan is explained in terms of requirements for the identification and evaluation of environmental impacts and aspects of site activities.
- 1.5 Company procedures for evaluating environmental impacts and aspects of site activities are explained.
- 1.6 Procedures for controlling environmental impacts and aspects of site activities are explained in terms of individual and company responsibilities.
- 1.7 The legislation, regulations, and codes of practice relevant to the site are explained.

Range resource consent, discharge permit.
- 1.8 Procedures for record keeping are explained in terms of requirements for an audit trail.
- 1.9 Procedures for environmental audit and management reviews are explained in relation to level of individual responsibility.

This unit standard is expiring. Assessment against the standard must take place by the last date for assessment set out below.

Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	26 January 2007	31 December 2012
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Review	3	16 April 2015	31 December 2022
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Review	5	24 April 2025	31 December 2025

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0014
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