Title	Identify and access travel product information and travel-related information		
Level	3	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to: identify sources of information for travel products and travel-related topics; and access travel product information and travel-related information using a variety of current travel industry resources.
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Classification	Tourism > Travel
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Available grade	Achieved	
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Guidance Information

1 Definitions

Current travel industry resources refer to any resources, manual or electronic, used by a travel industry workplace.

Travel industry workplace policies and procedures refers to documented instructions about workplace expectations. These may include but are not limited to – customer service delivery, personal presentation, legislation, organisational structure, business objectives.

Travel products refer to products that a travel agent can sell and make money from. Examples may include but are not limited to – transportation, accommodation, excursions, cruises, travel insurance, attraction passes.

Travel-related topics refers to passport requirements, visa requirements, Ministry of Primary Industries (MPI) regulations, New Zealand Customs Service regulations, world weather, health advisories, safety advisories, airport information, foreign currency requirements, festivals and special events.

- This unit standard may be assessed against in a travel industry workplace when appropriate situations arise, or in a training environment if simulated workplace conditions are able to be provided that reflect the standards of a travel industry workplace.
- 3 All assessment tasks for performance criteria are to be carried out in accordance with travel industry workplace policies and procedures.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Identify sources of information for travel products and travel-related topics.

Performance criteria

1.1 Sources of information for travel products are identified from current travel industry resources.

Range evidence is required for four different sources.

1.2 The advantages and disadvantages of sources of information for travel products are described.

Range evidence is required for four different sources.

1.3 Sources of information for travel-related topics are identified from current travel industry resources.

Range evidence is required for six different travel-related topics.

Outcome 2

Access travel product information and travel-related information using a variety of current travel industry resources.

Range

evidence is required for six different pieces of travel product information and six different pieces of travel-related information, using a total of three different current travel industry resources.

Performance criteria

2.1 Travel product information is accessed using a variety of resources.

Range

travel product information may include but is not limited to – accommodation room configuration, transportation on-board facilities and services, sightseeing inclusions, attraction opening times

2.2 Information on travel-related topics is accessed using a variety of resources.

Range

travel-related information may include but is not limited to – passport requirements, visa requirements, MPI regulations, New Zealand Customs Service regulations, world weather, health and/or safety advisories, airport information, foreign currency information, festivals and special events.

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Comments on this unit standard

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