

Fit pre-sewn, shaped upholstery covers to lounge chairs or settees

Level 3

Credits 6

Purpose People credited with this unit standard are able to prepare to fit, and fit, pre-sewn, shaped upholstery covers to lounge chairs or settees.

Subfield Furniture

Domain Upholstery

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This AMAP can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

Special notes

- 1 This unit standard must be assessed against on-job.
- 2 Competence may be demonstrated using any upholstery fabric including leather; competence must be demonstrated fitting upholstery covers for either lounge chairs or settees that have all of the following parts – seat sides, seat rails, top rails, curved backs, and shaped arms.
- 3 Hyda tack is commonly used in furniture making however similar products may be used in its place for the purpose of assessment against this unit standard.

4 Definition

Worksite policies and procedures refer to documented policies and to documented or other directions provided to staff. These may include, but are not limited to, ways of managing health and safety, environmental considerations, quality, and production, and must conform to legislation. Examples include standard operating procedures, company health and safety plans, on-site briefings, and supervisor's instructions.

Elements and performance criteria

Element 1

Prepare to fit pre-sewn, shaped upholstery covers to lounge chairs or settees.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Job specifications are obtained and explained in accordance with worksite policies and procedures.

Range quantity, frame, fabric type, hardware, dust cover.
- 1.2 Tools are selected in accordance with job specifications and worksite policies and procedures.

Range includes but is not limited to – staple gun, scissors, hammer, regulator needle, staple remover, side cutters, measuring tool.
- 1.3 Covers and lounge chair or settee frames are selected in accordance with job specifications.
- 1.4 Pre-padded lounge chair or settee frames are checked for defects in padding and any defects are rectified in accordance with worksite policies and procedures.

Element 2

Fit pre-sewn, shaped upholstery covers to lounge chairs or settees.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Covers and frames are marked in centres in accordance with job specifications.
- 2.2 Equipment for the job is used in accordance with worksite policies and procedures.

- 2.3 Covers are fitted in accordance with worksite policies and procedures and covers conform to job specifications.
- Range smooth finish, no twists in fabric, no puckering on corners or edges, inside corners trimmed where necessary to ensure no bulk in corners, corners sit square, cover seams line up with frame, seam salvage laid one way, no loose threads, cover evenly tensioned.
- 2.4 Dust cover is attached in accordance with job specifications.
- Range no twists, tight, staples on edge of dust cover, dust cover hidden from view.
- 2.5 Legs, glides, or castors are fitted in accordance with job specifications.
- 2.6 Work area is left clear, clean, and safe in accordance with worksite policies and procedures.

Please note

Providers must be accredited by NZQA, or an inter-institutional body with delegated authority for quality assurance, before they can report credits from assessment against unit standards or deliver courses of study leading to that assessment.

Industry Training Organisations must be accredited by NZQA before they can register credits from assessment against unit standards.

Accredited providers and Industry Training Organisations assessing against unit standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those standards.

Accreditation requirements and an outline of the moderation system that applies to this standard are outlined in the Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP). The AMAP also includes useful information about special requirements for organisations wishing to develop education and training programmes, such as minimum qualifications for tutors and assessors, and special resource requirements.

Comments on this unit standard

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