

Title	Describe safe working and environmental practices in construction industry manufacturing workplaces		
Level	3	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to describe: safety legislation, regulations, Codes of Practice and Guidelines relevant to construction industry manufacturing workplaces; and describe practices used in construction industry manufacturing workplaces.
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Classification	Construction Trades > Core Construction
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- Definitions
Housekeeping means the day-to-day cleaning and maintenance duties required to keep the yard tidy and safe.
Industry practice refers to the ability to demonstrate knowledge that reflects the uniformity, finish quality, and material economies currently accepted within industry.
- Credit for this unit standard indicates compliance with industry practice.
- Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes:
 Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 and Health and Safety in Employment Regulations 1995;
 Building Act 2004;
 Resource Management Act 1991;
 Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996;
 available from <https://www.legislation.govt.nz/>
 Approved Codes of Practice and Guidelines applicable to the construction industry; and all subsequent amendments and replacements.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Describe safety legislation, regulations, Codes of Practice and Guidelines relevant to construction industry manufacturing workplaces.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Health and Safety at Work Act 2015 and Health and Safety in Employment Regulations 1995 (plus amendments) are described in terms of their safety requirements relevant to construction industry manufacturing workplaces.

Range roles and responsibilities, hazard management, accident investigation and reporting, emergency procedures, notifiable work, training and supervision, employee participation, certificates of competency.

- 1.2 Other legislation is described in terms of its safety and environmental requirements relevant to construction industry manufacturing workplaces.

Range Resource Management Act 1991, Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996.

- 1.3 Approved Codes of Practice, Guidelines, and Work Exposure Standards are described in terms of their role in managing hazards.

Outcome 2

Describe practices used in construction industry manufacturing workplaces.

Range safe working practices, environmental practices

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Workplace safety procedures are described in terms of their content and workplace implementation.

Range responsibilities, training and supervision, hazard identification and management, monitoring, safety meetings, notifiable work, emergency plans.

- 2.2 Hazard identification and control methods are described for construction industry manufacturing workplaces.

Range housekeeping, hand tools, portable power tools, working at heights, ladders, chemicals, noise, compressed air, electrical, plant and machinery, dust, vehicles, confined spaces.

- 2.3 Selection and use of items of personal protective equipment are described for construction industry manufacturing workplaces.

Range protective clothing, safety footwear, hearing protection, eye and face protection, UV protection, dust masks and respirators, hard hats, high visibility clothing, gloves, fall restraint/arrest equipment, safety signs.

- 2.4 Manual handling controls are described for construction industry manufacturing workplaces.

Range correct manual handling technique, mechanical aids, work area layout.

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

Comments on this unit standard

Please contact the Waihanga Ara Rau Construction and Infrastructure Workforce Development Council qualifications@waihangaararau.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.