

<b>Title</b>	<b>Demonstrate knowledge of the purpose and impacts of urban pest management</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>3</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>The purpose of this standard is to provide the urban pest management (UPM) industry with technicians who can provide an overview of the purpose and impacts of UPM.</p> <p>The standard outlines the learning outcome, the assessment evidence and the performance standard required to show a trainee can explain:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the social, economic and environmental purpose and impacts of UPM and,</li> <li>• the broad good practice principles of integrated pest management.</li> </ul> <p>Technicians will understand the general purpose and impacts of UPM. They will be able to explain to consumers and clients the role of pest technicians and integrated pest management within a built environment.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Pest Management > Urban Pest Management
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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**Guidance Information**

**Definitions**

*Good Practice Principles* refers to generally accepted principles in the urban pest management industry.

*General economy* should be understood in the broadest sense possible including the impacts on personal and/or business economies.

*General health and wellbeing* should be understood in the broadest sense possible and may include a general reference to impacts on public health and safety issues.

*Integrated Pest Management (IPM)* is constantly evolving; the most current IPM practices should be described and used in the evidence presented for assessment against this standard.

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## Outcomes and performance criteria

### Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of the purpose and impacts of UPM.

#### Performance criteria

- 1.1 The purpose of UPM in terms of general health and wellbeing is explained.
- 1.2 The purpose of UPM in terms of the impacts on the general economy is explained.
- 1.3 The purpose of UPM in terms of the impacts on the environment is explained.

### Outcome 2

Describe the broad good practice principles of integrated pest management.

#### Performance criteria

- 2.1 Describe integrated pest management in the UPM industry in terms of good practice principles.

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#### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

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Registration	1	16 April 2015	N/A
Revision	2	31 May 2018	N/A

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### Comments on this unit standard

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