

Title	Apply specialised knowledge of infection control and contamination prevention when working as a cleaner		
Level	3	Credits	10

Purpose	People credited with this standard are able to explain and apply specialist procedures for controlling infection and preventing contamination when working as a cleaner
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Classification	Cleaning and Caretaking > Cleaning Skills
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Available grade	Achieved
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Entry information	
Recommended skills and knowledge	Unit 29382, <i>Work independently as a cleaner</i> , and Unit 29384, <i>Apply general knowledge of infection prevention and contamination as a cleaner</i> , or demonstrate equivalent skills and knowledge.

Explanatory notes

- 1 Work practices must comply with current legislation and be in accordance with organisational requirements.
- 2 Practical outcomes may be demonstrated at a single site requiring specialised cleaning procedures.

Outcomes and evidence requirements

Outcome 1

Apply specialised knowledge of infection control and contamination prevention when working as a cleaner.

Evidence requirements

- 1.1 Infection risk and contamination prevention procedures are described and applied according to organisational procedures.
- 1.2 Routes and methods of infection transmission and contamination are identified.
- 1.3 Standard precautions are described and applied.

- 1.4 Specialised cleaning procedures for stringent infection control are identified and applied.
- 1.5 Risks associated with not following infection control procedures are identified.
- 1.6 Actions to control specified infection outbreaks are described according to organisational procedures.
- 1.7 Reporting requirements and emergency procedures for infection outbreaks, incidents and accidents are described according to organisational procedure.

Planned review date	31 December 2021
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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	21 April 2016	N/A

Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference	0024
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Please note

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Requirements for consent to assess and an outline of the moderation system that applies to this standard are outlined in the Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMRs). The CMR 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

Please contact Careerforce info@careerforce.org.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.