

PREPARING FOR THE QUALITY COUNCIL FOR TRADES AND OCCUPATIONS



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STRUCTURE OF THE PRESENTATION

Responsibilities of accredited skills development providers

External assessment of occupational qualifications

Recognition of Prior Learning



Proposed responsibilities of accredited skills development providers



An accredited skills development provider must, in respect of the curriculum components for which it is accredited:

- provide occupational learning as specified in the relevant curriculum component(s);
 - conduct internal assessment as specified within the relevant curriculum component(s);
 - moderate internal assessment;
 - issue statements of results to learners in the form and manner required by the QC (**except in the case of foundational learning**);
 - report on the performance of their functions in the form and manner required by the QC;
 - report learner achievements to the QC in the form and manner required by the QC; and
 - cooperate fully with any quality or resource audit conducted or authorised by the QC.

- Providers accredited by other QCs are deemed to have met the general accreditation criteria but must meet curriculum specific criteria;
- Scope of accreditation of a skills development provider can be amended without reference to general criteria;
- Withdrawal of accreditation refers to inability to meet general criteria, comply with policies and procedures or failed to fulfil its responsibilities.





- Based on Qualification Assessment Specifications published on the web-site;
- The Qualification Assessment Specifications document defines the overall assessment strategy and defines the key focus areas for external integrated assessment;
- It specifies the accreditation requirements for assessment centres or requirements for assessment sites;
- It specifies the requirements for registration of relevant assessment practitioners
- It provides exemplars of instruments, developed by the Assessment Quality Partner.



Any learners may apply to an accredited skills development provider or an accredited occupational assessment centre for assessment of prior learning for the purpose of issuing a statement of results for –

- access to a learning programme;
- exemption from completing some learning components of a learning programme;
- access to an external assessment.

The assessment of prior learning includes – the verification of documents presented as evidence of prior learning; and the assessment of prior learning acquired through any combination of formal or informal training and education, work experience, community engagement or general life experience.



The accredited skills development provider or accredited occupational assessment centre must give feedback to learners about their learning achievements and any gaps identified in their prior learning.

The accredited skills development provider or accredited occupational assessment centre may -

- refer learners to suitable skills development providers or workplaces; and
- provide career advice.



MODEL FOR QUALITY MANAGEMENT

Quality Improvement through **MONITORING AND EVALUATION**

- of development and design processes
- of implementation of learning programs
- data analysis and impact assessment

Quality Assurance of development and design of **CURRICULA**

By applying nationally standardised processes and systems

- Occupational Curricula
- Foundational Learning Competence
- Occupational Qualifications & US

QUALITY PARTNERS

Quality Assurance of development and design of **ASSESSMENT PROCESSES**

By applying nationally standardised processes and systems

- Qualification Assessment Specifications (QAS)
- Nationally standardised assessment instruments

Quality Control of **PROVISION,** **IMPLEMENTATION** and **CERTIFICATION**

- Accreditation of Skills Development Providers (requirements specified in curriculum)
- Implementation of assessment strategies (requirements specified in QAS)
- Establishing a secure certification system



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Questions and answers