

Certificate II in HVAC hygiene

Qualification description

This is an ASQA-accredited qualification in cleaning and sanitising split-system and ducted air-conditioning systems with a capacity of up to 18 kilowatts.

Occupational titles include HVAC/air-conditioning cleaner or hygiene technician.

This qualification does not include electrical service, repair, maintenance, diagnosis or fault finding. It applies to effective isolations only. If cleaning and sanitising requires positive isolation to remove electrical components, work must be undertaken by suitably licensed persons.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.

Packaging rules

To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in twelve units of competency, consisting of three core units and nine electives. Eight electives are to come from group A and one from group B as described below.

Core units: HVAC hygiene

All three units below are to be completed.

These first three units have been developed for this qualification and represent the central competencies for the job.

- HVACCC001 Clean and sanitise air conditioning split systems
- HVACCC002 Clean and sanitise air conditioning ducted systems
- HVACCC003 Identify, treat and prevent corrosion in air conditioning systems

Group A: Workplace skills

- [CPPCLO2032 Plan basic cleaning activities](#)
- [CPPCMN2004 Provide basic client services](#)
- [CPPCLO2034 Maintain storage area and cleaning equipment](#)
- [BSBSUS201 Participate in environmentally sustainable work practices](#)
- [BSBINM201 Process and maintain workplace information](#)
- [BSBWOR204 Use business technology](#)
- [BSBWOR203 Work effectively with others](#)
- [HLTAID003 Provide first aid](#)

All eight of the above units can be completed, or up to three units can be replaced by units from any training package.

Replacement units must not substantially replicate the outcomes of any other unit taken as part of this qualification and must lead to an industry-supported vocational outcome. (For example, appropriate units from air-conditioning and refrigeration mechanic qualifications can be used to facilitate future career development into this area.)

Group B: Health and safety

One of the following is to be completed.

- [BSBWHS201 Contribute to health and safety of self and others](#)
- [RIIWHS201D Work safely and follow WHS policies and procedures](#)
- [CPCCWHS2001 Apply WHS requirements, policies and procedures in the construction industry](#)

Group B options are designed to allow workers to meet either resource and infrastructure (RII) or construction (CPC) industry requirements for work health and safety training—or more general industry needs (BSB).

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