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Modification History

Release Number	TP Version	Comments
1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

Performance Evidence

The candidate must be assessed on their ability to integrate and apply the performance requirements of this unit in a workplace setting. Performance must be demonstrated consistently over time and in a suitable range of contexts.

The candidate must provide evidence that they can:

- obtain colostrum from suitable donor animals and select suitable frozen colostrum
- handle and feed new born animals appropriately
- handle frozen colostrum according to enterprise and health and safety procedures
- store colostrum for future use
- follow relevant work health and safety and animal welfare requirements

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate knowledge of:

- nutritional needs of newborn animals and the need for feeding colostrum to newborn animals
- selection of suitable donor animals
- methods and equipment used to collect colostrum
- care, husbandry and management of newborn animals
- handling of frozen colostrum
- administration of colostrum to newborn animals and their post-administration care
- storage procedures of colostrum
- relevant work health and safety and animal welfare requirements

Assessment Conditions

Competency is to be assessed in the workplace and/or a simulated environment that accurately reflects performance in a real workplace setting.

Assessments for the following performance evidence must be conducted on live animals:

- obtain colostrum
- administer colostrum to newborn animals

Assessors must satisfy current standards for RTOs.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>