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## Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with RGR Racing and Breeding Training Package Version 2.0.

## Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency in this unit must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria of this unit. There must be evidence that the individual has provided emergency animal assistance for at least three incidents or realistic simulations, including for each:

- assessed risks associated with emergency animal assistance and incident site
- assisted individuals and secured incident scene
- contacted veterinarian, steward or other specialists in an emergency
- assisted with managing the incident scene, including:
  - restricted public access or view of incident
  - assisted veterinarian and/or steward
- assisted with arranging and transporting injured or deceased animal to designated destination.

## Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- types of incidents, hazards and emergencies at racing and training tracks, including:
  - on track
  - public areas
  - stables or kennels
  - training equipment and facilities
- types and roles of specialists to contact in an emergency
- strategies and considerations for managing incident scenes
- personal protective equipment, including operation and maintenance procedures
- avenues and procedures for personnel to access grief counselling
- common greyhound or horse injuries at racing and training tracks

- manual handling techniques, equipment and procedures for animal restraint, lifting, loading and transporting
- disposal areas and procedures
- race meeting track management operations and staff roles
- racing industry standards and expectations relevant for providing emergency animal assistance, covering:
  - animal welfare, work health and safety and environmental procedures
  - protocols and procedures for communicating with stewards, veterinarians, racing officials and other relevant people.

## Assessment Conditions

Assessment of skills must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
  - a racing or training track site or an environment that accurately reflects performance in a real workplace setting
- resources, equipment and materials:
  - real injured animals, appropriate simulations or cadavers, depending on assessment environment and situation
  - greyhound or horse vehicle for transporting animals
  - materials and equipment required to provide emergency animal assistance
  - personal protective equipment correctly fitted and appropriate for activity for individual.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

## Links

Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: - <https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5c4b8489-f7e1-463b-81c8-6ecce6c192a0>