Title	Demonstrate knowledge of the impact of alcohol and other drugs		
Level	1	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of the impact of alcohol and other drugs.	
Classification	Core Generic > Self-Management	
Available grade	Achieved	

Guidance Information

- 1 All concerned with the teaching/learning and assessment relating to this unit standard need to be aware of, and respect, any issues of privacy and confidentiality. Such issues must be treated with care, recognising that use of alcohol and other drugs can be a sensitive issue.
- 2 Definition Other drugs may include depressants, stimulants, and hallucinogens.
- 3 The following legislation and subsequent amendments provide reference, where needed, for this unit standard:

Misuse of Drugs Act 1975

Psychoactive Substances Act 2013

Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of the impact of alcohol and other drugs.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Alcohol and other drugs are described in terms of their physical, emotional, and interpersonal effects in both the short and long term.
- 1.2 Alcohol and other drugs are described in terms of the legal implications of their possession, distribution, and use.
- 1.3 Signs and/or symptoms which would indicate unsafe use of alcohol and other drugs are described in terms of health, work or study, and relationships.
- 1.4 Strategies to manage pressures to use alcohol and other drugs are described.

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1.5 Three sources that assist with drug and/or alcohol advice are identified by name, location, and services provided.

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Comments on this unit standard

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