

Apprentice Lineworkers are trained to the Certificate III in ESI - Distribution Overhead Qualification. The Qualification is made up of units of Competence which are categorised as either Core or Elective units. Training for this Qualification is delivered by a Registered Training Organisation (RTO).

These units of competence incorporate training which may align with Technical Training required to be undertaken according to the VESI Skills and Training Guideline and Matrix.

The purpose of this guide is to assist the employer to understand where the VESI Technical Training aligns completely or partially to the unit of competence delivered during the apprenticeship and to provide guidance to the RTO on the evidence required upon successful completion of a competency. Where additional gap training is required, this could be delivered during the appropriate unit of competency.

The following table aligns the VESI Technical Training requirements, where applicable, to the Lineworker Qualification Units of Competence and specifies the required evidence including Statement of Results, Statement of Attainment to be provided by the RTO.

The employer shall record the initial VESI Technical Training in the ESI Worker with the date aligned to the achievement of the applicable competency. The date in ESI Worker shall be used to determine the refresher training / competency period.

			Required Evidence for VESI Technical Training			
VESI Technical Training	Qualification Unit of Competency	When delivered	Delivered in Apprenticeship year	Qualification Statement of Results	Statement of Attainment (SOA)	ESI Worker
Prepare to work safely in the construction industry - CPCOHS1001		To be delivered in conjunction with the apprentice program, unless already obtained	1		SOA	Employer – To upload either the construction induction card or the SOA into the National competency and submit
Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation - HLTAID009		To be delivered with or in conjunction with the apprentice program. May form part of Provide First Aid	1		SOA	Training Provider — To process training through the Trainers Portal Employer — To upload SOA in the applicable National competency and submit



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Provide First Aid in an ESI environment – UETDRMP010		To be delivered with or in conjunction with the apprentice program. May form part of Provide First Aid	1		SOA	Training Provider — To process training through the Trainers Portal Employer — To upload SOA in the applicable National competency and submit
VESI Safety Framework	Apply work health and safety regulations, codes and practices in the workplace - UEECD0007	In Qualification Unit of Competence	1			Training Provider — To process training through the Trainers Portal
Manual Handling	Apply work health and safety regulations, codes and practices in the workplace - UEECD0007	In Qualification Unit of Competence	1			
VESI Environmental Framework	Apply environmental requirements – UETDREL001	In Qualification Unit of Competence	1			
Safe Approach Distances	Work safely in the vicinity of live electrical apparatus - UETDREL005	In Qualification Unit of Competence	1			
Safe to Climb		Delivered in conjunction with initial training of apprenticeship	1			



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ESI safety rules for work on, near or in the vicinity of electrical apparatus - UETDRMP002	Work safely in the vicinity of live electrical apparatus - UETDREL005	In Qualification Unit of Competence	1		SOA	Training Provider – To process training through the Trainers Portal Employer – To upload SOA in the applicable National competency and submit
Perform elevated work platform rescue – UETDRMP005		Delivered in conjunction with initial training of apprenticeship	1		SOA	
Perform elevated work platform controlled descent escape – UETDRMP004		Delivered in conjunction with initial training of apprenticeship	1		SOA	
Perform Pole Top Rescue – UETDRMP006	Work safely in the vicinity of live electrical apparatus - UETDREL005		1		SOA	
Control traffic with stop- slow bat - RIIWHS205E		To be delivered in conjunction with the apprentice program, unless already obtained	1		SOA	
Implement traffic management plan - RIIWHS302E		To be delivered in conjunction with the apprentice program, unless already obtained	1		SOA	
Apply access authority procedures to work on or near electrical apparatus - UETDRMP001	Install and maintain distribution overhead conductors and cables – UETDRIS007	In Qualification Unit of Competence	2	Statement of Results for Qualification unit of competence	SOA	



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Safe to Approach SWER	Install and maintain distribution overhead conductors and cables – UETDRIS007	In Qualification Unit of Competence	2			Training Provider – To process training through the Trainers Portal
Working on energised low voltage overhead electrical apparatus – UETDRMP012	Maintain overhead energised low voltage distribution network – UETDRDO005	In Qualification Unit of Competence	2	Statement of Results for Qualification unit of competence	SOA	Training Provider – To process training through the Trainers Portal Employer – To upload SOA in the applicable National competency and submit
Testing of connections to low voltage electricity networks (Servicing procedures) - UETDRMP011	Install and maintain low voltage underground services – UETDRISO11 Install and replace energy meters and associated equipment - UETDRISO14	In Qualification Unit of Competence	3	Statement of Results for Qualification unit of competence	SOA Issued on completion of UETDRIS011 & UETDRIS014	
Making LV Dead	Perform low voltage field switching operation to a given schedule – UETDRIS018	In Qualification Unit of Competence	3			Training Provider – To process training through the Trainers Portal



Definitions

Statement of Attainment (SOA) Issued by the RTO confirming successful completion of National units of competence

ESI Worker An individual's record of training where the entries are recorded electronically confirming successful completion of

VESI Technical training

VESI Technical TrainingTraining which meets the requirements in the VESI Skills and Training Guideline and Matrix. Initial training can be

Units of competence as stated in the matrix