

Undertake audiometry screening tests with children in a health, disability, or community setting

Level 3

Credits 8

Purpose People credited with this unit standard are able to: prepare to undertake audiometry screening tests with children; undertake audiometry screening tests with children; and process audiometry screening test results.

Subfield Community Support

Domain Human Services

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This AMAP can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

Special notes

- 1 The performance of all elements of this unit standard must comply with any relevant cultural or legislative requirements including the rights and responsibilities of people receiving services or supports as outlined in the Health and Disability Commissioner (Code of Health and Disability Services Consumers' Rights) Regulations 1996, and SNZ HB 8134.4: 2004 *Health and Disability Sector Standards (Children and Young People)* Audit Workbook, available at <http://www.standards.co.nz>.

- 2 Recommended best practice is defined in the Ministry of Health's document *National Vision Hearing Screening Protocols* (2004) (National Screening Protocols); *Wellchild/Tamariki Ora Health Book*, available from www.healthed.govt.nz; and *The B4 School Check – A handbook for practitioners*, Wellington Ministry of Health, (2008) <http://www.moh.govt.nz>.
- 3 Strategies that are relevant to this unit standard include the *Child Health Strategy* (Wellington: Ministry of Health, 1998), and the *New Zealand Disability Strategy* (Wellington: Ministry of Health, 2001).

Elements and performance criteria

Element 1

Prepare to undertake audiometry screening tests with children.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Venue is selected in accordance with the national screening protocols and the B4 School Check.

Range includes but is not limited to – environment, equipment.
- 1.2 Cohort group is selected in accordance with the national screening protocols and the B4 School Check.

Element 2

Undertake audiometry screening tests with children.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Screening test procedure and presentation are in accordance with the national screening protocols and the B4 School Check.

Element 3

Process audiometry screening test results.

Range evidence must be presented for at least one each of – pass, retest, referral, retest processing.

Performance criteria

- 3.1 Test results are recorded in accordance with the national screening protocols and the B4 School Check.
- 3.2 Test results are interpreted in accordance with the national screening protocols and the B4 School Check.

- 3.3 Screening referral process is recorded in accordance with the national screening protocols and the B4 School Check.
- 3.4 The retest processing is undertaken in accordance with the national screening protocols and the B4 School Check.

Please note

Providers must be accredited by NZQA, or an inter-institutional body with delegated authority for quality assurance, before they can report credits from assessment against unit standards or deliver courses of study leading to that assessment.

Industry Training Organisations must be accredited by NZQA before they can register credits from assessment against unit standards.

Accredited providers and Industry Training Organisations assessing against unit standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those standards.

Accreditation requirements and an outline of the moderation system that applies to this standard are outlined in the Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP). The AMAP also includes useful information about special requirements for organisations wishing to develop education and training programmes, such as minimum qualifications for tutors and assessors, and special resource requirements.

Comments on this unit standard

Please contact the Community Support Services Industry Training Organisation Limited enquiries@cssito.org.nz if you wish to suggest changes to the content of this unit standard.