### [Assist with cleaning the stables and yard]



#### **Overview**

This standard is about cleaning the stables and yard under the direction of a supervisor. Cleaning will include skip out, full muck out, disinfection, main yard area, muck help, feed room, hay/straw, barn and tack room.

You will need to be fully aware of the importance of health and safety in connection with this work

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# Performance criteria

ou must be able to:	РΙ	The the horse up salely and securely
	P2	Prepare the equipment and bedding as instructed
	P3	Clean stables and dispose of waste according to instructions
	P4	Replace and store equipment according to instructions
	P5	Check the water supply for the horse is clean
	P6	Keep the yard clean and maintain the muck area in accordance with
		instructions
	P7	Clean surface drains to ensure the free flow of excess water
	P8	Identify and report faults and defects immediately to the appropriate
		norcon

Maintain the health and safety of horses, self and others during the work.

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# Knowledge and understanding

### You need to know and understand:

- K1 Basic horse welfare requirements, including depth of bedding and water provision, and how to maintain their health and well-being
- K2 Types of bedding used in stabling to maintain horses' health and wellbeing e.g. straw, shavings, paper, rubber matting and other alternatives
- K3 Your responsibilities under animal health and welfare and health and safety legislation and codes of practice
- K4 How to handle and tie horses up safely and securely
- K5 Correct methods for disposal of waste
- K6 The types, correct use and storage of equipment used in cleaning stables
- K7 The correct use of cleaning materials and legislative requirements
- K8 Types of hazards which may be present in the stable and yard and how these should be removed or controlled
- K9 Reasons for keeping yard and surrounding areas free from hazards
- K10 Hygiene requirements for horses, self and others
- K11 Health and safety implications associated with drains and muck heaps
- K12 To whom faults and defects should be reported.

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Additional Information (Delete any sections not needed)

Scope/range

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