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Introduction

This occupational short programme is unit standard based and aimed at cleaners working in commercial, domestic and industrial cleaning environments.

The programme is practical and provides cleaning services employees with the opportunity to carry out their functions more professionally and effectively. It covers two broad subject areas, vacuum cleaning wet surfaces and stripping and sealing hard floors.

Delegates will learn how to use a vacuum cleaner and accessories to clean different wet floor surfaces, follow a range of cleaning and safety procedures, remove high foam liquids from floors, prepare hard floors for stripping, manual stripping, wet and dry stripping, re-sealing floors and following end-of-task activities after sealing is complete.

The programme can be used to articulate into the GETC: Hygiene and Cleaning.

Target Audience

This course is suitable for cleaners working in commercial, industrial, pharmaceutical, food handling, domestic and health care cleaning environments.

Entry Requirements

- Communication at ABET level 3.

Additional Requirements

- You will need access to appropriate workplace activities.
- Active support and mentorship by your manager.
- Access to a PC, software and the internet for any online learning.

Health, Safety & Hygiene

Hard Floors: Clean, Strip & Seal

SERVICES SETA Statement of Results

US ID: 110470 & 110476

NQF Level: 1

Credits: 14

Course Delivery & Assessment

We use in-classroom, virtual classroom and blended interactive, facilitated training, group discussions and practical exercises to embed skills.

You will need to:

- Attend all scheduled sessions.
- Demonstrate theoretical and practical understanding of course content.
- Complete and present practical assignments.
- Participate in experiential learning, group activities and discussions.
- Compile and submit a Portfolio of Evidence (PoE).

To receive your Statement of Results: Hard Floors: Clean, Strip and Seal, you will need to compile, submit and be found competent on a Portfolio of Evidence (PoE).

Learning Outcomes

By the end of the course, you will be able to:

- Prepare, select and use vacuum cleaning equipment and accessories.
- Understand and explain the relevant terminology and safety procedures of a vacuum cleaner.
- Prepare and vacuum wet surfaces while following safety procedures.
- Perform end of vacuuming procedures.
- Select personal protective clothing and follow safety protocols when stripping and sealing floors.
- Prepare hard floors for stripping.
- Manually strip areas inaccessible to cleaning machinery.
- Wet, dry strip and reseal a floor surface.
- Perform end of task procedures after stripping and sealing hard and resilient floors.





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Course Content

Hard Floors: Clean, Strip and Seal

Accreditation Body: SERVICES SETA

| SAQA ID: 110470 | NQF Level: 1 | Credits : 4
| SAQA ID: 110476 | NQF Level: 1 | Credits : 10

Module 1: Vacuum Clean Wet Surfaces

- Prepare vacuum cleaning equipment and accessories
- Prepare to vacuum a wet surface
- Vacuum a wet floor
- Perform end of task procedures after vacuum cleaning wet surfaces

Module 2: Strip and Seal Hard and Resilient Floors using a Water-based Sealing Product

- Prepare to strip floors
- Manually strip areas inaccessible to cleaning machinery
- Dry strip a floor
- Wet strip a floor
- Re-seal the floor surface
- Perform end of task procedures after stripping and sealing hard and resilient floors

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