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Waste Management Industry Training and Advisory Board

WAMITAB Level 1 Diploma for General Recycling Operative (OCF 600/0032/6)

Qualification summary

Achievement of the qualification demonstrates competence by the learner to operate appropriately and in accordance with employment requirements whilst undertaking recycling activities as determined by the units selected.

The qualification is assessed 'on-the-job' at appropriate waste management and recycling facilities.

The structure of the qualification includes some units which are specified in other similar WAMITAB recycling and waste management qualifications. This provides an ideal progression opportunity for learners to achieve further qualifications or specific units to match existing and future employment requirements by building on the units and credits achieved in this qualification.

The qualification provides progression opportunities by utilising units that are common to other waste management and recycling OCF qualifications and competence requirements. Furthermore, earlier qualification of a similar type can, through for example, recognition of prior learning (RPL), enable cost effective progression routes to the learner to achieve this or other qualifications appropriate to their employment.

Candidates must complete all Mandatory Units, and a further five units from the option group. The minimum credits required to complete this qualification is 38.

A - Mandatory Group - Learners must complete all of the units in this Group in order to achieve the qualification.

Credit Value required: Minimum 24.

Sub-components required: Minimum 5.

Unit reference No:	Unit Title	Credit Level	Credit Value
D/502/6219	Working safely in the recycling industry	1	7
Y/502/6218	Maintain effective working relationships in the recycling industry	1	7
L/502/6216	Maintain standards of service during recycling activities	1	5
J/502/6215	Environmental protection within the recycling industry	1	3
R/602/2078	Manual handling, lifting and moving of loads in a waste environment	1	2

B - Option Units - Learners must complete 5 units from this group.

Credit Value required: Minimum 14.

Sub-components required: Minimum 5.

Unit reference No:	Unit Title	Credit Level	Credit Value
K/602/0918	Collect recyclables and other materials	1	5
Y/602/0915	Assist in the safe operation of work vehicles during recycling operations	1	3
Y/602/1076	Loading a waste transport vehicle	2	2
T/602/0887	Communicate with the public and others on recycling activities	2	3

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B - Option Units Continued.

Unit reference No:	Unit Title	Credit Level	Credit Value
D/602/0916	Dispatch recyclables and other materials	1	5
T/502/6243	Comply with procedure to maintain security of facilities, equipment and materials within the recycling industry	1	4
R/502/6220	Sort and prepare recyclables and other materials for processing	1	8
M/602/0886	Encourage recycling services through promotion	2	2
A/602/0907	Select and use containers for recyclables and other materials	3	6
H/602/0917	Operate equipment for processing of recyclables and other materials	2	8
R/602/0914	Clean and maintain facilities and equipment for the processing of recyclables and other materials	2	3
T/602/0923	Prepare plant and equipment for processing recyclables and other materials	1	3
A/602/0924	Assist in the maintenance of plant and equipment for processing recyclables and other materials	1	5
M/602/0922	Operate and shut down processing plant	2	7