

**Specification of Competency Standards**  
**for the Elderly Care Service Industry**  
**Unit of Competency**

Functional Area - Gerontechnology

Title	Understand the Safety Principles for the Use of Gerontechnology
Code	110886L2
Range	This Unit of Competency is applicable to practitioners who are responsible for the use of gerontechnology in the elderly care service industry. The application requires performing a range of tasks in predictable and structured working environments, and its execution requires understanding abilities and interpretation skills. Practitioners should be able to understand and comply with the organization's safety principles for the use of gerontechnology, in order to use the equipment correctly.
Level	2
Credit	3 (For Reference Only)
Competency	<p>Performance Requirements</p> <p>1. Relevant knowledge on the safety principles for the use of gerontechnology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Basic electronic safety, such as: follow instructions, etc.</li> <li>• Instruct on the correct use and connection of electrical appliances to prevent the risk of electric shock</li> <li>• Arrange for professional technicians to regularly inspect and repair electrical appliances, according to the instructions of the senior, etc.</li> <li>• Understand the steps of operating the equipment</li> <li>• Understand the steps of operation to ensure user safety when operating the instrument</li> <li>• Physical labor safety, such as: the correct posture for carrying objects, as well as rehabilitation and nursing services, etc.</li> <li>• Fire safety, such as: fire prevention, use of fire extinguishing equipment, marking the location of fire escape exits, etc.</li> <li>• Understand the purpose and importance of complying with safety regulations</li> </ul> <p>2. Understand the safety principles for the use of gerontechnology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand the safety settings and operation procedures for gerontechnology</li> <li>• Understand the safety principles for the use of gerontechnology, and strictly comply with them</li> </ul> <p>3. Exhibit professionalism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understand the organization's safety principles when using gerontechnology</li> <li>• Strictly comply with the relevant safety principles and use the equipment correctly</li> </ul>
Assessment Criteria	<p>The integrated outcome requirements of this Unit of Competency are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Able to understand the organization's safety principles for the use of gerontechnology, comply with the relevant safety principles during routine work, and use the equipment correctly to prevent accidents.</li> </ul>
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