

# Conveyancer

**ANZSCO: 599111** 

**Group C** 

# Job description

Conveyancer acts for and on behalf of clients in the area of property and business transfers.

#### **About this document**

- The following Information Sheet is for your reference only and should be used as a guide to assist with your Skills Assessment application to VETASSESS. This information is subject to change.
- Please note that a Skills Assessment of the qualification involves assessment of both the qualification level and content. Qualifications are assessed according to the guidelines published by the Australian Government Department of Education.
- The employment assessment involves determining the skill level and relevance of the tasks undertaken.
- Integrity checks may be conducted to verify the qualification and employment claims made in an application.

# Conveyancer is a Group C VETASSESS occupation

This occupation requires a qualification assessed as comparable to the educational level of an Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Diploma or higher.

Applicants must have fulfilled at least one of the following four criteria (1–4):

GROUP	Criteria for a positive Skills Assessment			
	Minimum comparable Diploma or higher AQF level	With highly relevant major field of study	Additional highly relevant qualifications*	Highly relevant employment duration**
1	AQF LDJ +	+	N/A	+ 0 0 1 YEAR minimum
2		No highly + relevant major	Minimum AQF Certificate IV leve with highly relevant major	+ OOO
3	+	No highly + relevant major	No additional highly relevant qualifications	+ 2 YEARS minimum
Pre-qualification methodology can apply to Group C occupations				
	Highly relevant employment duration**	With or without highly relevant major field of study	Additional highly relevant qualifications*	Minimum comparable Diploma or higher AQF level
4	3 YEARS Minimum  Within last 5 years	+ N/A +	N/A	+ AQF

<sup>\*</sup> Additional qualifications in a highly relevant field of study include those comparable to the following levels:

- AQF Diploma
- AQF Advanced Diploma
- > AQF Associate Degree or
- AQF Graduate Diploma

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minimum years of employment highly relevant to the nominated occupation, completed at an appropriate skill level in the five years before the date of application for a Skills Assessment.

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minimum 4 years of relevant employment required – three years of relevant employment (can be outside the last 5-year period) in addition to at least one year of highly relevant employment within the last five years before applying.

\*If employment is prior to the completion of the qualification at the required level, an applicant must have at least one year of highly relevant employment at an appropriate skill level within the last five years. The remaining three years of pre-qualifying period may be within the last ten years.

A positive assessment of both qualification level and employment duration is required for a positive Skills Assessment outcome.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Highly relevant paid employment duration (20 hours or more per week)

#### Qualification

Highly relevant major fields of study include:

Conveyancing

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### **Employment Criteria**

highly relevant tasks include, but are not limited to:

- Preparing, examining and advising on contracts of sale for properties and businesses
- Carrying out title searches and contacting government authorities to find out if any planned development, illegal building work and disputes could affect properties and businesses
- Preparing, examining and advising on mortgage documentation
- Negotiating the terms and conditions of, and exchanging, contracts of sale, paying deposits, arranging payment of stamp duty, checking for outstanding arrears and land tax obligations, and calculating adjustments for council and water rates