

Respiratory Technician

ANZSCO: 311217**Group E**

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.

Job description

Respiratory Technicians perform routine lung function tests, uses and maintains diagnostic equipment under the supervision of Respiratory Scientists. They monitor patients on ventilation or those undergoing sleep studies.

Occupations considered suitable under this ANZSCO code:

Sleep Technician

Specialisation: Neurophysiological Technician

Occupations not considered under this ANZSCO code:

Medical Technicians nec

Respiratory Technician is a VETASSESS Group E Occupation

Applicants are required to have an AQF Diploma or higher level of qualification, along with minimum 1 year of highly relevant employment experience undertaken in the last five years.

Qualification and employment criteria

Qualification

Currently a specialisation under Medical Technicians nec (ANZSCO Code 311299)
Medicine, Clinical studies, Respiratory Science, Human biology, Life Science

Employment

Respiratory Technicians performs routine lung function tests; uses and maintains diagnostic equipment under the supervision of Respiratory Scientists. Monitors patients on ventilation or those undergoing sleep studies. operating and maintaining equipment used in diagnosing and monitoring of breathing or sleep disorders

