

Specification of Competency Standards
for the Logistics Industry
Unit of Competency

Functional Area - Operations Management

Title	Apply multimodal transport concepts and knowledge
Code	LOCUCN201B
Range	This unit of competency is applicable to all kinds of logistics operators. Practitioners should be capable to apply the multimodal transport concepts in cargo transport services.
Level	2
Credit	3 (For Reference Only)
Competency	<p>Performance Requirements</p> <p>1. Possess basic knowledge of multimodal transport concepts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand multimodal transport concepts and its development • Understand the application of the concepts of land-bridge multimodal transport and multimodal standardisation, etc. • Understand the documents and work flow arrangement for multimodal transport • Understand that multimodal transport is a crucial element for logistics and logistics solutions • Understand the basic contents of different transport modes, such as the matching of equipment, loading/unloading, cargo and carrier • Understand the case studies, modes and solutions of multimodal transport • Understand the advantages and disadvantages of multimodal transport • Understand new development of transportation mode including train, cross province/border/countries LCL trucks, consolidation trucks, express delivery networks, flight chartering, etc. <p>2. Apply multimodal transport concepts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Apply multimodal transport concepts to help the customers arrange and co-ordinate cargo transport matters • Complete suitable documents for multimodal operation • Understand the technical terms or basic clauses of a multimodal contract • Apply existing multimodal methods in the proposals for cargo transport services to the customers • Explain to the customers the differences, advantages and disadvantages of using multimodal method and transport modes • Promote new routing and multimodal transport solution like courier express, sea-express, air-land (cross-border), sea-land (LCL Door-door), flight chartering, cooperation with subcontractors etc., which is suitable for the business of the company • Apply track and trace system to provide transparent cargo status and visibility
Assessment Criteria	<p>The integrated outcome requirement of this unit of competency is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capable to apply multimodal transport concepts to communicate with in-service personnel and to help the customers handle the documents and arrange cargo transport matters.
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