



SAQA 123134: Apply herbicides to noxious weeds

Herbicide applicator:

This course covers aspects pertaining to the use of agrochemicals used in weed control as well as the equipment used in the application. It is also useful in horticultural practices. It also covers the correct Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) required, when working with chemicals and how to deal with incidents involving direct and indirect exposure.

Unit standard Title	Apply herbicides to noxious weeds	SAQA ID	123134	NQF Level	1	Credits	3
Overall purpose of the unit standard	<p>This course is aimed at the control of weeds with the safe use and storage of herbicides. Achieving competency during this course enables but is not limited to being able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Prepare for chemical weed control.• Apply chemical to weeds.• Practice safe working procedures when using agrochemicals.• Maintain equipment.						
Learning strategy	Mode		Method				
	Contact Sessions and experiential learning: 2 days <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Theoretical training and Practical assessment• Prescribed reading, support and coaching• Reflective learning with mentoring support		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Interactive practical demonstrations• Group discussions and feedback• Facilitation of class activities				

