

Management and Leadership Level 3 Units

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Title	Manage personal and professional development	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 9	
Level	3	
Credit Value	3	
GLH	12	
Unit Reference No.	T/506/2952	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Be able to identify personal and professional development requirements	1.1 Compare sources of information on professional development trends and their validity 1.2 Identify trends and developments that influence the need for professional development 1.3 Evaluate their own current and future personal and professional development needs relating to the role, the team and the organisation	
2. Be able to fulfil a personal and professional development plan	2.1 Evaluate the benefits of personal and professional development 2.2 Explain the basis on which types of development actions are selected 2.3 Identify current and future likely skills, knowledge and experience needs using skills gap analysis 2.4 Agree a personal and professional development plan that is consistent with business needs and personal objectives 2.5 Execute the plan within the agreed budget and timescale 2.6 Take advantage of development opportunities made available by professional networks or professional bodies	
3. Be able to maintain the relevance of a personal and professional development plan	3.1 Explain how to set specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and time-bound (SMART) objectives 3.2 Obtain feedback on performance from a range of valid sources 3.3 Review progress toward personal and	

	<p>professional objectives</p> <p>3.4 Amend the personal and professional development plan in the light of feedback received from others</p>
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Additional Information about the unit	
Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	<p>Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFAM&LAA1 Manage yourself • CFAM&LAA2 Develop your knowledge, skills and competence • CFAM&LAA3 Develop and maintain your professional networks"
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
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Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
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Title	Promote equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 10	
Level	3	
Credit Value	3	
GLH	15	
Unit Reference No.	T/506/1820	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand the organisational aspects of equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace	1.1 Explain the difference between equality, diversity and inclusion 1.2 Explain the impact of equality, diversity and inclusion across aspects of organisational policy 1.3 Explain the potential consequences of breaches of equality legislation 1.4 Describe nominated responsibilities within an organisation for equality, diversity and inclusion	
2. Understand the personal aspects of equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace	2.1 Explain the different forms of discrimination and harassment 2.2 Describe the characteristics of behaviour that supports equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace 2.3 Explain the importance of displaying behaviour that supports equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace	
3. Be able to support equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace	3.1 Ensure colleagues are aware of their responsibilities for equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace 3.2 Identify potential issues relating to equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace 3.3 Adhere to organisational policies and procedures, and legal and ethical requirements when supporting equality, diversity and inclusion in the workplace	

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Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CFAM&LBA7 Promote equality of opportunity, diversity and inclusion

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Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

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Title	Manage team performance	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 11	
Level	3	
Credit Value	4	
GLH	21	
Unit Reference No.	A/506/1821	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand the management of team performance	1.1 Explain the use of benchmarks in managing performance 1.2 Explain a range of quality management techniques to manage team performance 1.3 Describe constraints on the ability to amend priorities and plans	
2. Be able to allocate and assure the quality of work	2.1 Identify the strengths, competences and expertise of team members 2.2 Allocate work on the basis of the strengths, competences and expertise of team members 2.3 Identify areas for improvement in team members' performance outputs and standards 2.4 Amend priorities and plans to take account of changing circumstances 2.5 Recommend changes to systems and processes to improve the quality of work	
3. Be able to manage communications within a team	3.1 Explain to team members the lines of communication and authority levels 3.2 Communicate individual and team objectives, responsibilities and priorities 3.3 Use communication methods that are appropriate to the topics, audience and timescales 3.4 Provide support to team members when they need it 3.5 Agree with team members a process for providing feedback on work progress and any issues arising 3.6 Review the effectiveness of team communications and make improvements	

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Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFAM&LDB2 Allocate work to team members • CFAM&LDB3 Quality assure work in your team
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
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Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

Title	Manage individuals' performance	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 12	
Level	3	
Credit Value	4	
GLH	20	
Unit Reference No.	J/506/1921	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand the management of underperformance in the workplace	1.1 Explain typical organisational policies and procedures on discipline, grievance and dealing with underperformance 1.2 Explain how to identify causes of underperformance 1.3 Explain the purpose of making individuals aware of their underperformance clearly but sensitively 1.4 Explain how to address issues that hamper individuals' performance 1.5 Explain how to agree a course of action to address underperformance	
2. Be able to manage individuals' performance in the workplace	2.1 Agree with team members specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and time-bound (SMART) objectives that align to organisational objectives 2.2 Delegate responsibility to individuals on the basis of their expertise, competence, skills, knowledge, and development needs 2.3 Apply motivation techniques to maintain morale 2.4 Provide information, resources and on-going mentoring to help individuals meet their targets, objectives and quality standards 2.5 Monitor individuals' progress towards objectives in accordance with agreed plans 2.6 Recognise individuals' achievement of targets and quality standards 2.7 Adhere to organisational policies and procedures, and legal and ethical requirements when managing	

	individuals' performance in the workplace
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Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFAM&LDB4 Manage people's performance at work • CFAM&LDC2 Support individuals' learning and development • CFAM&LDC3 Mentor individuals • CFAM&LDC5 Help individuals address problems affecting their performance
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Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

Title	Manage individuals' development in the workplace	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 13	
Level	3	
Credit Value	3	
GLH	10	
Unit Reference No.	L/506/1922	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Be able to carry out performance appraisals	1.1 Explain the purpose of performance reviews and appraisals 1.2 Explain techniques to prepare for and carry out appraisals 1.3 Provide a private environment in which to carry out appraisals 1.4 Carry out performance reviews and appraisals in accordance with organisational policies and procedures 1.5 Provide clear, specific and evidence-based feedback sensitively 1.6 Agree future actions that are consistent with appraisal findings and identified development needs	
2. Be able to support the learning and development of individual team members	2.1 Describe training techniques that can be applied in the workplace 2.2 Analyse the advantages and disadvantages of learning and development interventions and methods 2.3 Explain organisational learning and development policies and resource availability 2.4 Review individuals' learning and development needs at regular intervals 2.5 Suggest learning and development opportunities and interventions that are likely to meet individual and business needs	

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appropriate)	<p>learning needs and styles</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CFAM&LDC2 Support individuals' learning and development
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
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Title	Chair and lead meetings	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 14	
Level	3	
Credit Value	3	
GLH	10	
Unit Reference No.	Y/506/1924	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Be able to prepare to lead meetings	1.1 Identify the type, purpose, objectives, and background to a meeting 1.2 Identify those individuals expected, and those required to attend a meeting 1.3 Prepare for any formal procedures that apply to a meeting 1.4 Describe ways of minimising likely problems in a meeting 1.5 Take action to ensure that meeting documentation is prepared correctly and distributed to the agreed people within the agreed timescale	
2. Be able to chair and lead meetings	2.1 Follow business conventions in the conduct of a meeting 2.2 Facilitate meetings so that everyone is involved and the optimum possible consensus is achieved 2.3 Manage the agenda within the timescale of the meeting 2.4 Summarise the agreed actions, allocated responsibilities, timescales and any future arrangements	
3. Be able to deal with post-meeting matters	3.1 Take action to ensure that accurate records of a meeting are produced and distributed in the agreed format and timescale 3.2 Take action to ensure that post-meeting actions are completed 3.3 Evaluate the effectiveness of a meeting and identify points for future improvement	

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Details of the relationship between the unit	Management & Leadership (2012) National

and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	Occupational Standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CFAM&LDD6 Lead meetings to achieve objectives
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

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Title	Principles of leadership and management	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 15	
Level	3	
Credit Value	8	
GLH	50	
Unit Reference No.	F/506/2596	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand the principles of effective decision making	1.1 Explain the importance of defining the objectives, scope and success criteria of the decisions to be taken 1.2 Assess the importance of analysing the potential impact of decision making 1.3 Explain the importance of obtaining sufficient valid information to enable effective decision making 1.4 Explain the importance of aligning decisions with business objectives, values and policies 1.5 Explain how to validate information used in the decision making process 1.6 Explain how to address issues that hamper the achievement of targets and quality standards	
2. Understand leadership styles and models	2.1 Explain the difference in the influence of managers and leaders on their teams 2.2 Evaluate the suitability and impact of different leadership styles in different contexts 2.3 Analyse theories and models of motivation and their application in the workplace	
3. Understand the role, functions and processes of management	3.1 Analyse a manager's responsibilities for planning, coordinating and controlling work 3.2 Explain how managers ensure that team objectives are met 3.3 Explain how a manager's role contributes to the achievement of an organisation's vision, mission and objectives 3.4 Analyse theories and models of management	

	<p>3.5 Explain how the application of management theories guide a manager's actions</p> <p>3.6 Explain the operational constraints imposed by budgets</p>
4. Understand performance measurement	<p>4.1 Explain the relationship between business objectives and performance measures</p> <p>4.2 Explain the features of a performance measurement system</p> <p>4.3 Explain how to set key performance indicators (KPIs)</p> <p>4.4 Explain the tools, processes and timetable for monitoring and reporting on business performance</p> <p>4.5 Explain the use of management accounts and management information systems in performance management</p> <p>4.6 Explain the distinction between outcomes and outputs</p>

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Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	N/A
Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

Title	Encourage innovation	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 16	
Level	3	
Credit Value	4	
GLH	14	
Unit Reference No.	J/506/2292	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Be able to identify opportunities for innovation	1.1 Analyse the advantages and disadvantages of techniques used to generate ideas 1.2 Explain how innovation benefits an organisation 1.3 Explain the constraints on their own ability to make changes 1.4 Agree with stakeholders terms of reference and criteria for evaluating potential innovation and improvement 1.5 Engage team members in finding opportunities to innovate and suggest improvements 1.6 Monitor performance, products and/or services and developments in areas that may benefit from innovation 1.7 Analyse valid information to identify opportunities for innovation and improvement	
2. Be able to generate and test ideas for innovation and improvement	2.1 Generate ideas for innovation or improvement that meet the agreed criteria 2.2 Test selected ideas that meet viability criteria 2.3 Evaluate the fitness for purpose and value of the selected ideas 2.4 Assess potential innovations and improvements against the agreed evaluation criteria	
3. Be able to implement innovative ideas and improvements	3.1 Explain the risks of implementing innovative ideas and improvements 3.2 Justify conclusions of efficiency and value with evidence 3.3 Prepare costings and schedules of work that will enable efficient	

	<p>implementation</p> <p>3.4 Design processes that support efficient implementation</p>
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Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	<p>Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CFAM&LCA1 Identify and evaluate opportunities for innovation and improvement
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
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Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

Title	Manage conflict within a team	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 17	
Level	3	
Credit Value	5	
GLH	25	
Unit Reference No.	K/506/1927	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand the principles of conflict management	1.1 Evaluate the suitability of different methods of conflict management in different situations 1.2 Describe the personal skills needed to deal with conflict between other people 1.3 Analyse the potential consequences of unresolved conflict within a team 1.4 Explain the role of external arbitration and conciliation in conflict resolution	
2. Be able to reduce the potential for conflict within a team	2.1 Communicate to team members their roles, responsibilities, objectives and expected standards of behaviour 2.2 Explain to team members the constraints under which other colleagues work 2.3 Review systems, processes, situations and structures that are likely to give rise to conflict in line with organisational procedures 2.4 Take action to minimise the potential for conflict within the limits of their own authority 2.5 Explain how team members' personalities and cultural backgrounds may give rise to conflict	
3. Be able to deal with conflict within a team	3.1 Assess the seriousness of conflict and its potential impact 3.2 Treat everyone involved with impartiality and sensitivity 3.3 Decide a course of action that offers optimum benefits 3.4 Explain the importance of engaging team members' support for the agreed actions 3.5 Communicate the actions to be taken to	

	<p>those who may be affected by it</p> <p>3.6 Adhere to organisational policies and procedures, legal and ethical requirements when dealing with conflict within a team</p>
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Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	<p>Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFAM&LDB8 Manage conflict in teams • CFAM&LDD5 Manage conflict in the broader work environment
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

Title	Procure products and/or services	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 18	
Level	3	
Credit Value	5	
GLH	35	
Unit Reference No.	M/506/1928	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Be able to identify procurement requirements	1.1 Explain current and likely future procurement requirements 1.2 Decide whether the purchase of products and/or services offers the organisation best value 1.3 Evaluate ethical and sustainability considerations relating to procurement 1.4 Justify the decision to buy products and/or services with evidence of an analysis of risk, costs and benefits	
2. Be able to select suppliers	2.1 Explain the factors to be taken into account in selecting suppliers 2.2 Explain organisational procurement policies, procedures and standards 2.3 Explain the effect of supplier choice on the supply chain 2.4 Use appropriate media to publicise procurement requirements 2.5 Confirm the capability and track record of suppliers and their products and/or services 2.6 Select suppliers that meet the procurement specification	
3. Be able to buy products and/or services	3.1 Explain the action to be taken in the event of problems arising 3.2 Agree contract terms that are mutually acceptable within their own scope of authority 3.3 Record agreements made, stating the specification, contract terms and any post-contract requirements 3.4 Adhere to organisational policies and procedures, legal and ethical requirements	

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Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	<p>Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFAM&LED1 Decide whether to produce or buy in products and/or services • CFAM&LED2 Procure products and/or services • CFAM&LED3 Select suppliers through a tendering process
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

Title	Implement change
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 19
Level	3
Credit Value	5
GLH	28
Unit Reference No.	T/506/1929
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria
The learner will:	The learner can:
1. Understand the principles of change management	1.1 Explain the importance of effective leadership when implementing change 1.2 Explain the role of internal and external stakeholders in the management of change 1.3 Evaluate the suitability of change management models for different contexts 1.4 Explain how to assess the business risks associated with change 1.5 Assess the need for contingency planning when implementing change 1.6 Assess the need for crisis management when implementing change 1.7 Explain the different types of barriers to change and how to deal with these 1.8 Explain how to evaluate change management projects
2. Be able to plan the implementation of change	2.1 Explain the need for change 2.2 Explain the potential consequences of not implementing change 2.3 Explain the roles and responsibilities of a change management project team 2.4 Develop a plan that includes specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and time-bound (SMART) objectives and resources 2.5 Brief team members on their roles and responsibilities and the objectives of the change 2.6 Gain acceptance to the need for change from team members and other stakeholders
3. Be able to manage the implementation	3.1 Explain organisational escalation

of a change plan	<p>processes for reporting problems</p> <p>3.2 Analyse the advantages and disadvantages of monitoring techniques</p> <p>3.3 Implement the plan within the agreed timescale</p> <p>3.4 Provide support to team members and other stakeholders according to identified needs</p> <p>3.5 Monitor the progress of the implementation against the plan</p> <p>3.6 Manage problems in accordance with contingency plans</p>
4. Be able to evaluate the effectiveness of the implementation of change plans	<p>4.1 Assess the suitability of techniques used to analyse the effectiveness of change</p> <p>4.2 Collate valid feedback and information from stakeholders</p> <p>4.3 Analyse feedback and information against agreed criteria</p> <p>4.4 Identify areas for future improvement</p> <p>4.5 Communicate the lessons learned with those who may benefit</p>

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Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	<p>Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFAM&LCA2 Plan change • CFAM&LCA3 Engage people in change • CFAM&LCA4 Implement change • CFAM&LCA5 Evaluate change
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

Title	Implement and maintain business continuity plans and processes	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 20	
Level	3	
Credit Value	4	
GLH	25	
Unit Reference No.	K/506/1930	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Be able to plan for the implementation of business continuity plans and processes	1.1 Describe the components of a business continuity plan 1.2 Explain the uses of a business continuity plan 1.3 Explain the features of different business continuity planning models 1.4 Explain the potential consequences of inadequate business continuity plans and processes 1.5 Confirm the required aim, scope and objectives of business continuity plans 1.6 Engage stakeholders in developing business continuity plans and processes 1.7 Identify business-critical products and/or services and the activities and resources that support them	
2. Be able to implement business continuity plans and processes	2.1 Develop a framework for business continuity management 2.2 Recommend resources that are proportionate to the potential impact of business disruption 2.3 Communicate the importance and requirements of business continuity plans and processes to stakeholders 2.4 Meet their own objectives within the plan	
3. Be able to maintain the fitness for purpose of on-going business continuity plans and processes	3.1 Provide training for staff who may be affected 3.2 Validate and test the strength of business continuity plans and processes 3.3 Update plans and processes in the light of feedback from business continuity exercises and other sources of information	

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Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CFAM&LBB2 Develop, maintain and evaluate business continuity plans and arrangements
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
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Title	Collaborate with other departments	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 21	
Level	3	
Credit Value	3	
GLH	14	
Unit Reference No.	M/506/1931	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand how to collaborate with other departments	1.1 Explain the need for collaborating with other departments 1.2 Explain the nature of the interaction between their own team and other departments 1.3 Explain the features of effective collaboration 1.4 Explain the potential implications of ineffective collaboration with other departments 1.5 Explain the factors relating to knowledge management that should be considered when collaborating with other departments	
2. Be able to identify opportunities for collaboration with other departments	2.1 Analyse the advantages and disadvantages of collaborating with other departments 2.2 Identify with which departments collaborative relationships should be built 2.3 Identify the scope for and limitations of possible collaboration	
3. Be able to collaborate with other departments	3.1 Agree Service Level Agreements (SLAs), objectives and priorities of collaborative arrangements 3.2 Work with other departments in a way that contributes to the achievement of organisational objectives	

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Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if appropriate)	Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CFAM&LDD3 Develop and sustain collaborative relationships with

	other departments
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
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Title	Support remote or virtual teams	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 22	
Level	3	
Credit Value	4	
GLH	18	
Unit Reference No.	A/506/1933	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Be able to assess the support needed by remote or virtual teams	1.1 Identify the resource requirements for providing communication tools and processes for remote or virtual working 1.2 Specify effective tools and processes that are capable of supporting remote or virtual teams 1.3 Identify processes and systems that will enable people to connect to information and knowledge remotely and securely 1.4 Plan how to assure the safety of staff in remote teams	
2. Be able to support remote or virtual teams	2.1 Provide guidelines, training, information and coaching to support remote or virtual teams 2.2 Identify areas for improvement from monitoring processes and information 2.3 Facilitate interactive collaboration amongst stakeholders 2.4 Take action to ensure that team members adhere to regulatory, professional and commercial requirements 2.5 Take action to ensure that data security and confidentiality issues arising from remote or virtual working are addressed 2.6 Take action to ensure that records management issues arising from remote or virtual working are addressed	

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Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
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Title	Participate in a project	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 23	
Level	3	
Credit Value	3	
GLH	19	
Unit Reference No.	F/506/1934	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand how to manage a project	1.1 Explain the features of a project business case 1.2 Explain the stages of a project lifecycle 1.3 Explain the roles of people involved in a project 1.4 Explain the uses of project-related information 1.5 Explain the advantages and limitations of different project monitoring techniques 1.6 Analyse the interrelationship of project scope, schedule, finance, risk, quality and resources	
2. Be able to support the delivery of a project	2.1 Fulfil their role in accordance with a project plan 2.2 Collect project-related information in accordance with project plans 2.3 Use appropriate tools to analyse project information 2.4 Report on information analysis in the agreed format and timescale 2.5 Draw issues, anomalies and potential problems to the attention of project managers 2.6 Adhere to organisational policies and procedures, legal and ethical requirements in supporting the delivery of a project	

Additional Information about the unit	
Unit expiry date	31 August 2017
Details of the relationship between the unit and relevant national occupational standards or other professional standards or curricula (if	Management & Leadership (2012) National Occupational Standards: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CFAM&LFA5 Manage projects

appropriate)	
Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	Skills CFA Assessment Strategy Competence units (S/NVQ)
Support for the unit from an SSC or other appropriate body (if required)	Skills CFA
Location of the unit within the subject/sector classification system	15.3
Name of the organisation submitting the unit	Skills CFA
Availability for use	Shared
Unit available from	31 August 2014

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Title	Principles of people management	
Skills CFA Reference	M&L 24	
Level	3	
Credit Value	6	
GLH	34	
Unit Reference No.	R/506/1937	
Learning Outcomes	Assessment Criteria	
The learner will:	The learner can:	
1. Understand the principles of workforce management	1.1 Explain the relationship between Human Resources (HR) functions and other business functions 1.2 Explain the purpose and process of workforce planning 1.3 Explain how employment law affects an organisation's HR and business policies and practices 1.4 Evaluate the implications for an organisation of utilising different types of employment contracts 1.5 Evaluate the implications for an individual of different types of employment contracts	
2. Understand equality of opportunity, diversity and inclusion	2.1 Explain an organisation's responsibilities and liabilities under equality legislation 2.2 Explain the benefits that effective equality of opportunity, diversity and inclusion policies bring to individuals and organisations 2.3 Explain the language and behaviour that support commitments to equality of opportunity, diversity and inclusion 2.4 Explain how to measure diversity within an organisation	
3. Understand team building and dynamics	3.1 Explain the difference between a group and a team 3.2 Outline the characteristics of an effective team 3.3 Explain the techniques of building a team 3.4 Explain techniques to motivate team members	

	<p>3.5 Explain the importance of communicating targets and objectives to a team</p> <p>3.6 Examine theories of team development</p> <p>3.7 Explain common causes of conflict within a team</p> <p>3.8 Explain techniques to manage conflict within a team</p>
<p>4. Understand performance management</p>	<p>4.1 Identify the characteristics of an effective performance management system</p> <p>4.2 Explain the uses of specific, measurable, achievable, realistic and time-bound (SMART) objectives and priorities</p> <p>4.3 Describe best practice in conducting appraisals</p> <p>4.4 Explain the factors to be taken into account when managing people's wellbeing and performance</p> <p>4.5 Explain the importance of following disciplinary and grievance processes</p>
<p>5. Understand training and development</p>	<p>5.1 Explain the benefits of employee development</p> <p>5.2 Explain the advantages and limitations of different types of training and development methods</p> <p>5.3 Explain the role of targets, objectives and feedback in employee development</p> <p>5.4 Explain how personal development plans support the training and development of individuals</p> <p>5.5 Explain how to make use of planned and unplanned learning opportunities to meet individuals' preferred learning styles</p> <p>5.6 Explain how to support individuals' learning and development</p>
<p>6. Understand reward and recognition</p>	<p>6.1 Describe the components of 'total reward'</p> <p>6.2 Analyse the relationship between motivation and reward</p> <p>6.3 Explain different types of pay structures</p> <p>6.4 Explain the risks involved in the management of reward schemes</p>

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Assessment requirements or guidance specified by a sector or regulatory body (if appropriate)	N/A
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