

AHCMOM213 Operate and maintain chainsaws

Course Description:	This unit covers the process of maintaining, preparing and operating hand-held chainsaws in a work environment and defines the standard required to: select, use, maintain and store suitable personal protective equipment; carry out routine checks and maintenance on chainsaw; apply appropriate chainsaw technique and cutting methods according to manufacturer's specifications and documented low risk work procedures; assess and minimise environmental impacts of chainsaw use; maintain records of chainsaw training and certification, risk assessment and use.
Entry Requirements:	Must be at least 16 years old.
Pre-Requisite:	N/A
Duration:	8 hours (1 day)
Venue:	On-Site training. To be confirmed during the booking process
Participants:	No maximum number (minimum 4 people)
Food/Beverages:	To be provided onsite by the client
Site Requirements:	PPE to be work as per site requirements – Suggested minimum - Hi visibility vest/clothing, hard hat and safety boots, glasses
Material Supplied:	All required material is supplied by MBE training. The use of site equipment is recommended to give the trainees some familiarisation with the equipment available onsite.
Assessment:	Trainees will undertake a theory assessment, followed by the development of a JSA and a practical assessment.
Outcome:	Once competence is achieved, trainees will receive a Statement of Attainment for AHCMOM213 – Operate and maintain chainsaws as well as a wallet card with the trainee's photo
Language, literacy and numeracy:	The assessment process is broken into two sections – Knowledge and Practical. The exam is an open book and if required verbal assessments can be undertaken.
Other information:	The training and assessment will involve maintenance and use of chainsaws as well as the moving and sorting of timber that is or has been cut. Trainees will need to have the basic fitness required to undertake these practical tasks.
Cost:	\$400 per person Travel + (gst) will be charged at \$1.00 per km if more than 50km from MBE office. (GST is not charged on nationally recognised training)