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| Title | **Apply continuing professional development** |
| Level | **2** | **Credits** | **8** |

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| Purpose | This competency standard is intended for those who carry out electrical operations. People holding credit for this competency standard are able to: Identify professional development needs; develop professional knowledge, skills and attitudes, and maintain professional proficiency. |

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| Classification ISCED | 0713 Electricity and energy |

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| Available grade | Competent / Not yet competent |

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| Modification history | N/A |

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| **Competency Unit** | **Performance Criteria** | **Knowledge and Understanding** |
| **B1:** **Identify professional development needs** | **P1-** Discuss professional development needs**P2-** Identify professional development programmes | **K1-** Reasons for professional development**K2-** Access to programmes; Career guidance |
| **B2-** **Develop professional knowledge, skills and attitudes**  | **P1-** Participate in training programmes**P2-** Document training outcome | **K1-** Outcomes and relevance of training**K2-** Report and portfolio writing |
| **B3-** **Maintain professional proficiency** | **P1-** Identify and use self-study sources**P2-** Implement self-study plan**P3-** Professional qualification upgradation | **K1-** Research methods; Access to sources**K2-** Planning your career**K3-** Research methods; Access to sources |