

TERTIARY AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION COMMISSION

NVQ Circular No. 01/2025

Termination of National Competency Standards and Curricula

The Commission, at its meeting (No. 2025/02/300 held on 8th April 2025) approved termination of National Competency Standards (NCSs) listed in Row 1 of the table given below. Those NCSs shown in Row 1 have been revised and endorsed into a new version shown in Row 2 thus the NCSs shown in Row 1 will be terminated.

Accordingly, the NCSs given in Row 1 of the table will seize to be effective from 15.04.2025. In place of the terminated NCSs, the NCSs given in Row 2 of the table will be effective for accreditation and student registration of CBT, EBT and FLM courses and assessment through RPL mode for awarding of NVQs with effect from 15.04.2025.

Row (1)	Caregiver	N85S015Q1L3	Caregiver
	(N85S015.0)		
	Caregiver (Elder) (N85S022.0)	N85S022Q1L4	Caregiver (Elder)
	Maternal & Infant Caregiver	N85S026Q1L4	Maternal & Infant Caregiver
	(N85S026.0)	10033020Q1L4	Waternar & Imant Caregiver
Row (2)	Caregiver	N85S010Q1L3	Caregiver
	(N85S010.1)	N85S010Q2L4	Caregiver (Elderly care)
		N85S010Q3L4	Caregiver (Maternal and child care)
		N85S010Q4L4	Caregiver (Client with special needs)
		N85S010Q5L4	Caregiver

Accordingly,

- i. No new accreditations in CBT courses will be approved,
- ii. No new student enrolment in EBT and FLM courses will be approved, and
- iii. No RPL assessment applications will be approved

in NCSs shown in Row 1 of the table after 15.04.2025.

For the students who follow courses currently in NCSs shown in Row 1; making assessment requests, conducting assessment and issuing certificates in CBT, EBT and FLM courses can be done until such students received their certificates.

This circular is effective from 15.04.2025.

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