

Qualification Structure

To achieve the full qualification, learners must complete one of the four pathway options available, each consisting of three units. The credit value for the full qualification is 8 credits. Unit C9 is a mandatory unit which must be completed as part of each pathway.

Broilers and Hens

Unit No.	Unit Qualification Number	Unit Title	Unit Credit Value
C9	Y/502/2203	Understand how to use food safety management procedures for post-mortem inspection of poultry	2
A1	D/502/2204	Carry out post-mortem inspection of broilers and hens	3
B5	H/502/2205	Principles of post-mortem inspection of broilers and hens	3

Ducks and Geese

Unit No.	Unit Qualification Number	Unit Title	Unit Credit Value
C9	Y/502/2203	Understand how to use food safety management procedures for post-mortem inspection of poultry	2
A2	K/502/2206	Carry out post-mortem inspection of ducks and geese	3
B6	M/502/2207	Principles of post-mortem inspection of ducks and geese	3

Non-hunted Game Birds

Unit No.	Unit Qualification Number	Unit Title	Unit Credit Value
C9	Y/502/2203	Understand how to use food safety management procedures for post-mortem inspection of poultry	2
A3	T/502/2208	Carry out post-mortem inspection of non-hunted game birds	3
B7	A/502/2209	Principles of post-mortem inspection of non-hunted game birds	3

Turkeys

Unit No.	Unit Qualification Number	Unit Title	Unit Credit Value
C9	Y/502/2203	Understand how to use food safety management procedures for post-mortem inspection of poultry	2
A4	M/502/2210	Carry out post-mortem inspection of turkeys	3
B8	T/502/2211	Principles of post-mortem inspection of turkeys	3

Assessment Methodology

“A” units will be assessed primarily by observation of the (Poultry Inspection Assistant) PIA to determine competent performance in carrying out post-mortem inspection activities in the workplace. This should take place on at least two separate occasions. The evidence of competent performance must be supported by witness testimonies (or other suitable supplementary evidence) resulting from the observations of other suitably qualified and experienced persons in regular contact with the PIA, or with line management responsibilities for the PIA.

“B” units will be assessed primarily using questioning, carried out either on or off-the-job, to adequately underpin the competent performance of the PIA in the workplace.

The “C” unit will be assessed using suitable questioning on or off-the-job, or exceptionally by assignment, to determine satisfactory understanding of poultry food safety management procedures as they relate to post-mortem inspection in the workplace.