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Outcome: Skills and Training

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Industry Skills Fund - quality of training

Question

What criteria is the Department using to measure the quality of training provided as a result of each project?

Answer

All project applications are assessed on five merit criteria, publicly available in the Customer Information Guide and published on business.gov.au (Key documents).

The program operates on a reimbursement model where the Australian Government contribution to training costs is not paid until evidence from the employer proves they have paid for the training delivered to their employees.