



## Pest Control

This moderation report covers activities for the period October-December 2024.

Over the period , we called for **24 ākonga (learner) assessment samples** from **four providers** delivering standards in this industry. These were desk-based moderated.

Our moderators agreed with 88% of the providers' assessment judgments – this is above the all-of-sector verification rate of 83% for this period. All samples from ākonga Māori were found to meet the standard.

Results show three out of four providers that were moderated met the requirements. There were many examples of good practice assessment that our moderators were able to feedback to the providers.

Our Quality Assurance and Enhancement team have since been working closely with the provider who did not meet the moderation requirements to improve the quality of the assessment materials, and that provider will be post-assessment moderated again in 2025.

Interventions to improve verification rates and support providers have been in place sector-wide such as hui whakapūmau provider site visit, online seminars and professional development workshops conducted face to face for individual providers.

Moderation results, positive or otherwise, are discussed with the provider, and followed up with a report. Any actions for improvements are agreed with the provider and implemented.