








STANDARDS UPDATE GUIDE



ASSISTED LIVING

Listed below are standards updated in 2025 for ACHC Assisted Living Accreditation.

Organizations must be compliant with changes on the effective date and must maintain compliance throughout their accreditation period.

ACHC Standard	Services Applicable	Update Summary	Effective Date
AL2-A	ALC	 Removed: "Not to be discriminated against based on race, religion, sexual orientation, or ethnicity."  Added: "Receive appropriate services without discrimination."	August 1, 2025
AL2-J	ALC	 Removed: "cultural."	August 1, 2025
AL4-H	ALC	 Replaced "Cultural diversity" with "Patient-specific needs."	August 1, 2025
AC4-Q	ALC	 Revised language: Replaced "Cultural diversity" with "Patient-specific needs."	August 1, 2025

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