STANDARDS UPDATE GUIDE





Listed below are standards updated in 2025 for ACHC Dentistry 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
DEN2-2A	MDEN	Revised language: Replaced "care without discrimination" with "patient-centered care in accordance with your treatment plan"	August 1, 2025
DEN2-8B	MDEN	Removed: "cultural." Revised for clarity regarding: Patient-centered care. Training frequency.	August 1, 2025
DEN4-3A	MDEN	Revised language: Replaced "Cultural diversity" with "Patient-specific needs."	August 1, 2025
DEN4-4A	MDEN	Revised language: Replaced "Cultural diversity" with "Patient-specific needs."	August 1, 2025