STANDARDS UPDATE GUIDE





RENAL DIALYSIS



LONG-TERM CARE DIALYSIS

Listed below are standards updated in 2025 for both ACHC Renal Dialysis Accreditation and Long-Term Care Dialysis Certification.

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

ACHC Standard	Applicable To	Update Summary	Effective Date
RD2-N	HDS, ICD	Removed: "cultural."	August 1, 2025
LTCD2-F	LTCD	Removed: "cultural."	August 1, 2025
		Added: "background, belief, and religion."	
LTCD4-C	LTCD	Replaced "Cultural diversity" with "Patient-specific needs."	August 1, 2025