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6th Edition in Depth

Each month the JCInsight newsletter highlights a section of the new 6th edition hospital standards. These articles provide a closer look at areas of concern for JCI-accredited hospitals and any health care organization focused on patient safety and quality improvement. We hope you enjoy this new feature.

Translations of the 6th Edition Hospital Standards Coming in 2017

JCI will publish translated versions of the 6th edition hospital standards throughout the course of 2017. Translations are planned for Spanish, Portuguese, Chinese, Italian and Hebrew. Other languages are under consideration and will be announced as they become available. Translations of the 6th edition manual will be available as an electronic PDF only. Currently there are no plans to translate the 6th edition survey process guide.

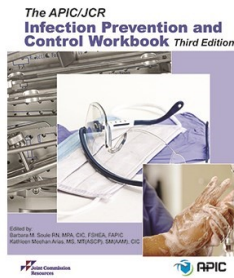
The 6th edition hospital standards e-book is available [now](#). The print version will publish and ship 30 January 2017. Visit the JCI [website](#) to order. The companion 6th edition Hospital survey process guide will be published in April 2017 in English only. The latest information on translations and formats can be found on the JCI [website](#).



Reminder: New Laboratory Standards Now in Effect

JCI's 3rd edition accreditation standards for laboratories went into effect 1 January 2017. [Learn more](#). This recently updated accreditation manual contains JCI's standards, intent statements, and measurable elements in the following categories:

- International Patient Safety Goals
- Governance, Leadership, and Direction
- Management of Information
- Staff Qualifications and Education
- Facility Management and Safety
- Quality Control Processes



Updated Guidance: APIC/JCR Infection Prevention and Control Workbook, Third Edition

An updated version of this JCI bestseller was developed and co-published in partnership with the Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology (APIC). It addresses infection prevention and control in all types of health care settings. The book discusses and clarifies JCI requirements for infection prevention and control and offers a wealth of tools for organizations to assess and improve their infection prevention and control activities. [Learn more.](#)

Two New JCI Accreditation Updates Scheduled

JCI Accreditation Update education events will take place in the Asia-Pacific region: [Bangkok \(7-8 March\)](#) and [Shanghai \(11-12 March\)](#). This popular events provides JCI-accredited organizations an opportunity to learn about the 6th edition hospital standards from the experts who create and evaluate JCI requirements. Accreditation Updates are also scheduled for [Singapore \(4-5 April\)](#) and [Dubai \(30 April-1 May\)](#).



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