

v43.1 CLIENT FAQs

1095 Engage Enhancement/v43.1 Launch – Dec 2024



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1095 Engage, our uniquely designed accreditation management system empowers health care organizations to pursue excellence by providing a single-source operations solution. As part of our commitment to continuous improvement, we are pleased to notify you of our first 1095 Engage release of updated Standards, v43.1. We will officially release this minor version through the system on Wednesday, December 11, 2024, and it is effective for all accredited organizations across all programs on Monday, December 16, 2024.

While the updates are minor and do not impact the intent of any Standards, release of v43.1 triggers other onsite survey functionality benefits that will improve AAAHC Surveyor efficiency and an enhanced survey experience for your organization. Following launch, you can view / download the v43.1 Version Compare summary sheet located in the 1095 Engage Help Curtain by [logging into the 1095 Engage system](#).

Question	Response
1. What has changed between the prior version of Standards and the v43.1 enhancements?	AAAHC has not made any changes that would modify the intent of Standards. For this reason, the impact on clients is minimal. While important from an accuracy perspective, the refinements are not substantive and have no impact on compliance.
2. What is the difference between a major and minor Standards release?	Major version releases (v43) require a comprehensive launch strategy as they include substantive Standard revisions and may require a public comment period, handbook publication, and focused client education. Minor version releases (v43.1) provide targeted updates to the existing published Standards or enable system functionality. Changes in minor releases may not impact all accreditation/certification programs, and generally do not impact Standards interpretation or intent. Changes may include minor corrections, addition/deletion of guidance & references (G&R), and refinements in curation.
3. Who will be informed of the changes?	Individuals designated in 1095 Engage as your organization's Primary Contact (PC) and Chief Medical Officer (CMO) will receive a 1095 Engage system-generated email notification regarding these updates. The subject line for this email is: <i>Your AAAHC Curated Standards have been updated</i> . You are not required to take any specific action, but we encourage you to log into the system and review the v43.1 changes and your new curated Standards.
4. Where can I view the changes made to Standards for v43.1?	Organizations will have access to the v43.1 Version Compare summary sheet located in the 1095 Engage Help Curtain.
5. Will there be a new printed or electronic version of the Standards Handbooks released for v43.1?	No, a new handbook (printed or digital) will not be produced. Once v43.1 is released, organizations can access a Version Compare summary sheet in the 1095 Engage Help Curtain.
6. When will the enhancements become effective in 1095 Engage?	The v43.1 Standards effective date is Monday, December 16, 2024 across all organizations and programs. Generally, all surveys scheduled to occur after December 30, 2024, will utilize v43.1.
7. Who should I contact if I have questions?	For questions or assistance, please reach out to your AAAHC account manager, email info@aaahc.org , or call 847.853.6060.