



Aged Care Legislation Amendment (Quality Indicator Program) Principles 2024

I, Anika Wells, Minister for Aged Care, make the following principles.

Dated 9 December 2024

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Minister for Aged Care

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1 Name

This instrument is the *Aged Care Legislation Amendment (Quality Indicator Program) Principles 2024*.

2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	1 April 2025.	

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under section 96-1 of the *Aged Care Act 1997*.

4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Schedule 1—Amendments

Accountability Principles 2014

1 Section 4 (after the definition of *charge exempt resident*)

Insert:

Department in this instrument means the Department of Health and Aged Care.

2 Section 4 (definition of *National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual*)

Repeal the definition, substitute:

National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual means the *National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual 4.0—Part A*, published on the Department’s website, as existing at the commencement of the *Aged Care Legislation Amendment (Quality Indicator Program) Principles 2024*.

3 Paragraph 26(b)

Omit “2023”, substitute “2024”.

Records Principles 2014

4 Section 4 (after the definition of *Charter of Aged Care Rights*)

Insert:

Department in this instrument means the Department of Health and Aged Care.

5 Section 4 (definition of *National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual*)

Repeal the definition, substitute:

National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual means the *National Aged Care Mandatory Quality Indicator Program Manual 4.0—Part A*, published on the Department’s website, as existing at the commencement of the *Aged Care Legislation Amendment (Quality Indicator Program) Principles 2024*.