



Elevate Quality: Unveiling JCI's 8th Edition and New Initiatives

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JCI Accreditation 8th Edition Standards For Hospitals and AMCs

JCI Hospital Standards

Empower organizations for exceptional patient care and safety



Patient-centered Standards

- International Patient Safety Goals (IPSG)
- Access to Care and Continuity of Care (ACC)
- Patient-Centered Care (PCC)
- Assessment of Patient (AOP)
- Care of Patient (COP)
- Medication Management and Use (MMU)
- Anesthesia and Surgical Care (ASC)



Organizational Management Standards

- Governance, Leadership and Direction (GLD)
- Quality and Patient Safety (QPS)
- Prevention and Control of Infection (PCI)
- Facility Management and Safety (FMS)
- Staff Qualification and Education (SQE)
- Management of Information (MOI)

JCI Accreditation 8th Edition Standards



Enhancements & Changes

- ✓ Streamlined standards by 85-90%
- ✓ Introduced non-scoring chapter for Patient Safety and Sentinel Event Policy, encouraging voluntary reporting without affecting accreditation status
- ✓ Strengthened workplace violence requirements for comprehensive programs, policies, and procedures
- ✓ Streamlined risk assessment requirements in the Facilities, Management and Safety (FMS) chapter
- ✓ Enhanced Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) standards, incorporating COVID-19 insights, and providing clearer guidance on safeguarding against infections linked to medical equipment and supplies
- ✓ Revamped standard numbering for future electronic delivery
- ✓ Simplified scoring for consistent and objective survey observations

JCI Accreditation 8th Edition Standards (Cont.)



New
Additions



Global Health Impact (GHI) Chapter: Focuses on environmental sustainability



Healthcare Technology (HCT) Chapter: Focuses on health care technology from electronic health records (EHR) to telehealth capabilities, artificial intelligence, medical equipment advancements, technological innovations

Sustainability Standards | Five Domains

Hospitals and Academic Medical Centers 8th Edition Manual will include standards for these areas

1

**Governance,
Tracking and
Reporting**

2

**Employee
Engagement
and
Empowerment**

3

**Use of
Environmental
Resources and
Green
Operations and
Processes**

4

**Procurement
and Supply
Chain**

5

**Infrastructure
and Service
Resilience**

Exploring the Future: A Sneak Peek into JCI's Initiatives

OUR VISION



All people always experience the safest, highest quality, best-value healthcare across all settings

WE ACHIEVE THIS



Setting quality standards, evaluating an organization's performance, and providing an interactive learning experience that provides innovative solutions and resources to support continuous improvement

Bringing Vision To Reality...

Unleashing key initiatives through core principles



Core Principles

- ✓ **Elevate excellence** by empowering organizations with evidence-based best practices and tools
- ✓ **Live up to the same** high standards we set for our clients
- ✓ **Constantly innovate** to advance healthcare quality and safety

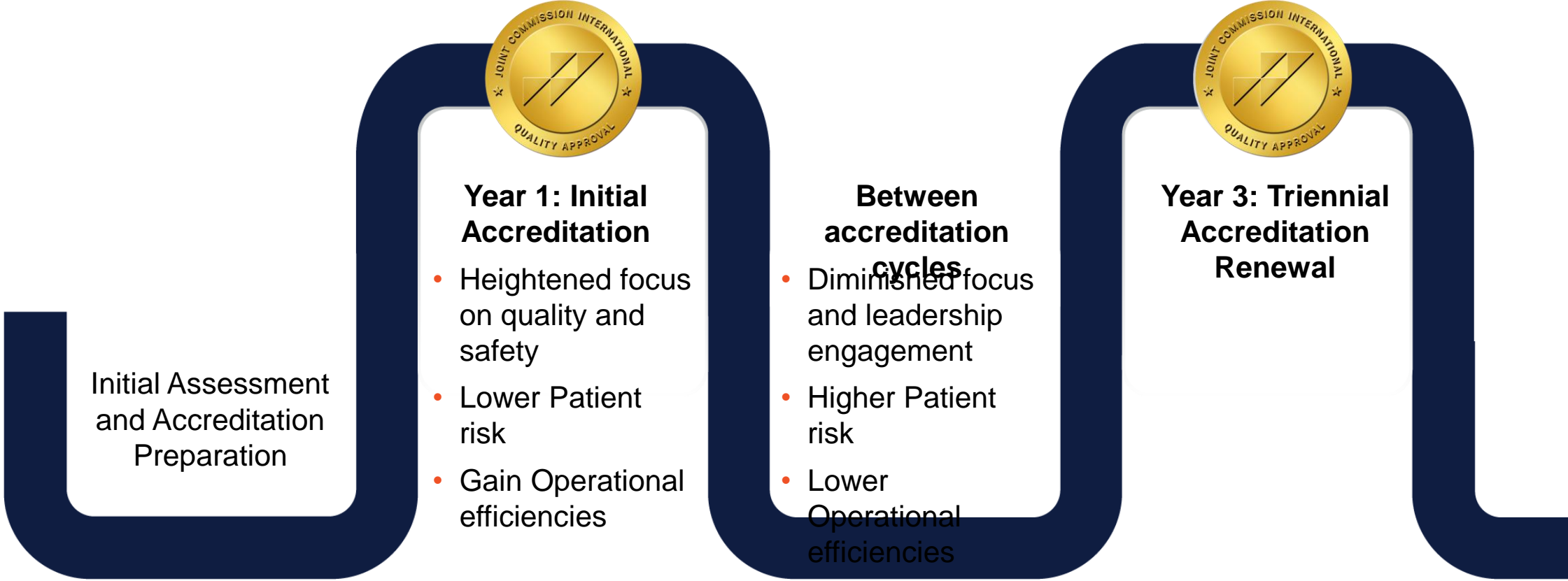
JCI Initiatives

- **Standards Development**
Develop evidence-based standards that promote quality and ensure patient safety
 - LAB ISO-15189:2022 Program (January 2024)
 - 8th Edition Standards for Hospitals & AMCs (July 2024)
- **Performance Measures**
Standardized core performance measures to impact patient outcomes
- **Digital Tools**
Online resources such as *Digital Learning Center* and *Tracers with AMP*[®] to enable organizations to improve staff skills, and maintain accreditation compliance at all times
- **Certification Programs**
 - 4th Edition Clinical Care Program Certification (Standards published July 2023, Effective: January 2024)
 - Sustainability Certification Program
- **Accreditation Program Evolution**
Evolution of Accreditation Program

JCI Accreditation Program Evolution

Current Accreditation Model

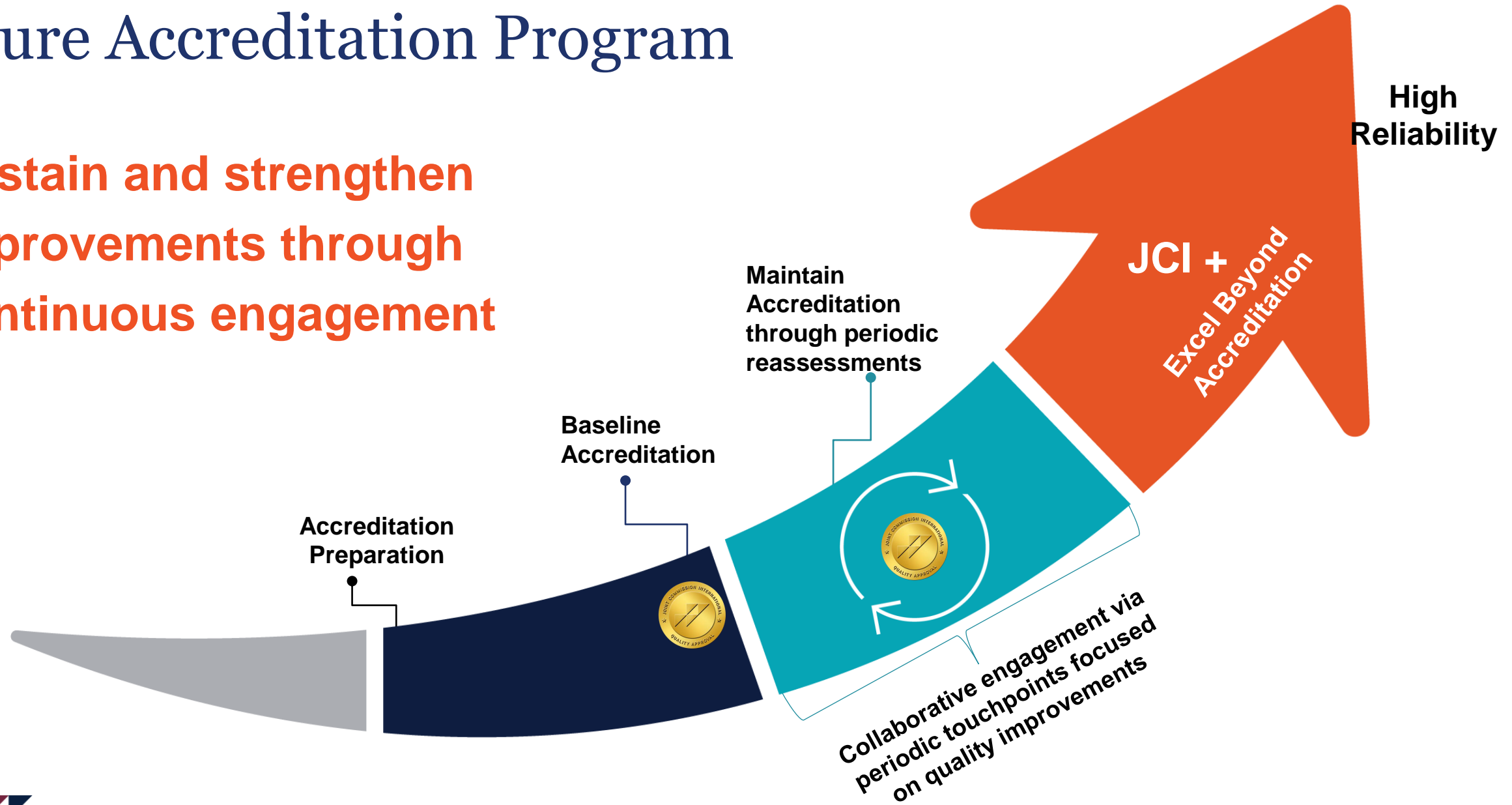
What is likely to happen in between cycles



Sustained high performance requires continuous focus

Future Accreditation Program

**Sustain and strengthen
improvements through
continuous engagement**



Continuous Accreditation Program

Four key integrated elements

Expert content assets for education, reference, and leading practices – All designed to improve quality

Continuous access to JCI Digital Learning Center



Continuous access to JCI AMP online platform



Digital tool for self-assessments that can guide quality improvement actions and feed into JCI Collaboration Touchpoints



Collaboration Touchpoints

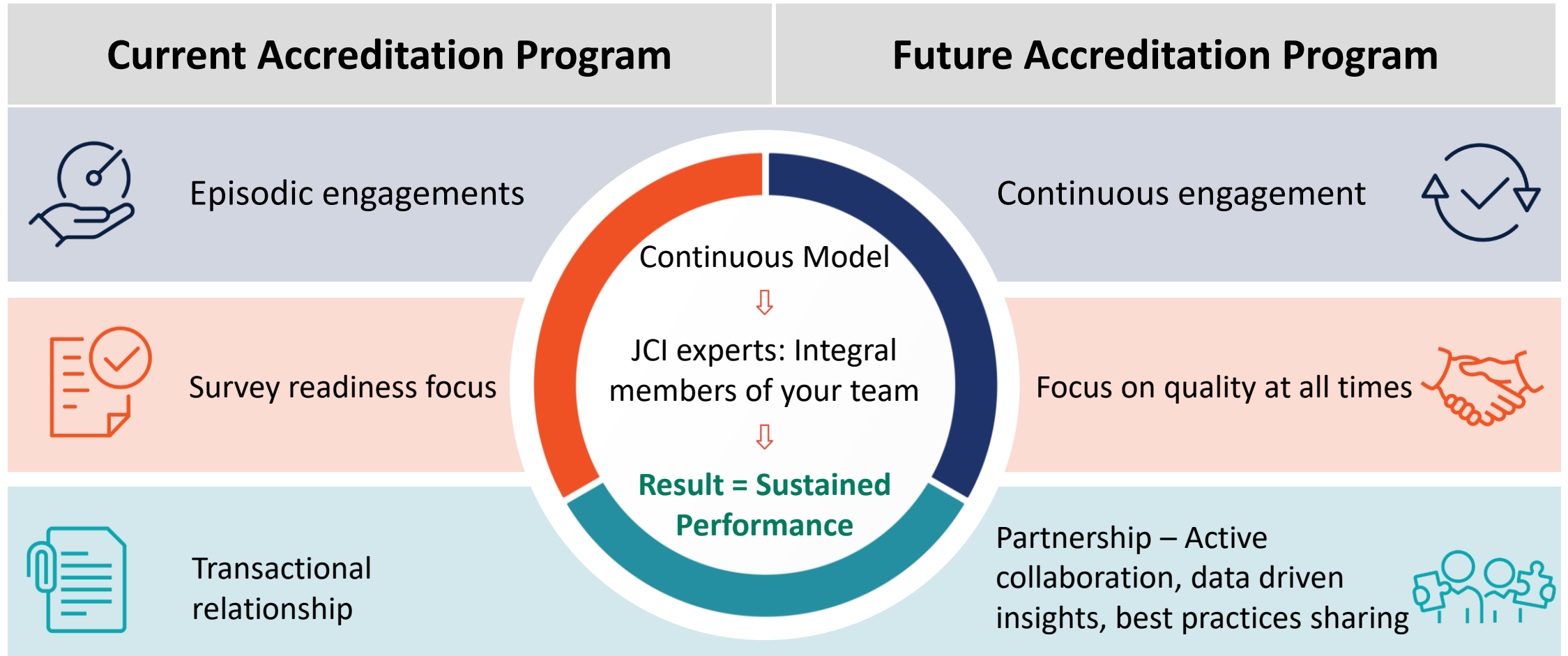
Frequency tailored to the organizational requirements

Evaluation of the JCI standards compliance to maintain accreditation status

Validation Process



Accreditation Program | Current vs Future



Summary

- » JCI Hospital/AMC Accreditation 8th Edition Standards: publish July 2024, effective January 2025
- » Evolving JCI Accreditation Program for sustained improvements through continuous engagement
- » JCI Standards + Continuous Accreditation Program → Elevated Care Quality & Sustained Progress

Partnering with healthcare professionals and organizations to achieve a shared vision...

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Thank You

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JCI's Approach To Sustainability



JCI Sustainability Standards

Partnership with Geneva Sustainability Center

Hospital Accreditation

8th Edition Hospital/AMC Manual with Environmental Standards

Sustainability Certification Program

Additional Certification focused on Sustainability

Advance to Net-zero Carbon Future through JCI Continuous Accreditation & Certification Programs

Advancing Sustainability Initiatives

How does accreditation help drive sustainability?



Sets the foundation for managing standards, leadership commitment, and governance for resilient, sustainable, and low-carbon hospitals



Provides a roadmap on the best way to address carbon reduction and ensure environmentally sustainable healthcare delivery



Creates consistency at National and International levels



Enables hospital leaders to demonstrate their achievement in environmental sustainability and become climate leaders