

Revision and Renewal 2024

Revision of all ASF standards, staff growth and training, patient engagement, and preparation for the January 2025 approval.

All

STANDARDS
REVISED

Jan 2025

NEW STANDARDS
APPROVED

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PATIENT COUNCIL
ESTABLISHED

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ACCREDITATION
DECISIONS

1. Executive summary

2024 was a year of preparation. ASF revised all of its standards, and the new set was approved in January 2025. Staff completed extensive training and the team expanded. ASF strengthened its relationship with Media Holding Sheni and established a Patient Council. No accreditation decisions were made.

2. Governance

ASF's governance is set out in its founding statutes and governance library (GOV, OPS, QMS and EV series). Accreditation decisions are taken by the Accreditation Decision Committee (ADC), which is structurally separate from survey teams.

3. Standards revision

All ASF standards were revised during 2024. The revision drew on the experience of the portfolio, the Georgia pilot, and the requirements of accreditation partners. The revised set was approved in January 2025 and is the basis of the hospital accreditations begun in February 2025.

4. People and training

ASF's staff underwent extensive training during 2024, and the team expanded. This strengthened ASF's ability to prepare and carry out hospital surveys and to deliver the revised standards.

5. Patient engagement and public communication

ASF established a Patient Council, giving patients a formal voice in ASF's work. ASF also strengthened its relationship with Media Holding Sheni, the media arm of the Sheni network, to reach patients and the public in Georgia.

6. Accreditation activity

No accreditation decisions were made in 2024. The year was devoted to preparation.

7. Finance

Financial statements are kept separately and are strictly confidential. They are not published in this report.

8. Complaints and appeals

No complaints were received in 2024.

9. Outlook for 2025

Begin hospital accreditation under the newly approved standards.

Annex A — Timeline

Date	Event
2024	Revision of all standards
2024	Staff training and team expansion
2024	Patient Council established
January 2025	Revised standards approved