

Hospital Accreditation Essentials

April 22-23, 2026 | Oakbrook Terrace, IL

Wednesday, April 22

All times are Central Time

7:30am – 8:00am	Registration & Hot Breakfast Buffet
8:00am – 8:15am	Welcome and Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kamaria Patterson Education Specialist Global Education, Joint Commission
8:15am – 9:15am	Accreditation 360 and Accreditation Participation Requirements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
9:15am – 10:00am	Leadership Chapter <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
10:00am – 10:15am	Break
10:15am – 11:00am	Performance Improvement Chapter <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
11:00am – 12:00pm	Lunch
12:00pm – 1:15pm	Provision of Care and Medication Management Chapters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
1:15pm – 1:30pm	Break
1:30pm – 2:45pm	Medical Staff, Nursing, Human Resources Chapters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Break
3:00pm – 3:30pm	Record of Care, Information Management, Rights & Responsibilities Chapters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
3:30pm – 4:00pm	Questions & Answers
4:30pm – 6:00pm	Networking Reception <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Redstone American Grill (Across the street from Joint Commission Conference Center)

Thursday, April 23*All times are Central Time*

7:30am – 8:00am	Hot Breakfast Buffet
8:00am – 8:15am	Announcements & Reminders
8:15am – 9:45am	Physical Environment Chapter <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
9:45am – 10:00am	Break
10:00am – 11:30am	Physical Environment Chapter (continued) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
11:30am – 11:45am	Perspective on Physical Environment Findings Clinicians Can Impact <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
11:45am – 12:30pm	Lunch
12:30pm – 1:30pm	National Performance Goals Chapter <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
1:30pm – 1:45pm	Break
1:45pm – 2:45pm	Infection Control Chapter <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
2:45pm – 3:00pm	Break
3:00pm – 3:30pm	Transplant Safety Chapter and Waived Testing (now in NPG Chapter) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
3:30pm – 4:00pm	Continuous Readiness <ul style="list-style-type: none">• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources• TBD Consultant, Joint Commission Resources
4:00pm – 4:15pm	Questions & Answers

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of this program participants will be able to:

1. Discuss the accreditation process, including ways to identify and manage risk points.
2. Outline chapter highlights, frequently cited standards and related compliance strategies
3. Identify National Performance Goals: compliance trends and requirement tips
4. Summarize current compliance information and best practices for reducing the risk of infection in your health care organization