



ISO 9001: 2015 Certification



Get certified under the new standard within the 3-year transition window

ISO 9001: 2015 responds to current trends, is compatible with other management systems such as ISO 14001, and keeps the standard relevant for the marketplace. Companies with ISO 9001: 2008 certification have until September 2018 to be certified under the new 2015 standard.

Summary of the key changes in the 2015 standard:

- Greater emphasis on building a management system suited to each organization's particular needs
- Top management of an organization will be involved and accountable, aligning quality with wider business strategy
- Risk-based thinking throughout the standard makes the whole management system a preventive tool and encourages continuous improvement
- Less prescriptive requirements for documentation, allowing the organization to decide what documented information it needs and what format it should be in
- Alignment with other key management system standards through the use of a common structure and core text

All ISO 9001-certified companies must be re-certified every 3 years.

- Most certified companies will want to become certified to the 2015 standard at their recertification audit or a scheduled Surveillance Audit.
- ISO 9001: 2008 certifications will remain valid until September 2018, when the 2008 standard expires.
- The expiration date of certifications to ISO 9001: 2008 issued during the transition period needs to correspond to the end of the 3-year transition period.

Contact us now! Our experts are ready to assist you with your certification upgrade. We've helped hundreds of manufacturers get certified and we can help you, too.



WHO WE ARE

As a private non-profit corporation, we focus fully on generating positive results for our clients.

Our team of manufacturing experts work side-by-side with hundreds of manufacturers each year, helping them develop and implement effective solutions that address their biggest challenges.

We closely monitor trends and best practices in manufacturing, and proactively develop solutions that meet the existing and emerging needs of manufacturers.

WMEP Manufacturing Solutions is part of the MEP National Network™, a public-private partnership that advances U.S. manufacturing. MEP Centers are located in all 50 states and draw on the talents of over 1,400 trusted advisors and experts.

WE HELP MANUFACTURING COMPANIES BECOME MORE PROFITABLE & VALUABLE

WHAT WE PROVIDE

WMEP Manufacturing Solutions recognizes that manufacturers face various challenges and we provide proven solutions to these challenges in the following areas:

- Operational Excellence
- Growth & Strategy
- Industry Certifications
- Human Capital
- Automation & Technology
- Sustainability

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