



ISO 9001 CONSULTING SERVICES

ARE YOU PREPARED FOR RECENT CHANGES TO ISO 9001?

In September 2015, the international community adopted the latest version of ISO 9001, Quality management systems – Requirements. This version includes significant changes that incorporate many new concepts and expands on previous requirements. If you are currently certified to ISO 9001:2008, your certification will no longer be valid after September 2018.

The following is a list of actions you can take to begin the transition process:

- Identify gaps in your system in accordance with the new requirements.
- Develop an implementation plan.
- Ensure training and awareness across your organization
- Systematically update your quality management system to meet the requirements
- Verify the performance of the management system.

How QAI can help:

Auditing process and product compliance is at the heart of what we do. Whether you are currently certified to ISO 9001:2008 or seeking to gain certification from scratch, QAI can help you along the path of change in your organization.

1. **GAP Analysis** - GAP analysis is the first step in the transition process. This is the best way to benchmark your quality management system (QMS) and ensure compliance of your QMS to the new requirements. QAI can come onsite to perform an overall GAP analysis of your system or review documentation remotely to pinpoint necessary improvements.
2. **Consult and Train** - QAI offers one-on-one training and consultation on improvements to your QMS. Your organization will be partnered with an expert in auditing and management system implementation. This expert will guide you through the steps of understanding the requirements of ISO 9001:2015.
3. **Auditing** - QAI can perform audits of your QMS throughout the implementation period to ensure your system meets the requirements of ISO 9001:2015. The auditing provided by QAI will assist you in identifying corrections which must be made to your system before your clients or certifiers could identify them.
4. **Risk Management** - QAI can train your personnel in identifying the risks to your processes. This will assist your organization in mitigating these risks through the implementation of effective process changes.

For more information on ISO 9001 related services QAI offers please contact us at info@qai.org or phone 888.540.4024 and ask to speak to Jarred Johnson.

