



Transitioning to the Registration Standards for RTOs 2025

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What will be discussed...

- 2025 Standards

An explanation of key changes and what these mean for RTOs and TAC

- The TAC Implementation Strategy

The transition process, audits and reports, what you can expect

A top-down view of a white desk with various school supplies. In the bottom left, a black pencil case is open, showing several colorful pens (red, orange, yellow, green, blue) and a pair of white-handled scissors. A wooden ruler with black markings is placed vertically next to the pencil case. A yellow pen lies horizontally on the desk. In the background, a white tablet or laptop is partially visible. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

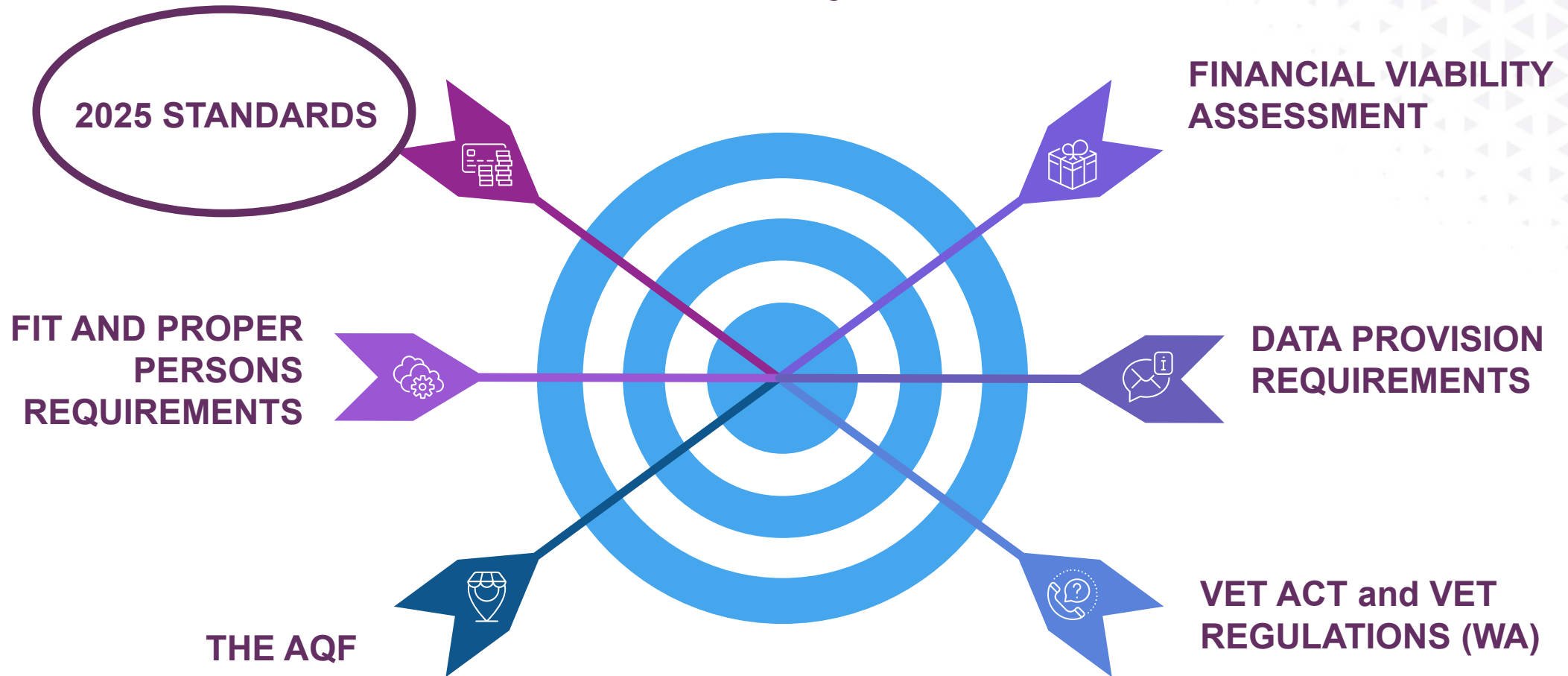
***"The greatest danger in times
of turbulence is not the
turbulence - it is to act with
yesterday's logic."***

Peter Drucker



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The VET Quality Framework



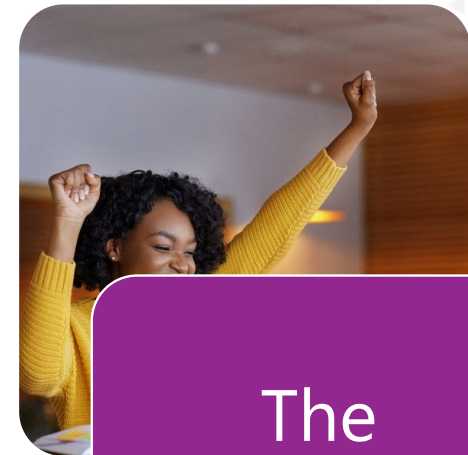
Registration Standards for RTOs 2025



The
Outcome
Standards

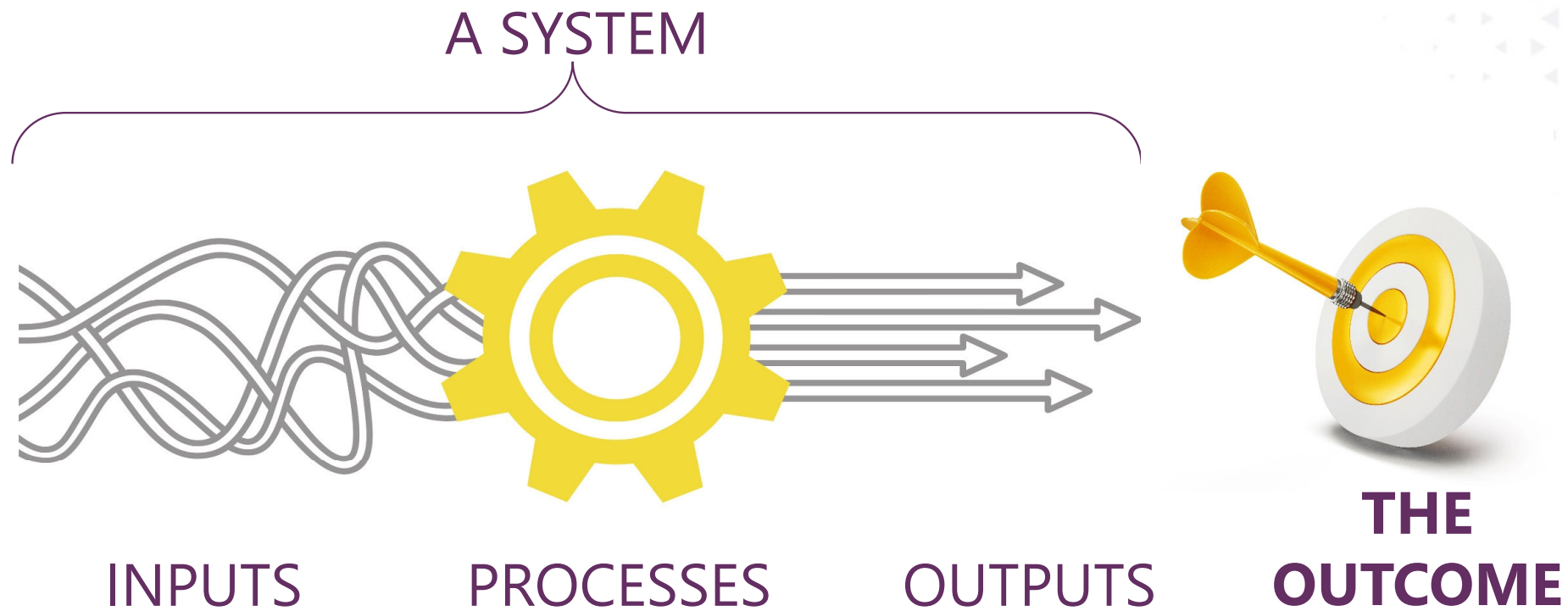


The
Compliance
Standards



The
Credential
Policy

An Outcomes Focus



Process Focus vs Outcomes Focus

Regulatory Focus

- **Process Based:**
Concentrates on methods and procedures.
- **Outcomes Based:**
Concentrates on results and performance.

Flexibility

- **Process Based:**
Offers limited flexibility; strict adherence to prescribed processes is required.
- **Outcomes Based:**
Provides flexibility; organisations decide how to achieve the desired outcomes.

Innovation

- **Process Based:**
Often hinders innovation due to rigid procedures.
- **Outcomes Based:**
Encourages innovation by allowing diverse approaches.

Compliance Assessment

- **Process Based:**
Compliance is assessed by checking process adherence.
- **Outcomes Based:**
Compliance is assessed by measuring actual outcomes against targets.

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Newer Aspects to the 2025 Standards

Continuous Improvement

Outcome Standards 2.7, 2.8 and 4.4

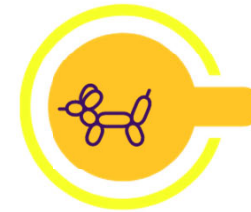
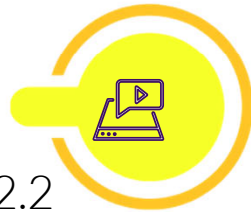


Governance

Outcome Standards 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3

Information Prior to Enrolment

Outcome Standards 2.1 and 2.2



Childsafe Organisations

Outcome Standard 4.3

Diversity, Inclusion & Wellness

Outcome Standards 2.5 and 2.6



Trainer / Assessor & VET Workforce

Outcome Standards 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3
Credential Policy

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What's in it for you?

- An opportunity to reassess and realign business strategy
- Flexibility and innovation in delivery models
- Streamlining and simplifying operations
- Strengthening quality and reputation
- Improved engagement with Industry
- Upskilling staff and building internal capability
- Enhanced learner outcomes



**Draft
Standards are
released to
RTOs**



**Be familiar
with the 2025
Standards and
reflect on your
practice.**



**Make any
necessary
adjustments
to your
systems and
practices.**



**Internal
review to
ensure any
changes are
working as
intended.
Refine if
necessary.**



**Operating in
accordance with
the 2025
Standards**



**Commencement
Date**

**Monitor
outcomes and
improve.**



**Draft revised
Standards are
released and
Guidance Hub
developed for
RTOs**



**IT System
Changes**



**Audit Pilots
and Auditor
Moderation**



**Regulatory
Amendments**



**Regulation in
accordance with the
2025 Standards**

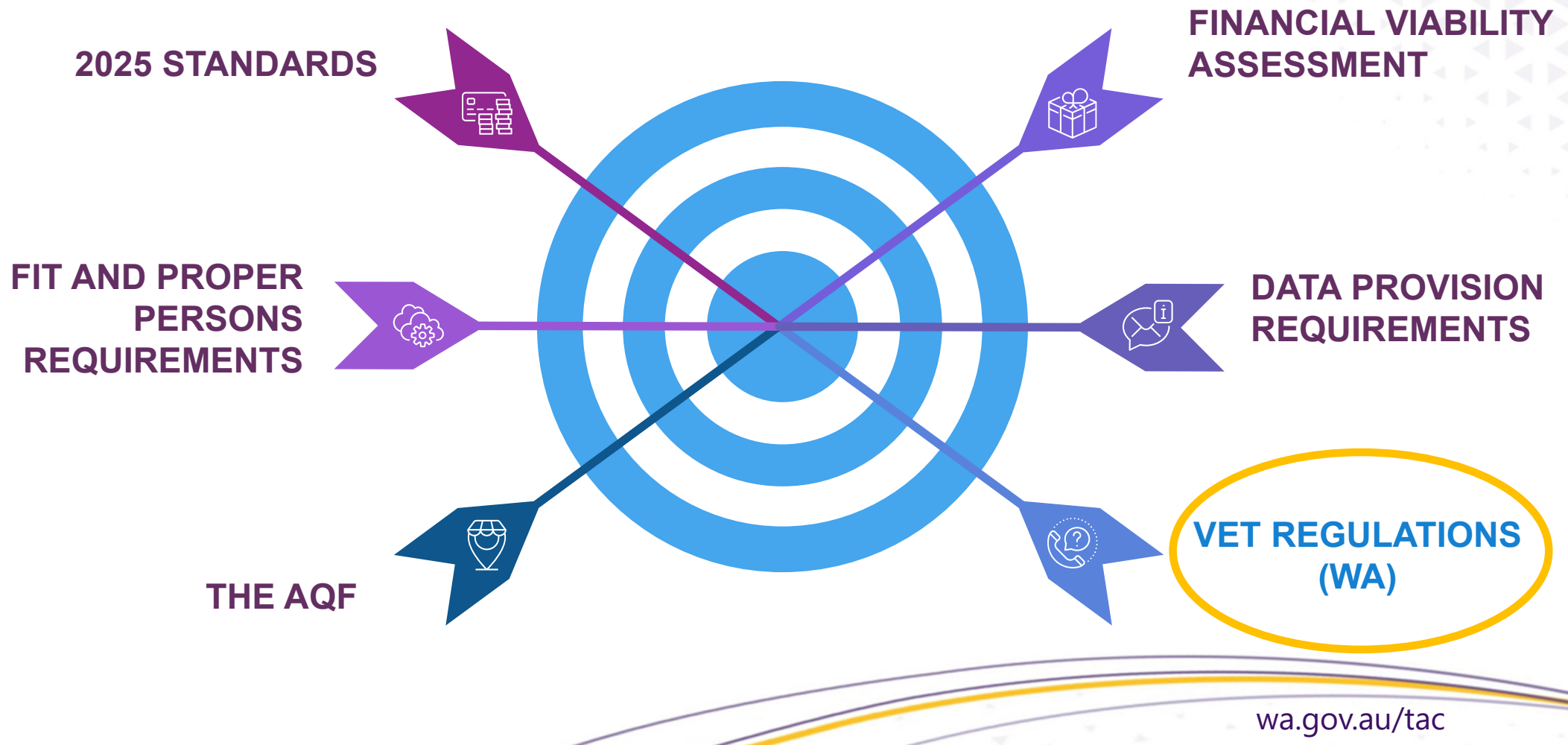


**Commencement
Date**

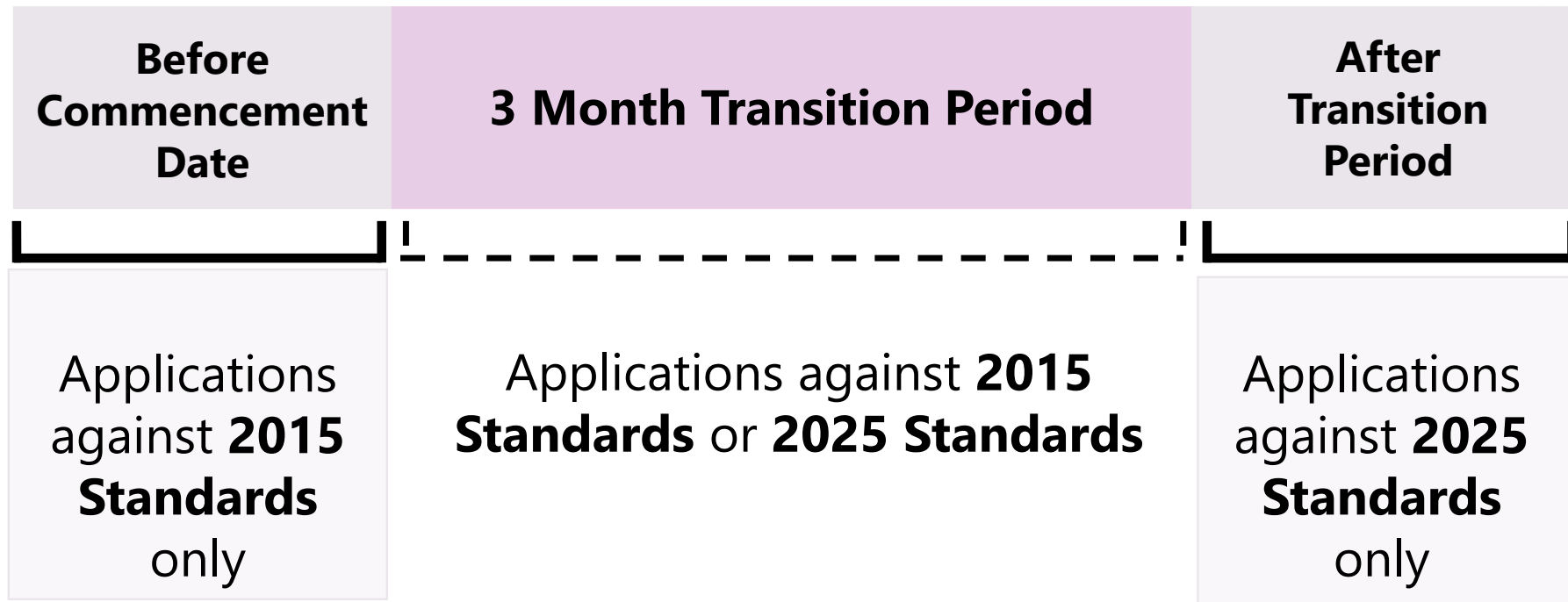


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Proposed Transition Schedule



The Application Process

Additional Information:

- Outline of the RTOs operational environment
- Stakeholders the RTO engages with
- Cohort of students
- Number of current students
- Number of current staff
- Number of enrolments within the past 12 months
- If applicable: VDSS and Funding



2025 Standards Required for Application

Initial and Renewal

All Outcome Standards, Compliance Standards, and Credential Policy

Amendment

Outcome Standards 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.8,
2.1, 2.2, 2.6, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, 4.2

Credential Policy

Compliance Standards 7, 8, 14, 17, 18

The Audit Process



Audit Timeframes – Rectification Periods



For the first six months of implementation, the timeframe for rectification of non-compliance at main audit is extended to **30 days**

Audit Report

- New look and feel
- Information from RTO application incorporated
- Compliance determined at Standard level
- Introducing minor deficiencies

Training Accreditation Council
[AUDIT TYPE] Audit Report

Legal Name [RTO Legal Name]
Trading Name [RTO Trading Name]
RTO Number [RTO Number]
Main Address [RTO Main Address]

Training Products Reviewed at Audit:
[Training Product 1] [Unit of competency 1]
[Training Product 2] [Unit of competency 2]
[Training Product 3]

Audit Team:
Lead Auditor [name] [email] [phone]
Co-Auditor [name] [email] [phone]
Observer [name] [email] [phone]

Registering Body:
Regulation Officer [name] [email] [phone]

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