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Australia

ACHS International Pty Ltd
Australian Council on Healthcare Standards (ACHS)
International Society for Quality in Health Care, Inc. (ISQua)
Quality Improvement Council Limited (QIC)

Canada

Canadian Council on Health Services Accreditation (CCHSA)
Diagnostic Accreditation Program of British Columbia (DAP)

France

National Agency for Accreditation and Evaluation in Health (ANAES)

Germany

KTQ (Kooperation für Transparenz und Qualität im Gesundheitswesen GmbH)

Italy

Accreditation Programme Institution (API)

Netherlands

Dutch Institute for Healthcare Improvement (CBO)

New Zealand

New Zealand Council on Healthcare Standards (NZCHS)

Poland

Hospital Accreditation Programme (CMJ)

Portugal

Instituto da Qualidade em Saude (IQS)

Spain

Accreditation FAD/JCI

Sweden

International Network of Agencies for Health Technology Assessment (INAHTA)

United Kingdom

CHKS (Healthcare Accreditation and Quality Unit, incorporating the Health Quality Service)

United States

Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care, Inc. (AAAHC)
Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME)
American Accreditation Healthcare Commission/ URAC
American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC)
Association for the Accreditation of Human Research Program, Inc. (AAHRPP)
CARF International
COLA
Commission for the Accreditation of Birth Centers (CABC)
Community Health Accreditation Program (CHAP)
Council on Accreditation (COA)
Healthcare Quality Certification Board of the National Association for Healthcare Quality (HQCB)
Intersocietal Commission for the Accreditation of Echocardiography Laboratories (ICAEL)
Intersocietal Commission for the Accreditation of Magnetic Resonance Laboratories (ICAMRL)
Intersocietal Commission for the Accreditation of Nuclear Laboratories (ICANL)
Intersocietal Commission for the Accreditation of Vascular Laboratories (ICAVL)
Joint Commission International (JCI)
Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organization (JCAHO)
National Commission for Certifying Agencies (NCCA)
National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA)

Zambia

Council for Health Service Accreditation of Southern Africa