

VI. QUINQUENNIAL REVIEW OF STANDARDS

6.01 Purpose

The ACPEinc will conduct a quinquennial review of the Standards of Psychoanalytic Education. The review will consider new evidence related to psychoanalytic treatment, education and education technology, our experience doing accreditation and monitoring adherence to our Standards, and comments from our communities of interest.

6.02 Quinquennial Review

At least once every five years, the ACPEinc will engage in a process of review of the Standards of Psychoanalytic Education.

6.03 Process of Review and Adoption

- a) Standards are continuously available for comment on the website.
- b) Prior to initiation of the review process our communities of interest will be informed when the review will begin.
- c) The Board of Trustees (the Board) will review new evidence, our experiences doing accreditation, and comments received from communities of interest. It will propose changes for consideration based on this review.

- d) A penultimate draft incorporating any proposed changes will be posted on the website and remain there for comments for no less than thirty (30) calendar days.
- e) The Board will review the comments, affirm unchanged standards, and adopt revised standards by a consensus process. It will authorize publication and implementation of the revised Standards of Psychoanalytic Education.

6.04 Publication of New Standards

The new Standards of Psychoanalytic Education document will be posted on the ACPEinc website for communication to all communities of interest and to the public.

Ratified by the Board 20210119