



ASAR

Australian Sonographer
Accreditation Registry

Quality Policy

ASAR is committed to meeting and exceeding customer needs and expectations in terms of performance, appearance and conformance to standards, codes of practice, and all statutory, regulatory and safety regulations applicable to the business.

The objectives of the Registry are to promote high standards of medical sonography in Australia, and include:

- setting uniform, minimum standards of sonographer training and education in Australia;
- assessing and accrediting programs of sonographer training and education;
- accrediting medical sonographers;
- maintaining the Registry;
- maintaining a minimum standard of continuing professional development for sonographers;
- advancing recognition of sonography as a profession; and
- advising education, government and statutory bodies and professional and scientific societies on any aspect of accreditation of medical sonography.

This is consistent with our strategic direction and appropriate to the context in which we operate.

We will achieve this through:

- Establishment, implementation and ongoing maintenance of a quality management system (QMS) in accordance with Management System Standard **ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management Systems - Requirements**.
- Identifying the needs and expectations of our stakeholders including our customers, suppliers, end-users and all who have an interest in, or are affected by, our operations
- Total commitment of the leadership team to the QMS, this quality policy and all applicable requirements
- Assurance that roles and responsibilities of all internal stakeholders in relation to the QMS are assigned, communicated and understood through the organisation,
- Executing, maintaining and continually improving the QMS and its processes,
- Establishing organisational objectives consistent with this quality policy,
- Conducting reviews by management to monitor performance against our declared objectives, and striving to maintain a culture of continual improvement.

Michelle Pedretti
Board Chairperson

Signed:

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