ISO 9001:2026 transition checklist

Written in Doclarity's own words from public summaries of the 2026 revision. It is not the text of ISO 9001:2026.

How to use it

- One line per point that the 2026 edition adds or strengthens, for the move from the 2015 edition.
- A clause number is given where certification bodies confirm it. A line without a number names a theme.
- For each line, find the document or the record that shows it. What you cannot show yet is your gap.
- Everything the 2015 edition asked still applies.

The 14 lines

Ref	Clause	Title	What we must be able to show
TR-01	4.1	Context: climate	We have decided whether climate change matters for our business, and the decision is recorded and reviewed.
TR-02	4.2	Interested parties: climate	We know whether customers or other parties expect anything from us about climate change.
TR-03	5.1	Leadership: quality culture	Top management promotes a quality culture: it says what good work looks like and shows it in its own decisions.
TR-04	5.1	Leadership: ethics	Top management sets the example on ethical behaviour, and staff know how to raise a concern.
TR-05		Awareness: culture and ethics	People know what our quality culture and ethical behaviour mean for their own work.
TR-06		Working environment	The working environment we provide supports good work and ethical behaviour, not only safe and clean conditions.
TR-07	6.1	Risks	Risks to our products and our quality system are identified and assessed, each with an action and an owner.
TR-08	6.1	Opportunities	Opportunities are identified apart from risks, and we decide which ones to pursue and who leads them.
TR-09	6.1	Effect of the actions	We check whether the actions on risks and on opportunities worked.
TR-10	6.3	Planning changes	Each change to the quality system is planned before it is made: why, what it may affect, who does it and with what means.
TR-11	6.3	Telling people about changes	People affected by a change are told before it takes effect.
TR-12	6.3	Reviewing changes	After a change, we check the result and record what we decided.
TR-13		Transition audit	Our internal audit programme covers every line of this checklist before the transition audit.
TR-14		Transition review	A management review records our transition plan, its progress and the decisions taken.