

# Standards Management System

## Scenario

### ABC Suites (Pty) Ltd

"Epic's Standards Management System turns complex audits into streamlined, transparent processes, ensuring every compliance requirement is met with clarity and confidence." - CoPilot

#### The Challenge:

At ABC Suites, the pressure to meet audit and regulatory requirements was growing—but the systems to manage them weren't keeping pace. Safety protocols, maintenance records, and compliance evidence were scattered across email threads, local drives, and outdated folders. When auditors requested documentation, HR Director Molly Coddle and her team scrambled to compile files, verify accuracy, and link them to the correct standards.

It wasn't that ABC Suites lacked commitment—it lacked structure. The manual approach was time-consuming, inconsistent, and exposed the business to reputational and regulatory risk. CEO Candy Wrapper wanted a smarter way to manage standards: one that made compliance visible, proactive, and audit-ready at any moment.

#### How ABC Suites uses Standards Management System:

Epic's **Standards Management System** gave ABC Suites the clarity, control, and confidence they needed to embed compliance into their daily rhythm.



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**Centralised Evidence Repository:** All compliance documents—photos, certificates, inspection logs, and policies—are now stored in one structured system, tagged to specific standards and locations. No more inbox searches or version confusion.

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**Audit-Ready Reporting:** When auditors request evidence, ABC Suites can instantly generate a clean, branded report linking each item to its relevant standard, complete with timestamps and supporting documentation.

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**Live Status Tracking:** Leadership can view which standards are fully met, partially met, or pending—across sites and departments—making it easy to prioritise action and monitor progress.

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- **Automated Alerts & Updates:** Teams receive reminders when evidence is due for renewal or when standards change, ensuring ABC Suites stays ahead of regulatory shifts and avoids last-minute scrambles.

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- **Professional Presentation:** Evidence isn't just stored—it's presented in a way that reinforces ABC Suites' commitment to quality, transparency, and operational excellence.

The result? Audits are no longer fire drills—they're routine check-ins. ABC Suites has shifted from reactive compliance to proactive confidence, turning a former vulnerability into a strategic strength.

*“From scattered files to structured confidence—Epic’s Standards Management System helped ABC Suites lead audits with clarity, speed, and pride.”*

## Before vs. After: Audit Readiness Transformation

Aspect	Before Epic (Manual Process)	After Epic (Standards Management System)
<b>Evidence Storage</b>	Scattered across emails, folders, and spreadsheets	Centralized, tagged repository linked to standards
<b>Audit Preparation</b>	Reactive, time-consuming, often incomplete	Proactive, instant report generation with full documentation
<b>Traceability</b>	Difficult to link evidence to specific standards or locations	Each item mapped to relevant criteria, location, and timestamp
<b>Team Accountability</b>	Reliant on memory and manual follow-ups	Automated reminders and ownership tracking
		Live dashboard showing

<b>Leadership Oversight</b>	Limited visibility into compliance status	conformance levels across departments
<b>Client Confidence</b>	Inconsistent presentation and delayed responses	Branded, professional reports delivered with speed and clarity