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New Year!

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Quality Improvement Fellowships through the IHI

Are you looking to learn how to drive change and accelerate improvement within your organization? Do you want to lead projects to reduce cost and improve quality and value?

The IHI Fellowship Program starting on January 17th and going until to July 2018, exclusively for HIIN participating hospitals is a program that will offer interactive webinars and online courses on key topics in quality improvement and safety, and guide you through leading a project to improve outcomes in your own department or unit.

Two tracks are available: Foundations for Change for those new to improvement, and Accelerating Improvement for experienced improvers who are looking to spread and scale their work.

Past Fellows have come from nursing, quality improvement, patient safety and infection prevention departments, among others. Everyone can benefit from the fellowship.

Join us for an introduction to the IHI Quality Improvement Fellowships that will start in January.

You must register for one of the calls below to join.

January 4th, 11:00-12:00 PM CT- Fellowship Informational Call [Register Today](#)

January 8th, 11:00-12:00 PM CT- Fellowship Informational Call [Register Today](#)

IHI Fellowship's Why should I participate in the fellowship?

The QI fellowship is a professional learning environment that is completely free of charge to those who chose to participate. It is a network of clinicians and quality improvement workers who strive to continually make health care better and safer for all patients. The fellowship includes virtual education events and webinars, office hours, a QI project, and access to IHI's Open School

Which fellowship track is right for me?

Foundations for Change Fellowship Tailored to those who are new to quality improvement:

- Deploy tools such as aim statements, driver diagrams, and run charts
- Galvanize others to participate in your improvement efforts
- Develop and sustain momentum
- Mitigate common improvement pitfalls

Accelerating Improvement Fellowship Fellows will learn how to:

- Assess whether your QI efforts are setup for the success
- Utilize data to identify, drive and sustain performance improvement
- Ensure process reliability and sustainability
- Plan for spread and scale
- Mitigate common improvement pitfalls

In order to receive a certificate, fellows will be given detailed criteria prior to their commitment in joining. **10 CNE's offered.**

Educational Opportunities

***** Most of these free webinars from HRET include free CE's for attending*****

HRET HIIN QI Foundations for Change Fellowship Call 1 (You must apply for a fellowship using the link below)

[Apply for Foundations for change fellowship track](#)

January 17, 2018 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. (CT)

[Register Today for the Call](#)

HRET HIIN QI Accelerating Improvement Fellowship Call 1(You must apply for a fellowship using the link below)

[Apply for Accelerating Improvement Fellowship Track](#)

January 17, 2018 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m. (CT)

[Register Today for the Call](#)

For more information or to apply for a fellowship:

<http://www.hret-hiin.org/fellowships/qifellowship/>

If you can't make one of the Fellowship Informational calls in person:

Watch the QI Informational Recorded Session
By watching this recording, you can learn more about this program and how to sign up for the fellowship!

[Watch Recording](#)



For Detailed Information on these offerings
hret-hiin.org

DFW HIIN Upcoming Free Education



January 9, 2018 1p.m.-2p.m.

UP Campaign Webinar - Wake up, Get Up, Soap Up

Provider approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider Number CEP15958, for 1 contact hour

Receive an introduction to the UP campaign. This campaign is designed to simplify safe care and streamline interventions, reduce multiple forms of harm with simple easy-to-accomplish activities and consolidate basic interventions that cut across several topics to decrease harm.

[Register Here](#)



January 19, 2018 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Patient and Family Advisor (PFA) Workshop (Applied for 4 CNE's)

Join us for a Free 4 hour workshop that will take place in Irving with national expert Tanya Lord. This workshop will explore why you should have a PFA, how to get started and how having a PFA improves patient outcomes. Space is limited, please register.

[Register now](#)