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Innovation Network (HIIN)

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Pat Teske, National Expert on
Reducing Readmissions Visits
DFW & Central Texas



Pictured above: Baylor University Medical Center's Site Visit

On February 27th and 28th Pat Teske from Cynosure Health visited with 5 academic hospitals in the DFW HIIN to coach them on reducing 30 day unplanned readmissions. Pat got to visit with Baylor University Medical Center, Baylor Scott and White Fort Worth, Baylor Scott and White Temple, John Peter Smith Health System and Methodist Dallas.



Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt Class has been
scheduled
March 27 and 28, 2018
Irving, Texas

Gather your teams and sign up!!!
Teams of 3-4 people from the same hospital
will have 2 days of instruction and 1 month of
follow-up calls to help complete your project.
Project must be from one of the HIIN core
topics.

- 30-day readmission
- Falls
- Pressure Ulcers
- CAUTI
- CLABSI
- Ventilator Associated Conditions
- Worker Harm
- SSI
- MRDO
- C-Diff
- VTE
- Sepsis



Patient Safety Awareness Week

March 11-17

Send us pictures or descriptions of what you did
for Pt. Safety Awareness Week and we will put in
next month's newsletter

Once you have your team and your topic-
contact Patti Taylor @
ptaylor@dfwhcfoundation.org to register



Want to get better at using Excel?

Want to improve the look of your data?

Want to be able to have your data tell the story?

The DFW HIIN has contracted with UT School of Biomedical Informatics-Houston to provide a free 4-hour hands on class titled Data Analytics.

The class will be held at Baylor Scott and White College Station computer lab. There is limited seating so this class is only open to Central Texas Hospitals. There will be a class offered soon in the DFW area.

Register for one:

March 29, 2018

8 am-12 noon

Or

1 pm-5pm

[Register Here](#)

MARCH 29, 8:00 AM TO 10:00 AM



DATE AND TIME

Thu, March 29, 2018

8:00 AM – 10:00 AM CDT

Meadows Conference Center

2900 Live Oak Street

Dallas, TX 75204

[Register](#)

with fl MARCH 29, 8:00 AM TO 10:00

Complimentary Educational Event

ALZHEIMER'S RESEARCH UPDATE

PLUS: Early Detection Resources & Tools



Thursday, March 8, 2018

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Texas Scottish Rite
Hospital for Children

2222 Welborn Street, Dallas, TX 75219

Hosted by:



alzheimer's
association®

Speakers:

Dr. Mary Quiceno, Associate Professor Neurology, UT Southwestern Medical Center and Associate Professor of Medical Education, TCU/UNTHSC School of Medicine

Rebecca Logan, PA-C, UT Southwestern Medical Center

Debra Adams, Director Community Relations, Alzheimer's Association Greater Dallas Chapter

Registration:
<https://alzupdateandresources.eventbrite.com>

Information:
Jourdan Fruit at jfruit@dfwhc.org

The attack [Register](#) just before a holiday weekend as the hospital was trying to manage a busy Emergency Room filled with flu patients. The hackers...

Educational Opportunities

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

HRET HIIN Assessing, Addressing and Responding to Social Determinants of Health in Vulnerable Communities

March 6, 2018 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

[Register Here](#)

HRET HIIN QI Fellowship Office Hours #3

March 7, 2018 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

[Register Today](#)

HRET HIIN QI Foundations for Change Fellowship Call #5

March 14, 2018 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

[Register Today](#)

HRET HIIN Q1 Accelerating Improvement Fellowship call #5

March 14, 2018 12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

[Register Today](#)

Don't forget to sign up for the Listserv®

HRET HIIN uses the Listserv® platform to encourage peer-to-peer networking, share HRET HIIN events and resources, and highlight innovative approaches to reduce harm.

To join please click the link below and select the list serv's you would like to be added to

[Join Now](#)



TMF-QIO Education (No CE's offered)

Utilizing Data to Support Readmissions Reduction Efforts for Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities

March 8, 2018 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.

[Register Today](#)

Managing the Opioid Crisis: Perspectives from Rural Communities

Wednesday March 14, 2018 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

[Register Today](#)

Outpatient Antibiotic Stewardship Office Hour

March 22, 2018 12:00 p.m.-12:30 p.m.

[Participate](#)

NHQI Collaborative Learning Session III: A physician's Perspective on Antibiotic Stewardship in Nursing Homes

March 29, 2018 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m.

(Go to TMFqin.org/event to register)

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