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Fundamentals Of Health Care Improvement: A Guide To Improving Your Patients' Care, Second Edition



Synopsis

Research is proving that quality improvement (QI) initiatives are more successful when implemented with an interprofessional approach. Authored by a team of physicians and nurses, the second edition of *Fundamentals of Health Care Improvements* is grounded in this principle. Charting a course for future health care professionals, the book provides a single source for nursing students, medical students, and resident physicians to learn and practice the basics of QI. The following special features of this updated edition prepare readers to be advanced beginners in QI: Methods for identifying and closing the quality gap and improving patient safety. Instruction on how find, evaluate, and apply scientific evidence for improving care. Discussion of communication, teamwork and an interprofessional approach. description of process literacy and a variety of process modeling/mapping procedures. Comparisons between and practical applications of types of measurement. Interviews with well respected change agents about their QI success stories. Teacher's Guide chapter with activities for medical and nursing students.

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It is just exactly what it is supposed to be

Good book with lots of useful information.

This is a great resource book for clinicians and educators, reasonable price and a wealth of information. I use this in my nursing research and EBNP course that I teach. Highly recommend the book to you for clinical practice or classroom. Real world applications in easy to understand presentation.

Excellent book very clear easily read reference explaining fundamental healthcare and health care improvements. EXTREMELY useful for clinic improvements. Also great for medical, nursing, health administrative staff and students

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Very helpful reference book

As a textbook, it met my expectations by being what my professor wanted me to purchase. I am learning from it, as I should. Came through beautifully in sending a well-cared-for product, earlier than you said, which was great! The price was reasonable also.

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