Teaching Quality Improvement and Patient Safety

The Teach for UCSF Certificate in Teaching Quality Improvement and Patient Safety (QI/PS) aims to create a sustainable opportunity for UCSF faculty to develop expertise in teaching QI/PS in didactic and clinical settings across the continuum of health professions education. This certification consists of 8 required workshops. Participants demonstrate skills learned by completing assessment exercises during the workshops.

Certificate Requirements

- Preparing to Teach Quality Improvement and Patient Safety
- Teaching Strategies for Quality Improvement and Patient Safety
- Teaching Learners to Use and Find Data for QIPS
- Teaching to Provide High-Value Care
- Capitalizing on Interprofessional Teachable Moments
- Critical Reflection
- Getting Projects Done: Tools for Helping Learners Stay on Track
- Small Group Teaching

Overall Objectives

Upon completion of the certificate a participant will be able to:

1. Compare and contrast QI and PS principles and methodologies.
2. Demonstrate effective strategies to engage learners in QI/PS across the continuum of health professional education.
3. Employ QI/PS tools as teaching strategies.
4. Facilitate learner reflection around QI and PS issues.
5. Design experiential learning activities for learners to apply QI/PS concepts.
6. Mentor learners in participation at any phase of a quality improvement and patient safety project.
7. Select, organize, and interpret QI and PS data.

Register for Workshops

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QI/PS Teaching Links

- Progress-Tracking Worksheet
- Ask a question
- Request a transcript
- Teach for UCSF Certificate Program
- Enroll in Teach for UCSF
- Link to this page: http://tiny.ucsf.edu/QIPS

Important Dates to Hold

- Sunday, May 23, 2021: Accelerated Path to Teach for UCSF Certificates - Multiple Tracks

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Related Articles

8. Implement QI and PS initiatives using principles of motivation and change management.