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Improvement Collective

Do you have a passion for improving the health care you provide?

The Improvement Foundation (IF) is launching the Improvement Collective, a virtual community to enhance continuous quality improvement capability and culture in Australian health care. The community will be a source of inspiration, knowledge and support for individuals and organisations seeking to advance health care improvement.

The Improvement Collective will be designed and delivered by the IF Faculty. The IF Faculty comprises Australia's leading experts in quality improvement and thought leadership, including Dr Tony Lembke, Dr Richard Bills and Dr Dale Ford.

For more information on the IF Faculty, please go to <https://www.improve.org.au/our-faculty>

What's on offer?

We understand that no two general practices are the same and as such, we have designed the Improvement Collective to offer a community in which you can:

- receive 1 hour of individualised coaching/support at no cost to you or your team
- share ideas and resources with other members around the country
- access a range of resources that can support you to embed a continuous quality improvement approach in your workplace.

This is *in addition* to all the other benefits in becoming a member of the Improvement Collective, as detailed below.

- Webinars

Webinars to be delivered bi-monthly with an annual curriculum focused on advanced quality improvement topics presented by high profile national and international speakers. Members will be able to request topics and showcase their achievements.

- Quality Improvement Portal

Access to an online portal where you can record relevant QI activities for the PIP QI. Having all these documents in one place will enable you to monitor progress against the PIP QI and have a record for auditing purposes. You can also upload a Quality Improvement Action Plan (QIAP), use the Model for Improvement (PDSA cycles), and store certificates of attendance in Improvement Collective training and other courses you attend.

- Resources

Members can access the wealth of resources developed over a decade of quality improvement in Australia. This includes QI guides and templates, improvement stories, videos, and many others.

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- Certificate

Individuals who participate in training and/or successfully complete a course will be provided with a certificate, highlighting the individual's commitment to quality improvement.

- Virtual short courses

Virtual short courses are action-oriented courses that run over 3 – 4 months, in which participants focus on a specific topic area and receive instruction on quality improvement tools and techniques that can be applied to the topic area to achieve real outcomes. Improvement Collective members will be able to access IF's virtual short courses at discounted rates.

- Face-to-face training

Commencing in 2021, IF will offer face-to-face training sessions on advanced quality improvement topics delivered by expert presenters. Improvement Collective members will be able to access face-to-face training at discounted rates.

Improvement Collective membership is available for general practices and also for individuals. For more information, please email us at thecollective@improve.org.au or phone (08) 8100 8700.

About the Improvement Foundation

We are a not for profit organisation that provides quality improvement consultancy and services to help Australia deliver world class health care.