

Five Things You Can Do This Week

- Complete the 2012 Chapter Progress Report
- Read about Former Hospital CEO Paul Levy's visit to the UC Denver Chapter
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- Enter the May Trivia Contest!
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Complete the 2012 Chapter Progress Report!



It's time for us to learn about what your Chapters have been doing, and what support you need from the IHI Open School team in the 2012 Chapter Progress Report!

The Chapter Progress Report allows us to evaluate the activity and success of our Chapters, while encouraging members to reflect on their accomplishments and goals from this year. The questionnaire will take no more than 15 minutes.

[Complete your Chapter's Report today!](#)

Former CEO Visits the University of Denver Chapter



The University of Colorado IHI Open School Chapter, in collaboration with the Patient Safety Education Partnership, was proud last week to host Paul F. Levy, author and former CEO of Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

Levy related stories about reducing patient harm, transparency of clinical outcomes, and leadership in medicine. The 80 attendees included students and faculty from the schools of Medicine, Nursing, Pharmacy, Dental Medicine, and Public Health, as well as residents and staff from several area hospitals.

[Read more here.](#)

WIHI: Pursuing the Triple Aim with Maureen Bisognano



Tune in to WIHI on Thursday at 2PM EST for a special "book party discussion," featuring *Pursuing the Triple Aim: Seven Innovators Show the Way to Better Care, Better Health and Lower Costs*.

Authors Maureen Bisognano and Charles Kenney join several innovators highlighted in the book's improvement stories to discuss their work tackling some of the most difficult challenges in health care.

[Register \(for free\) for this episode here.](#)

Enter the May Trivia Contest!



This month's IHI Open School Trivia Question: What is the name of one of the seven Chapters that has been featured in our Chapter Spotlight?

[Submit your answer](#) by May 20th and be entered to win a \$10 Amazon gift card. Winners will be announced on the IHI Open School Facebook page and on our Twitter feed.

Congratulations to Kantha Medepalli, from Northeast Ohio Medical University (NEOMED), for winning April's Trivia Contest! She correctly identified Dr. Don Berwick as the facilitator of this year's Student Quality Leadership Academy. (We received dozens of correct answers, but we chose Kantha's out of a hat!)

Community Updates

Welcome, New Chapters

United States
Jupiter Medical Center, Florida
Rockingham Memorial Hospital, Virginia
San Jose State University, California

International
Students for Safer Patients, Denmark

Opportunities

Save the Date: Don Berwick Lectureship at the Georgetown University Chapter

On June 5, the Georgetown University IHI Open School Chapter is hosting the Inaugural Dr. Amitai Etzioni Lectureship, featuring Dr. Don Berwick and Dr. Carolyn Clancy. Berwick and Clancy will discuss "Putting the Patient First: Providing Health Care that is Patient Safe and Patient Centered." The event is free and open for all to attend at the Georgetown campus in Washington, DC. [Learn more and register here now.](#)

2012 IHI Perinatal Meeting

The IHI is covering registration for a limited number of students to attend the 2012 IHI Perinatal Meeting in New Orleans, LA!

Wednesday, May 16 - Friday, May 18

Learn about improvement methods focused on execution (increased reliability and associated changes-practical), advanced bundles, leadership, the patient experience, and more in this exciting opportunity to network with the [IHI Perinatal Improvement Community](#). The deadline for the discounted rate is Friday, May 4th.

To learn more, contact the [IHI Open School](#).

University of New Hampshire Chapter Visits IHI Office

On Monday, the University of New Hampshire IHI Open School Chapter visited the IHI offices in Cambridge, Massachusetts, for a tour and learning session with the IHI Open School team. The Chapter, comprising clinical nurse leader students, shared information about their unique educational experience and ongoing quality improvement projects.

Chapter Tip of the Week

Looking to impress future employers? Earn your [IHI Open School Basic Certificate of Completion](#) to prove your dedication to quality improvement and patient safety.