



Three Things You Can Do This Week

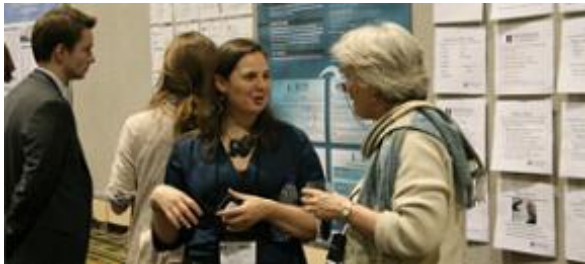
- Submit an abstract to present at the Scientific Symposium
- Register to attend the Asia Pacific Forum in September
- Check out what's going on in the Community

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Student Presentation Opportunity at the Scientific Symposium



The Academy for Healthcare Improvement is teaming up with the IHI Open School to host the first-ever student session at this year's Scientific Symposium at the IHI National Forum in December. The session will include presentations by authors who are currently enrolled as health professional students.

Students from all health care professions are encouraged to submit abstracts that summarize their quality improvement work in order to be selected for oral and poster presentations. Abstracts are due on September 4th. [Click here to learn more about the student session at the Scientific Symposium and student presentation opportunities.](#)

Asia Pacific Forum on Quality Improvement



Join the Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) and Ko Awatea for the 2012 Asia Pacific Forum on Quality Improvement in Health Care on 19-21 September in Auckland, New Zealand! The APAC Forum will draw health care professionals from around the world to participate in a broad array of learning sessions and networking events led by distinguished international faculty.

The IHI Open School has partnered with Ko Awatea to design a program to help make the APAC Forum a more valuable experience for students. Scholarships are available for students - the deadline to apply is August 20th. Visit our website for [more information.](#)

Community Updates

Welcome, New Chapters!


United States
TMC Lakewood, Missouri

International
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Midwest Regional Event

We'd like to remind you about the upcoming **Midwest Regional Event!** The free event will feature presentations on the Triple Aim, quality improvement projects, and quality fellowships by distinguished HealthPartners staff and residents. [Click here to learn more about the event.](#)

 **HealthPartners®**
Institute for Education and Research
Thursday, August 23rd
12:00PM - 5:00PM
HealthPartners Headquarters, Bloomington, MN

Chapter Recruitment: Engaging Others in the Improvement Movement

Are you wondering how to market your IHI Open School Chapter? In our second blog focused on your Progress Report feedback, you will find resources to help you recruit new Chapter members, engage other disciplines, and spread the word about your IHI Open School Chapter. [Click here to learn more!](#)

IHI Open School Recruitment Materials

The IHI Open School has pens and brochures to help you recruit new members when you go back to school in the fall. [Submit your request for materials here.](#)

