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New Patient Story: 'Enjoy What You Have Left of Your Life'



In our newest patient story, IHI Open School Academic Advisor Dr. James Moses introduces us to Christiane, a nurse who undergoes a difficult transition to patient after learning that she has an inoperable brain tumor. Consider several discussion questions about Christiane's case and then hear from her about the life-changing experience. [Click here to get started and join the conversation.](#)

Forum Reminder: Scholarship Applications Due Friday

There's still time to apply for an academic scholarship for this year's National Forum on Quality Improvement in Health Care this December. Students and residents who attend have the opportunity to network with nearly 6,000 health care professionals, interact with best-selling author Dan Heath at the Chapter Congress, and participate in a student track of sessions featuring topics such as human factors and building a global network.



The final deadline to apply is **Friday**. [Review scholarship details and apply here.](#)

Community Updates

Achieving Interprofessional Education in Illinois

Our [newest blog post](#) examines the importance of interprofessional collaboration in an IHI Open School Chapter. Using the University of Illinois Chicago as a model, the blog details ways in which a Chapter can recruit a diverse leadership team and run events that appeal to all health professions.

Is your Chapter doing any innovative interprofessional work? Let us know by emailing openschool@ihi.org.

