

Experts agree that there are certain Keys to QI Success

- ★ Assess current performance & choose focus area.
- ★ **Develop & implement a plan of action that is precise, understandable, and practical. (PDSA)**
- ★ Embed QI philosophy into organizational goals & priorities (including Job Descriptions).
- ★ **Gain buy-in from leadership:** QI is most successful when adopted by leadership & the entire organization.
- ★ **Start small & keep it simple!**
- ★ **ID all stakeholders & invite them to join your team.**
- ★ Don't get lost in the data; Instead use it to show progress!
- ★ Educate staff & seek their support through empowerment & involvement.
- ★ Consider appointing a team leader to manage "day to day" QI activities
- ★ **Review. Measure. Evaluate.**
- ★ **Commit to the Process.**