Quality Improvement Speaker Series

COMPARING LEAN & IHI’S APPROACH TO QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

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Richard Scoville, an internationally-recognized educator and consultant in Improvement Science, serves as Improvement Advisor to the Institute for Healthcare Improvement, Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center and other leading healthcare organizations. Dr. Scoville teaches healthcare quality improvement and information systems at UNC’s School of Public Health.

Dr. Scoville specializes in the design and execution of collaborative improvement initiatives and improvement measurement systems. He has worked with the Health Resources and Services Administration’s Health Disparities Collaboratives, Improving Performance in Practice (a national project to advance the use of QI in primary care), IHI’s Impact Communities on reducing surgical complications and hospital-acquired infections, the Safer Patients Network (a U.K.-based network of hospitals focused on improving patient safety), and the Robert Wood Johnson’s Aligning Forces for Quality Initiative among others.

Dr. Scoville conducts workshops on healthcare quality improvement and measurement for the North Carolina AHEC, Canadian Ministry of Health, Britain’s National Health Service, the Singapore Ministry of Health, the Scottish Patient Safety Initiative, Stanford University, and the California Health Care Foundation. He regularly presents at IHI’s National Forum.

February 9, 2015  11:30am-1pm
Bondurant Hall (G100) Strum Auditorium
Lunch will be served
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