

Thank you for serving on the review committee for IHQI's Improvement Scholars cohort 10 applications. The review committee's charge is to offer recommendations as to which projects IHQI will support in FY24. Historically, IHQI has supported 5-6 projects annually.

This year, IHQI received 14 applications. Each application receives 3 reviews, from one primary reviewer and two secondary reviewers. A second email will follow listing your project assignments, along with links to relevant materials. Please do not share these links.

FOR ALL

By Feb 24, please complete one [project rating survey](#) for each project you are assigned. The rating scale is 1-5, where 1=exceptional, 5=poor.

FOR REVIEWERS ASSIGNED ROLE OF PRIMARY PROJECT REVIEWER

If you are serving as a primary reviewer on a project, by March 9 please also prepare a brief (3-5 minutes) oral summary. The target audience is other reviewers who will score the project at the review meeting based on your report (please assume these other reviewers have not read the project's application). No visuals are needed. Below are prompts to consider when creating your summary.

- What is the project trying to accomplish?
- What is the specific patient population impacted by the project? Address scope of impact. For example, how many patients will this project affect annually? What is the anticipated impact on population health?
- What is the improvement strategy? What is/are the interventions? How does the project team propose to implement the strategies?
- With respect to accomplishing the project's aim, how well-reasoned and appropriate is the improvement strategy?
- What is the project's potential to improve care and outcomes that can be sustained and spread?
- The Improvement Scholars program seeks to increase the number of clinicians skilled in improvement science and leadership. What is the potential for this objective to be accomplished?
- Overall impact: What is the likelihood of the project to have a strong, lasting impact on healthcare improvement at UNC?

If you have any questions, please reach out to Shana Ratner, shana_ratner@med.unc.edu, or Arianna Keil, arianna.keil@unchealth.unc.edu. We look forward to seeing you at the review meeting on March 9!