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HEALTHCARE IMPROVEMENT
Evidence Update

*All articles were published in **November 2025** and are in alphabetical order by journal / website*

QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

- Call for session proposals for NHS ConfedExpo 2026 – deadline 23 January 2026
- Podcast: The Right Chamber - Ep 25 - Building a Culture of Continuous Improvement in the NHS
- Champions as catalysts for change: a realist evaluation of their impact in primary care (BMC Health Services Research)
- Effectiveness of quality improvement interventions in improving cardiovascular disease-related outcomes in primary and tertiary care: A systematic review and meta-analyses (BMC Primary Care)
- Collaborative Working to Address Inappropriate ED Attendances by Nursing Home Residents (BMJ Open Quality)
- Implementation of a unit-specific quality improvement process for prevention of hospital-acquired pressure injuries (BMJ Open Quality)
- Improving care for patients with severe eating disorders in a university hospital without a formal eating disorder service (BMJ Open Quality)
- Improving staff awareness of sensory aid needs and dementia status in an old age ward (BMJ Open Quality)
- Improving departmental Quality Improvement Plans through standardisation, structured peer-to-peer feedback and building improvement capacity and culture (BMJ Open Quality)
- Increasing MRI capacity at a clinical diagnostic centre and a trauma hospital using artificial intelligence-based image reconstruction (AI-IR): a quality improvement project using the Model for Improvement framework (BMJ Open Quality)
- Increasing the rate of nursing process implementation: a quality improvement project at Wollega University Comprehensive Specialized Hospital, 2025 (BMJ Open Quality)
- 'Leanomics in healthcare: a three-year quality improvement study on the financial impact of a modified Kanban system in hospital storerooms (BMJ Open Quality)
- Optimising drowning prevention counselling through a physician Maintenance of Certification (MOC) quality improvement (QI) initiative (BMJ Open Quality)
- Optimising acid-base balance in patients with advanced chronic kidney disease: a quality improvement initiative (BMJ Open Quality)
- Reducing drug-related harm by triggering proactive outreach (BMJ Open Quality)
- From SMART aims to systems thinking: expanding the scope of quality improvement and patient safety education (BMJ Quality & Safety)
- Leading from the Acute Medical Unit: Restoring Function, Purpose and Flow (Future Healthcare Journal)
- Quality Improvement Workbook for Paramedics (Health Excellence Canada)

PATIENTS & PEOPLE

- Co-Designing Solutions to Improve Communication About Serious Illness During Hospitalisation (Health Expectations)
- Men's Health: How to improve health outcomes, knowledge and behaviours (Healthwatch)

- [A Seat at the Table, But on Whose Terms? The Illusion of Meaningful Engagement](#) (Journal of Patient Experience)
- [Championing Ethical Engagement of Youth in Healthcare: A Reflective Commentary](#) (Journal of Patient Experience)
- [Through Both Lenses: A Dual Perspective on Illness](#) (Journal of Patient Experience)
- [Official Statistics: Health of the region data explorer](#) (Office for Health Improvement and Disparities)
- [A Systematic Review of the Literature on the Validity, Reliability, and Utility of the NHS Friends and Family Test as a Method for Gathering Feedback on and Improving the Experiences of Patients](#) (Patient Experience Journal)
- [Tailor-made for children. Designing a pictorial questionnaire to explore eating habits, lifestyle, and body perception](#) (Quality & Quantity)

STRATEGY

- [All-Party Parliamentary Group (APPG) on Emergency Care: Corridor Care](#) (APPG)
- [The state of integrated care systems 2024/25: delivering through change](#) (NHS Confederation)
- [The strategic commissioning framework: What you need to know](#) (NHS Confederation)
- [Towards integrated health organisations: considerations for policy and NHS leaders](#) (NHS Confederation)
- [Strategic commissioning framework](#) (NHS England)
- [On the day briefing: strategic commissioning framework](#) (NHS Providers)
- [From diagnosis to delivery: A framework for accelerating NHS productivity growth](#) (The Health Foundation)
- [Learning from other countries implementing AI in health and care](#) (The Health Foundation)
- [What Is The State Of Children's Health In England](#) (The Kings Fund)
- [Why management matters so much for the success of the NHS 10 Year Health Plan](#) (The Kings Fund)
- [NHS workforce in a nutshell](#) (The Kings Fund)

EVENTS

- 9 & 16 Dec: [Somerset NHS Foundation Trust Quality Improvement Grand Round](#) - 12.00-13.00
- 16 Dec: [Shine a light on co-production December event](#) - NHS England Events - 10:30-12:00
- 22 Jan 2026: [Quality Improvement and sustainability](#) - Free MS Teams event 13:30-14:20
- 27 Jan 2026: [Shine a light on co-production January event](#) - NHS England - 10:30-12:00
- 28 Jan 2026: [Skills for collaborative change](#) - Online, Q Community event 12:00-13:00
- 24 Feb 2026: [Shine a light on co-production February event](#) - NHS England - 10:30-12:00
- 25 Feb 2026: [NHS IMPACT Masterclass - Coproduction of Improvement](#) - Online, 11:00-11:50
- 18 March 2026: [Leading Successful Partnerships](#) - Online, Q Community event 12:00-13:00
- 23 March 2026: [Quality management systems](#) - Online, event 12:30-13:50
- 31 March 2026: [Shine a light on co-production March event](#) - NHS England Events - 10:30-12:00
- 30 April 2026: [NHS IMPACT Masterclass - Learning from Scotland's improvement journey](#) - Free online, 10:00-10:50
- 18 June 2026: [NHS IMPACT Masterclass - Leadership for improvement](#) - Free online, 10:00-10:50

For full national quality improvement events listing go to: https://www.theqihub.com/post/events