

HEALTHCARE IMPROVEMENT

Evidence Update

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- [Reducing unnecessary bed days to optimise flow and improve demand-capacity mismatch: learning from a system-wide patient flow collaborative](#) (BMJ Open Quality)
- [Building capacity for change: developing an evidence-based competencies framework to power champions](#) (BMJ Quality & Safety)
- [Mapping Theories, Models and Frameworks from implementation science for evaluating quality improvement initiatives: a scoping review](#) (BMJ Quality & Safety)
- [Elements of Improving Quality and Safety in Healthcare - Human Factors and Ergonomics](#) (Cambridge Elements)
- [Moving from change agents to improvement architects through the Four Cs model: rethinking healthcare's complexity, cultures, contexts and connections](#) (Frontiers in Health Services)
- [Presentations from Clinical Audit Awareness Week, 22–26 June 2026](#) (Healthcare Quality Improvement Partnership)
- [The four main domains of the concept of return-on-investment from healthcare quality improvement programmes](#) (International Journal for Quality in Health Care)
- [Hidden curriculum of quality improvement: lessons for resident doctors](#) (Medicine)
- [Of Clocks and Clouds - Leading System Level Change in Health and Care, Learning from the Northern Triangle](#) (University of York)

PATIENTS & PEOPLE



- [Primary and secondary patient participation - a qualitative study of healthcare professionals' perceptions and experiences](#) (BMC Health Services Research)
- [Clinician-Patient Asynchronous Text Messaging Communication in Hospital-at-Home Care: Qualitative Study](#) (Journal of Medical Internet Research)
- [Language Access in Healthcare: Aligning Policy and Evidence to Improve Patient Experience Through Professional Interpretation and Language-Concordant Care](#) (Journal of Patient Experience)
- [‘No man’s land’: the experience of patients at the interface between health and social care](#) (The King’s Fund)
- [Understanding health experiences of patients who speak English as an additional language](#) (The Patients Association)

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- [Exploring innovation landscapes: a national cross-sectional study of Swedish primary care from the viewpoint of primary care managers](#) (BMC Health Services Research)
- [State-of-the-art technologies for the digital transformation of healthcare services – a systematic scoping review](#) (BMC Health Services Research)
- [State of Emergency Medicine in England](#) (Royal College of Emergency Medicine)
- [Immigration and the NHS: the evidence](#) (The Health Foundation)
- [A shared heart: the story of Fleetwood's community health hub](#) (The King's Fund)
- [Explaining the Health Bill \(NHS Modernisation Bill 2026\): what does it mean for health and care?](#) (The King's Fund)
- [Healthy ageing: what can England learn from Japan and Sweden about meeting the challenge of an ageing society?](#) (The King's Fund)

EVENTS



- 2 September 2026: [AI Ambassador Network meeting: AI & putting people first in health & social care](#) – Online, 10.30-12.00
- 3 September 2026: [North West Ambulance Service \(NWAS\) QI Academy in action: improving pre-hospital maternity care through the digital maternity decision tool](#) – Online, 13.30-14.20
- 8 September 2026: [NHS IMPACT: Publishing improvement work](#) – Masterclass, 10.00
- 14-18 September 2026: [QI Week](#) – Online all week
- 23 September 2026: [Leading Successful Partnerships](#) – Q, Online, 12.00-13.00
- 23 September 2026: [Culture of Care programme of QI and leadership in Mental Health](#) – Online, 14.30
- 30 September 2026: [Relational care management workshop](#) – Q, Online, 10.00-11.30
- 2 October 2026: [Quality Improvement South West National Conference 2026 – AI in Healthcare: Transforming Quality Improvement](#) – In person, Bath, 13.00-18.00
- 7 October 2026: [NHS IMPACT: Flanders Quality Model \(FlaQuM\): Building the invisible engine of quality in healthcare](#) – Masterclass, 11.30
- 16 November 2026: [NHS IMPACT: Psychological safety in Improvement – part 2](#) – Masterclass, 11.00
- 24 November 2026: [THIS Space 2026](#) – Free online, all day

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