

**Name:**

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Job Title:

Leadership fellow in Quality Improvement with Health Education England across Yorkshire and Humber (HEEYH)

Supervisor:

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Aims of Post:

Establishment of a training course for junior doctors in Quality Improvement, to run a pilot, design its evaluation and consider its future sustainability
To raise awareness and promote Quality Improvement across the region

Summary of Post:

The post involved the design and implementation of the “Introduction to Quality Improvement” (IQI) Course in the East (Harrogate, Hull, North Lincolnshire & Goole & York) for core medical and anaesthetic trainees. The first phase was delivered and evaluated and a strategic re-structuring developed to ensure future sustainability. There was a proposal for a regional curriculum in QI which has been superseded by the “Training for Better Outcomes” Report. A successful bid for a Regional MDT QI Conference was made and delivered.

Achievements:

1. Phase 1 of the IQI course pilot designed, implemented and evaluated. Presented at the Future Leaders Programme Conference (March 2016) and the trans pennine IMPACT Conference (June 2016) MCA Expo (June 2016)
2. Foundations of QI Course for Consultants (CPD approved) – delivered across 6 trusts in Yorkshire
3. Regional MDT QI Conference, June 2016. Approved by Dean as annual event
4. Member of national KQuIP Education group, part of Think Kidneys
5. Selected to be a member of the Q Community (Health Foundation)