

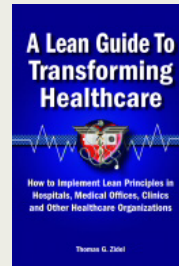
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Tom Zidel is a consultant, speaker, author, and facilitator. He specializes in the implementation of Lean and Six Sigma in the healthcare environment. Tom's successful 20 year career in the manufacturing and aerospace industries includes experience implementing cost reduction, productivity, operational and quality improvement, and strategic deployment. Tom has devoted the last 6 years to successfully implementing Lean and Six Sigma principles in healthcare. He is the author of the book "A Lean Guide to Transforming Healthcare: How to Implement Lean Principles in Hospitals, Medical Offices, Clinics, and Other Healthcare Organizations"



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Lean Hospitals Services

Training, Facilitation, Consulting and Strategy Deployment



A lean (*kaizen*) event is the dedication of a team of individuals whose sole purpose is to implement lean tools and concepts in a targeted area

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Lean Hospitals will guide your organization in their Lean / Six Sigma Transformation by conducting training in the tools, principles and concepts of Lean / Six Sigma Healthcare.

Lean and Six Sigma principles have been revolutionizing manufacturing and service industries in the United States and around the world for many years. These same principles can and are providing the same benefits in healthcare.

By focusing on the elimination of the waste and variation related to hospital processes, hospitals can reduce costs, improve quality, increase productivity, and enhance revenue.

The underlying principles of Lean and Six Sigma focus on the elimination of process waste and variation respectively, resulting in improved throughput, better patient satisfaction, reduced costs, and better utilization of resources.

Lean Hospitals will facilitate lean improvement events by educating and mentoring your hospital employees.

Training and Certification for Healthcare Professionals

TRAINING

Lean Hospitals offers several levels of training in Lean, Six Sigma, and Lean Six Sigma including:

- Overviews
- Lean leader Workshop
- SS Green Belt Certification
- SS Black Belt Certification
- Lean SS Black Belt Certification
- Lean Event Facilitator Certification

FACILITATION

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STRATEGIC DEPLOYMENT

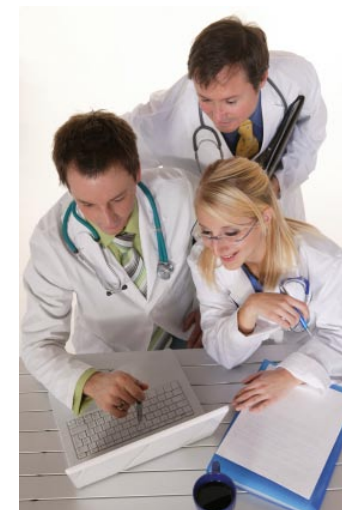
Establishing a strategic plan which clearly defines the hospital's long and short term objectives is a necessity for any organization. Even more important than having a strategic plan, is effective strategic deployment. Providing both vertical and horizontal alignment

in order to deliver results. This is accomplished by having a series of Strategic Deployment Sessions, designed to develop teamwork, and provide each member of the team with specific goals and metrics associated with specific Areas of Strategic Focus defined in the strategic plan.



CONSULTING

Lean Hospitals also offers consulting services to successfully implement Lean from launch, to full deployment, to enterprise integration.



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