

# CFPC Resources to Support Quality Improvement (QI) Activities by Family Physicians

The College of Family Physicians of Canada (CFPC) provides a wide range of tools and programs to support family physicians in integrating Quality Improvement (QI) into daily clinical practice. These resources help build QI capacity, apply data-driven methods, and earn Mainpro+ continuing professional development credits. Below is a compiled summary of key CFPC QI resources with direct links for access.

## 1. Practice Improvement Initiative (Pii)

The central CFPC QI platform supporting physicians and clinics in practice-level improvement. It consolidates tools, data sources, and examples of successful QI projects.

<https://www.cfpc.ca/en/policy-innovation/innovation-in-research-and-quality-improvement/practice-improvement-initiative>

## 2. Practice Improvement Essentials (PIE) Workshop (Part 1 & 2)

A two-part, Mainpro+ accredited workshop that teaches foundational QI skills, including PDSA cycles, measurement for improvement, and change management for family medicine teams.

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## 3. Practice Facilitation, Coaching & Support Tools

Provides frameworks and advocacy tools for incorporating QI facilitators or coaches into primary care settings. Includes 'The Case for Practice Facilitation Within Primary Care' primer.

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## 4. Guide for Integrating QI into Family Medicine Residency Programs

Outlines QI competencies, curricular structures, and methods that are also directly applicable to community family practices.

<https://www.cfpc.ca/en/resources/health-policy/a-guide-to-integrating-qi>

## 5. Professional Learning Plan (PLP) Tool

An interactive tool that helps physicians identify learning needs and practice-improvement goals, supporting integration of CPD and QI.

<https://www.cfpc.ca/en/education-professional-development/cpd-at-cfpc/professional-learning-plan-plp>

## **6. Tools for Doctors – Practice Tools & Guidelines Library**

A library of clinical tools and guidelines, including Choosing Wisely resources and other supports for evidence-informed improvement initiatives.

<https://www.cfpc.ca/en/education-professional-development/practice-tools-guidelines/tools-for-doctors>