



## QuEST PROGRAM STUDENT RESOURCE PACKAGE

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### Comprehensive Guides

- [U of T Library - Gerstein Science Information Centre Guide for MScQIPS - Quality Improvement and Patient Safety](#) (web - downloadable tools, resource links, guides)
- [U of T Department of Family & Community Medicine \(DFCM\) - Practical Tools for Practices to Improve Quality](#) (web - downloadable tools and resource links)

### QI & Safety Principles

- [Institute for Healthcare Improvement \(IHI\) – Quality Improvement Essentials Toolkit](#) (web – downloadable tools)

### Communicating Your Work: Writing, Presenting & Publishing

- [West England Academic Health Science Network \(WEAHSN\) - Guide to making a QI Poster](#) (web)
- G. Ogrinc. et al, *BMJ Qual Saf* (2015) - SQUIRE 2.0 (Standards for QUality Improvement Reporting Excellence): Guidelines for how to report on QI (PDF - attached)
- B.M. Wong & G.M. Sullivan, *J Grad Med Educ* (2016) - How to Write Up Your Quality Improvement Initiatives for Publication (PDF - attached)
- L. Lingard & C. Watling, *J Assoc Am Med Coll* (2016) - It's a *Story*, Not a Study: Writing an Effective Research Paper (PDF - attached)
- L. Lingard, *Perspect Med Educ* (2015) - Joining a conversation: the problem/gap/hook heuristic (PDF - attached)



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- Peer-reviewed publications:

Publication	Discipline	Recommended Submission Category for QuEST Projects
<a href="#">Canadian Journal of General Internal Medicine (CJGIM)</a>	Internal Medicine	GIM Practice
<a href="#">BMJ Open Quality</a>	Quality Improvement	QI Report
<a href="#">Canadian Family Physician</a>	Family Medicine	Program Description or Commentary
<a href="#">Canadian Medical Association Journal (CMAJ)</a>	Medicine	Innovations

- Presentations, conferences and events:

Event	Discipline	Date	Call for Abstracts Deadline
<a href="#">Centre for Quality Improvement and Patient Safety Virtual Poster Event (C-QulPS+)</a>	Quality Improvement, Patient Safety	May 17, 2022	Feb 18, 2022
<a href="#">Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI)</a>	Quality Improvement, Patient Safety	Various	
<a href="#">North American Primary Care Research Group - Practice Based Research Network (PBRN)</a>	Family Medicine / Primary Care	Jun 2-3, 2022	Feb 23, 2022
<a href="#">Brock University Exploring Healthcare Quality Improvement (EHQI) Conference</a>	Quality Improvement, Patient Safety	Mar 26, 2022	Mar 6, 2022



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<a href="#">University of Toronto Division of General Internal Medicine (GIM) Research Day</a>	Internal Medicine	Jun 24, 2022	Mar 31, 2022
<a href="#">Family Medicine Forum (FMF)</a>	Family Medicine / Primary Care	Nov 9-12 & 16-19, 2022	Various - Papers/posters by Apr 8, 2022
<a href="#">North American Primary Care Research Group International Conference on Practice Facilitation (ICPF)</a>	Family Medicine / Primary Care	Sep 8-9, 2022	TBD
<a href="#">Association of Family Health Teams of Ontario (AFHTO) Conference</a>	Family Medicine / Primary Care	Annually ~October	TBD
<a href="#">Canadian Society of Internal Medicine (CSIM) Postgraduate Research and QI Oral and Poster Competition</a>	Internal Medicine	Oct 12-15, 2022	June 2, 2022 (associate application) June 9, 2022 (abstracts)

## Research & Analysis Skills

- [U of T Library - Gerstein Science Information Centre Guide for MScQIPS - Quality Improvement and Patient Safety](#) (web - downloadable tools, resource links, guides)
- [Elsevier - Researcher Academy](#) (web - learning modules)

