

# Dynamic DON Series



**Session Title:** QAPI for the DON

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## **Course Description:**

This 6-week webinar series runs March – April 2023 and focuses on skill building for serving effectively as the Director of Nursing with an emphasis on effective leadership and staff engagement, nursing operations and systems of care for common conditions treated in the LTC setting. Guidance will include strategies for avoiding common deficiencies, staff training/competency, performance improvement and QA activities targeting QM areas, fundamentals of SNF/LTC reimbursement and oversight of MDS performance and promoting 5-star quality. This session will discuss the components of Quality Assurance and Performance Improvement (QAPI) and the DON's role and responsibilities for QAPI.

## **Projected Learning Outcomes/Course Objectives: At the conclusion of each session, the learner will:**

1. Understand the components of a QAPI program
2. Describe methods that can be used in performance improvement efforts
3. Describe the DON's roles and responsibilities related to QAPI program implementation
4. Understand how QAPI activities can be used to improve quality metrics

## **Course Content**

15 minutes	Components of QAPI program
15 minutes	Methods for Performance Improvement Activities
10 minutes	DON Roles and Responsibilities
15 minutes	Applying QAPI principles to improve quality metrics
5 minutes	Closing Comments/Q&A

**Target Audience:** Nursing Leadership

**Instructional Level:** Intermediate

**Contact Hours:** 1.0