Describing the Intersection Between Evaluation Research and Quality Improvement

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Today’s panel kicks off a Learning Group focused on the intersection of quality improvement and evaluation research.

Learning objectives:
• (1) develop a rapid cycle adoption process for evidence-based practices;
• (2) enhance research staff understanding of provider constraints;
• (3) develop provider skills for rapid cycle adoption.

This virtual learning group will convene over the next 8 months and will develop a guidance document for other PBRNs.

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Agenda for Today’s Panel

• Introduction  
  ▶ David Gustafson, Ph.D.

• Example 1: Integrating Practice-Based Research With Continuous Quality Improvement to Eliminate Undiagnosed Hypertension in a PBRN (APCIG)  
  ▶ Bernard Ewigman, M.D., M.S.P.H.

• Example 2: Improvement and Innovation Networks  
  ▶ Lloyd Provost, M.S.

• Rapid Cycle Research for Quality Improvement  
  ▶ David Gustafson, Ph.D.

• Summary and Interactive Discussion  
  ▶ Moderator: David Gustafson, Ph.D.
Presenter Introductions

- **David Gustafson, Ph.D.**
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