The Teachers of Quality Academy (TQA) 6.0 is a professional development program for healthcare leaders designed to fundamentally change care delivery through a curriculum focused on building knowledge and skills in Health Systems Science (HSS). Participants engage in advanced learning in quality improvement, patient safety, and team leadership, develop projects to apply these skills across the health system, teach others in their environment about these concepts, and evaluate the outcomes of improvement interventions. Leading by example, TQA participants promote a culture of quality and safety across our enterprise.

Upon completion of TQA, participants will be able to:
• Establish goals for quality and safety efforts;
• Use data to drive improvement;
• Develop and implement inpatient, ambulatory, or population/community health focused improvement projects;
• Understand and develop their own leadership competencies in order to lead change, and;
• Disseminate the results of their QI work.

Ideal Candidates:
• Professionals in clinical or educational leadership roles, in interdisciplinary pairs or teams (ex: medical director and nurse manager dyad);
• Health Professionals with a genuine interest in QI efforts that promote the ECU Health mission.

To be considered for participation in 2022, you will need to complete an individual application and submit a copy of your CV. Click HERE to apply.

Teachers of Quality (TQA) 6.0 Informational Sessions:
For your convenience, two virtual information sessions will be held:

**March 22, 2022, from 12:30-1:00 via Zoom**
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83168401538?pwd=Tkt5UVNHM3RmOHQyUGgwVFJxTmx4dz09
Meeting ID: 831 6840 1538
Passcode: 515563
Join by Phone: 1-646-558-8656

**April 13, 2022, from 5:00-5:30 via Zoom**
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87351705116?pwd=UHdSdknSiSnVxEjNiZjIbUVnYTRQQQT09
Meeting ID: 873 5170 5116
Passcode: 374700
Join by Phone: 1-646-558-8656 US

Important Dates:
March – Launch Recruitment
April 29th—Application Deadline
June 1st—Notification of Acceptance
June-August—Completion of Pre-Program Requirements
September 15th—Begin Formal Learning Sessions

For additional information, visit the TQA website or contact Jenna Garris, garrisj15@ecu.edu