

## Intro to the QI Toolbox

## Introduction

The QI Tool Box describes specific tools for identifying problems and potential solutions in your practice. This resource is intended for all members of the healthcare team.

## How to Use this Tool Box

Using the FOCUS-PDSA improvement model as context, here is one approach to using the QI tools.

Use of all the QI tools is not required, but it is important to note that the tools are most effective as part of a systematic approach to change in an organization where performance improvement is a priority.

	Stakeholder Analysis	Brainstorming	Dot Voting	Prioritization Matrix	Flow Chart	Root Cause Analysis
Step 1. Find a Problem to Improve	Х	Х	Х	Х		
Step 2. Organize a Team	Х	Х	Х	Х		
Step 3. Clarify the Problem		Х	Х		х	
Step 4. Understand the Problem						х
Step 5. Select an Intervention		Х	Х	Х		