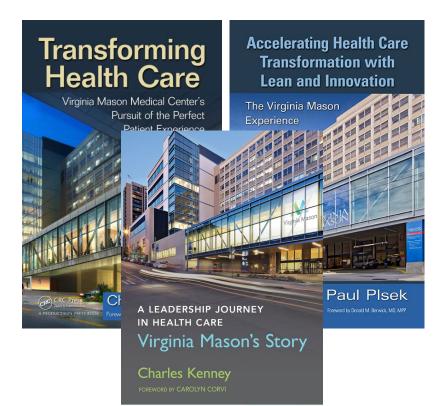
# The IMPACT You Need: Delivering a Quality Management System

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## Virginia Mason Institute: An Overview

- Formed in 2008 with 14 years of NHS partnership experience
- International experience working across 26 countries, governments and systems
- Real world application across our 18,000 people,
   11 hospitals and over 300 care sites around the world
- World-class experts with proven delivery approaches, concepts and methods
- Access to Virginia Mason's "Live Learning Lab" and state of art learning experience





## Our System



Hospitals: 11

Bed Count: 1,678

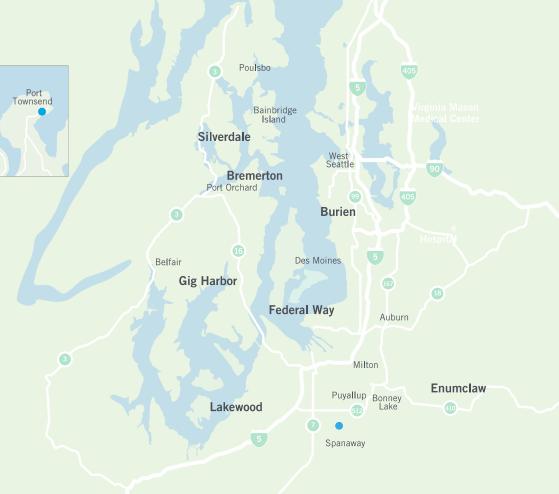
Outpatient Centers: 289

Urgent & Prompt Care Clinics: 15

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## Why Change?



## NHS Improvement- Global Improvement

#### Global Issues

#### **Traditional Responses**

Clinical Staff Exhaustion/Shortages

**Financial Challenges** 

Demand Growth/Complexity

Public Expectation Changes

**Regulatory Enforcement** 

Leadership Experience

**Complex Environment** 

Working harder, longer hours

Cost improvement programs cutting into 'muscle'

Converting poor areas for patient use

Defending poor outcomes

Pressure and stress issues

Cycling through leadership teams

One size does not work everywhere

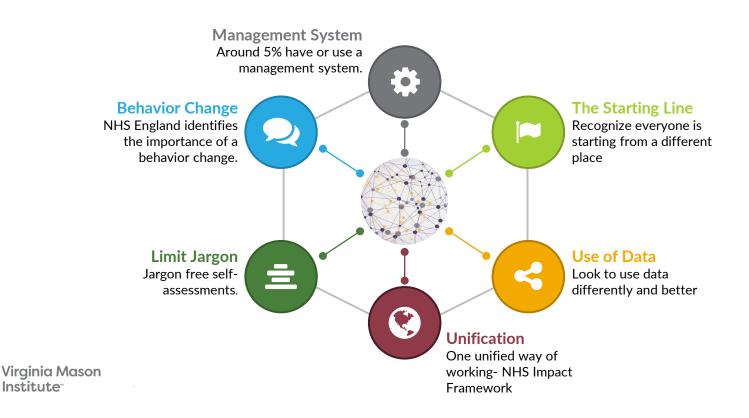


# What is a Quality Management System?



#### **NHS Improvement**

#### Global Improvement



## The Core Ingredients

Embedding a Quality Management System







# A High Functioning Quality Management System Has...

Strategic Alignment

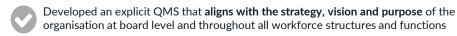
Daily Work

Risk Identification

**Priorities** 

Quality Improvement

#### Organizations and systems that are doing this well have:





- Put systems in place as part of the QMS to identify and monitor early warning signs and quality risks
- The ability to **respond to system and national priorities more easily** as the QMS provides a consistent and coherent quality-focused framework
- Set up the QMS as a system that **enables ongoing improvement** of quality, experience, and outcomes





# Building a Shared Purpose and Vision



### Building a Shared Purpose & Vision

#### **Inclusivity & Transparency**

Create a vision and shared purpose in an inclusive and transparent way ensuring meaningful input from all people

#### **Strategic Priorities**

Align improvement work to the vision and shared purpose through strategic priorities

#### **Emphasize Lived Experience**

Involve communities and people with lived experience as partners in the design of the vision and shared purpose.

#### **Core Values**

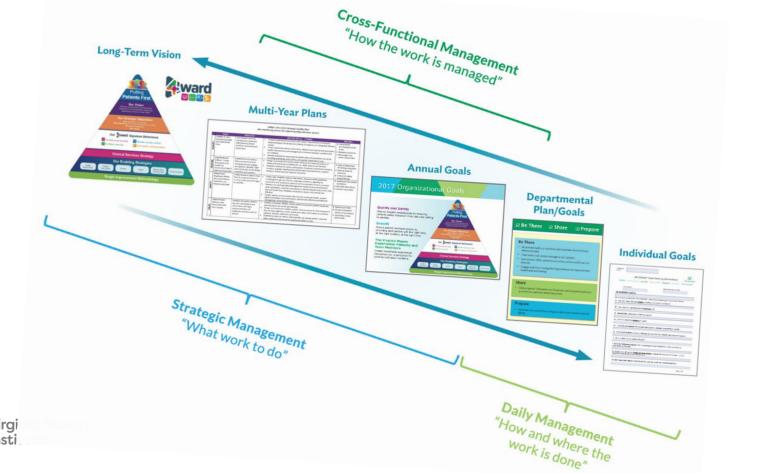
Find ways to ensure the vision and shared purpose are lived everyday by its people and are underpinned by core values.

#### **Purpose-Driven Context**

Set a powerful purpose-driven context for their improvement work so that people are more likely to engage, based on commitment to the purpose, rather than compliance with a process



## Creating the Golden Thread





# Investing in People and Culture



## **Psychological Safety**

Our Beliefs





## Fostering a Culture of Continuous Improvement



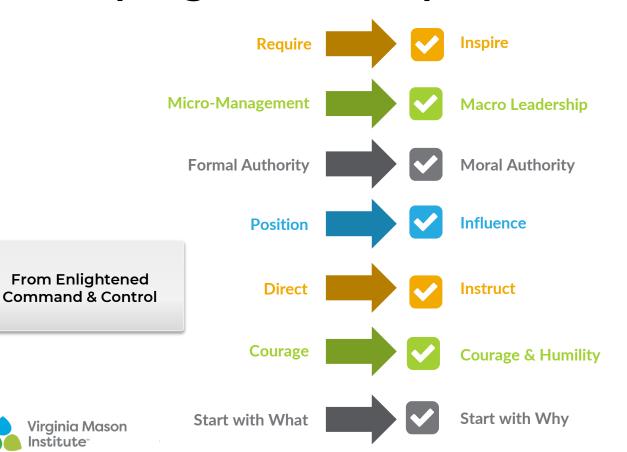




# Developing Leadership Behaviour



## **Developing Leadership Behaviours**



To Trust & Inspire



## **New Leadership Approach**



**System Thinker** 



Coach





"Go and See"





Learner



**Standard Work** 



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# Building Improvement Capability



## Building Improvement Capability &

Capacity





# Embedding a Quality Management System



#### At Its Heart, It's About How We All Work Together

A quality management system unifies the clinical and enabling strategies through:

#### Leadership



- Aligned strategy & goals
- Provides clarity, focus, and direction
- Self-aware & selfmanaged
- Social awareness & relationship management
- Behaviours, routines, & expectations
- Inspires & role-models

## Behaviours & Culture



- Engaged & empowered workforceInclusive & connected
- Psychological safety
- Values innovation & ideas
- Culture of engagement & continuous improvement
- Systems perspective, organizational health

#### Patient-Centered Focus



- Patient voice is prioritised and included
- Co-production with those with lived experience
- Focus on value for patient & community

#### Improvement Methodology



- Unified and scientific
- Simple, easy, & meaningful
- Standardization
- Removes unwarranted and unnecessary variation
- Reduces waste and non-value-added activities

A well-implemented QMS will bring focus and alignment to strategic goals, while building engagement and capability for continuous improvement across the organisation, resulting in measurable and sustainable success.

By approaching these elements concurrently, they wrap around each other creating a strong bond which unites the organizational teams in a single unending pursuit of **There are many variations of passages** of waste, variation, and risk empowering people to act and find joy in their work.











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## Thank you.

