The Productive Ward Program

The Productive Ward focuses on improving ward systems, processes and environments to help clinical staff spend more time on patient care, thereby improving both safety and efficiency.

Recent audited results include:

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<th>Outcome</th>
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<td>Increase in direct time of care</td>
<td>29.6%</td>
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<td>Reduced length of stay</td>
<td>4%</td>
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<td>Reduced medication errors</td>
<td>49% per 1000 bed days</td>
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<td>Reduced incidence of falls in wards</td>
<td>9% per 100 bed days</td>
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<td>Decrease in staff unplanned leave</td>
<td>18.4%</td>
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<td>Financial benefits - for every $1 invested in the program releasing time to care and improving processes</td>
<td>$10.36</td>
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Qualitas is a multi-disciplinary group of experienced healthcare professionals committed to quality, safety and productivity in healthcare.

Using evidence-based programs developed by the NHS Institute for Innovation and Improvement, Qualitas works with your organisation to improve patient safety and reliability of care, improve staff well-being, increase the proportion of time spent on direct patient care and increase patient satisfaction.
Program Licence Fee

There is a Licence Fee which is calculated on the number of beds in your hospital. The licence is for three years, renewable subject to quality audit. The price starts at AUD $50 +GST per bed.

This price is negotiable depending on the number of beds in your hospital. Please contact us to discuss details.

Program Toolbox Kit

With your purchase of the Program Licence, you will receive 1 x Program Toolkit Box containing all of the material needed to implement the modules.

Also included in the Toolkit are Leader Guides to explain how to get your team ready for the Program.

These are written specifically to guide the Ward Leader, Project Leader and Executive Leader.

If required, additional toolkit boxes may be purchased from Qualitas for AUD $500 +GST plus postage.

Implementation Packages

As we are able to tailor our packages to your particular circumstances, it’s best to discuss your needs with us before making a final decision.

As a guide:

BASE PACKAGE (AUD $34,250 +GST)
- One hour Executive Briefing Webcast
- Module Implementation Training (2 days for up to 40 people)
- A complete set of training materials
- One day onsite Workshop to showcase progress (after 6 months)

STANDARD PACKAGE (AUD $44,300 +GST)
- One hour Executive Briefing Webcast
- Module Implementation Training (2 days for up to 40 people)
- A complete set of training materials
- 11 x one hour Monthly Webcast Clinics with a facilitator for problem solving and advice
- Weekly telephone and email advice for first 12 weeks
- One day onsite Workshop to showcase progress (after 6 months)

Further Assistance Packages

Although the Program is designed as a simple step-by-step process, you may benefit from some additional assistance:

PROJECT MANAGEMENT & CHANGE MANAGEMENT TRAINING (AUD $6,000 +GST)
Prepare your team with 2 consecutive days of training before Module Implementation Training. Delivered by one of the experienced Qualitas team.

PROJECT SUPPORT (from AUD $2,500 +GST per day)
You may engage one of our experienced support people to work with you onsite as required.

Please contact us if you have any questions regarding the Program or our training and support programs.

The Productive Ward Program

Developed by the NHS Institute for Innovation and Improvement, the Productive Ward Program is designed for self-directed learning using clear step-by-step instructions across individual modules.

Your team will work through the steps together, guided by milestones checklists.

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