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hospitals and health systems are facing many challenges including shrinking reimbursements and the need to improve patient safety and quality a growing number of healthcare organizations are turning to the lean management system as an alternative to traditional cost cutting and layoffs kaizen which is translated

from japanese as good change

from newborns switched in the nursery to medication mix ups and hospital acquired infections we are all familiar with the horror stories about hospital safety and unfortunately the statistics say we aren t exaggerating the safety issue in u s hospitals has become so profound and embedded that we cannot hope to fix it without a paradigm shift in our approach after defining and demonstrating the true depth of this dangerous concern safer hospital care strategies for continuous innovation elaborates on the steps required to make that paradigm shift a reality a respected and sought out expert on hospital safety author dev raheja draws on his 25 years of experience as a risk management and quality assurance consultant to provide hospital stakeholders with a systematic way to learn the science of safe care supported by case studies as well as input from such paradigm pioneers as johns hopkins and seattle children s he explains how to adapt evidence based safety theories and tools taken from the aerospace nuclear and chemical industries identify the combination of root causes that result in an adverse event apply analytical tools that can effectively measure hospital efficiency establish evidence between lean strategies and patient satisfaction make use of various types of innovation including accidental incremental strategic and radical and establish a culture conducive to innovation this practical guide shows how to find solutions that are simple and comprehensive and can produce a high roi to reform hospitals we must recognize that they are highly dynamic systems that must be fixed systemically instead of thinking in terms of continuous improvement we need to think in terms of continuous innovation safe hospital care is not just about doing things right it is also about breaking old habits finding new tools and doing the right things

healthcare kaizen focuses on the principles and methods of daily continuous improvement or kaizen for healthcare professionals and organizations kaizen is a japanese word that means change for the better as popularized by masaaki imai in his 1986 book kaizen the key to japan s competitive success and through the books of norman bodek both o

part of the lean tools for healthcare series this user friendly book will help to improve your understanding of kaizen it describes exactly what a kaizen event is and details all the phases necessary for implementing continuous improvement practices in your healthcare organization kaizen workshops for lean healthcare walks you through the steps of conducting an effective kaizen workshop one that is well planned well implemented and well monitored the information is presented in an easy to assimilate format numerous illustrations reinforce the text and margin

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this is the authorized arabic language version of the original book titled lean hospitals by mark graban

the definitive fully up to date guide to continuous improvement in the workplace an updated version of a classic book that shares a wealth of new healthcare examples and case studies from around the world the methods in this book will help you improve quality and safety reduce waiting times and improve the long term financial position of your organization highly recommended mark graban author of lean hospitals and coauthor of healthcare kaizen every business faces the iron triangle of quality cost and delivery conventional thinking claims you cannot have all three not only does mr imai turn that thinking on its head but he shows you exactly how to do it matthew e may author of the elegant solution and the laws of subtraction masaaki imai has done it again the second edition of his famous book not only describes all the tools necessary for any type of business to implement a lean strategy but also includes a large number of excellent case studies art byrne author of the lean turnaround written by masaaki imai pioneer of modern business operational excellence and founder of the kaizen institute gemba kaizen second edition is an in depth revision of this renowned bestselling work the book reveals how to implement cost effective incremental improvements in your most critical business processes global case studies from a wide range of industries demonstrate how gemba kaizen has been successfully used to maximize capacity and reduce inventory at unga limited one of kenya s largest flour milling operations change the it culture at achmea a large european insurance firm exceed customer expectations at walt disney world in the united states improve quality at inoue hospital in japan transform retail processes at

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the definitive quide to the knowledge and skills necessary to practice hospital medicine presented in full color and enhanced by more than 700 illustrations this authoritative text provides a background in all the important clinical organizational and administrative areas now required for the practice of hospital medicine the goal of the book is provide trainees junior and senior clinicians and other professionals with a comprehensive resource that they can use to improve care processes and performance in the hospitals that serve their communities each chapter opens with boxed key clinical questions that are addressed in the text and hundreds of tables encapsulate important information case studies demonstrate how to apply the concepts covered in the text directly to the hospitalized patient principles and practice of hospital medicine is divided into six parts systems of care introduces key issues in hospital medicine patient safety quality improvement leadership and practice management professionalism and medical ethics medical legal issues and risk management teaching and development medical consultation and co management reviews core tenets of medical consultation preoperative assessment and management of post operative medical problems clinical problem solving in hospital medicine introduces principles of evidence based medicine quality of evidence interpretation of diagnostic tests systemic reviews and meta analysis and knowledge translations to clinical practice approach to the patient at the bedside details the diagnosis testing and initial management of common complaints that may either precipitate admission or arise during hospitalization hospitalist skills covers the interpretation of common low tech tests that are routinely accessible on admission how to optimize the use of radiology services and the standardization of the execution of procedures routinely performed by some hospitalists clinical conditions reflects the expanding scope of hospital medicine by including sections of emergency medicine critical care geriatrics neurology palliative care pregnancy psychiatry and addiction and wartime medicine

the first of its kind a value stream mapping book written for those in service and office environments who need to streamline operations value stream mapping is a practical how to guide that helps decision makers improve value stream efficiency in virtually any setting including construction energy financial service government healthcare r d retail and technology it gives you the tools to address a wider range of important vsm issues than any other such book including the psychology of change leadership creating teams building consensus and charter development karen martin is principal consultant for karen martin associates llc instructor for the university of california san diego s lean enterprise program and industry advisor to the university of san diego s industrial and systems engineering program mike osterling provides support and leadership to manufacturing and non manufacturing organizations on their lean transformation journey in a continuous improvement leadership role for six years mike played a key role in square d company s lean transformation in the 1990s

proven strategies for revolutionizing healthcare systems if i had to sum up this book in one word the word would be brilliant this is one of the most insightful books on toc not just for healthcare that i have ever read bob sproull author of the ultimate improvement cycle maximizing profits through the integration of lean six sigma and the theory of constraints performance improvement for healthcare leading change with lean six sigma and constraints management lays out an integrated approach for using three industrially based methods to transform hospital operations in terms of patient outcomes and experience financial viability and employee satisfaction this pioneering guide presents a scalable strategy for managing bottlenecks eliminating waste reducing errors and containing costs in healthcare organizations as well as sustaining the gains achieved real world case studies illustrate successful performance improvement implementations that have realized breakthrough operational and financial results coverage includes constraints management applications healthcare the novaces systemcpi an integrated performance improvement deployment approach three part assessment strategic

gap analysis system level value stream analysis and system constraint analysis planning a performance improvement program deployment to ensure timely and consistent execution applying the right tool to the right problem from a system perspective sustaining gains achieved by the performance improvement team defining a path to self sufficiency

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winner of the shingo research and professional publication award everyone knows that in order to reach optimum levels of health you have to exercise and that you have to keep at it day after day after day no big secret here it s the same with process improvement and specifically lean processes everything there is to know about lean has been revealed countless books articles and seminars provide business leaders all the information they need to understand how lean works and how effective it can be when fully implemented again not a secret why then do companies invariably fail in their pursuit of operational excellence the same reason people fail to trim fat through exercise they don t do it they try to squeeze it into their schedule they don t make it part of their schedule and inevitably it becomes less of a priority in the same vein too many business leaders see process improvement as a project something separate from the more pressing goals of profits

and growth that s where they go wrong and that s where building the fit organization comes in in this practical hands on guide markovitz walks you step by step through the process of making lean as intrinsic to your company as the pursuit of profits you will learn how to make an unshakeable commitment to increasing the value provided by doing the right work in the right way with continuous monitoring of processes and structured coaching for everyone you don t need another book about lean what you need to learn is how to make process improvement your company s purpose like a serious athlete you re warmed up you know what lean is and how it can help your organization now it s time to perform building the fit organization is the next step to creating a company that can compete on the toughest of playing fields

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