

OUR PROGRAMS

Program for Educators in Health Professions

Gain the skills and insights required to become a leader in your institution, informed by deep reflection on the central questions and assumptions driving healthcare education today.

A Systems Approach to Assessment in Health Professions Education

Prepare to develop and lead a data-driven assessment strategy that harnesses the right information to power decision-making and improvement of your institutions education program.



Leading Innovations in Health Care & Education

Collaborate with colleagues across disciplines to develop approaches and action plans to help you lead and manage change in your institution.

Health Care Education 2.0 – Transforming Your Teaching for the Digital Age

Expand your use of new technologies to engage your students and create interactive learning environments inside and outside the classroom.

Program for Post-Graduate Trainees: Future Academic Clinician-Educators

Enhance both your teaching and learning skills and your scholarship as a future academic clinician-educator in this 3-day intensive program for post-graduate residents and fellows.

I had an amazing week at the Harvard Macy Systems course!

The diversity of backgrounds and experiences of both the faculty and scholars made for rich discussions about assessment and health professions education in general, and I was both inspired and challenged to refine the assessment system at my home institution. The course was truly transformational in all aspects - for my project, my perspective on assessment and for me as an educator.

Mobola Campbell-Yesufu

Assistant Professor, Northwestern University

The HMI Systems Course had every neuron in my brain firing!!!

Participants learn to examine and consider their work through a synthetic lens that is eye-opening, immediately relevant and of utmost importance. The mentoring received, ideas exchanged with colleagues and impact on my future work makes this course one of the highlights of my professional development! I am extremely grateful to be part of this outstanding community.

Samara Ginzburg, MD

Associate Dean, Zucker School of Medicine at Hofstra/Northwell



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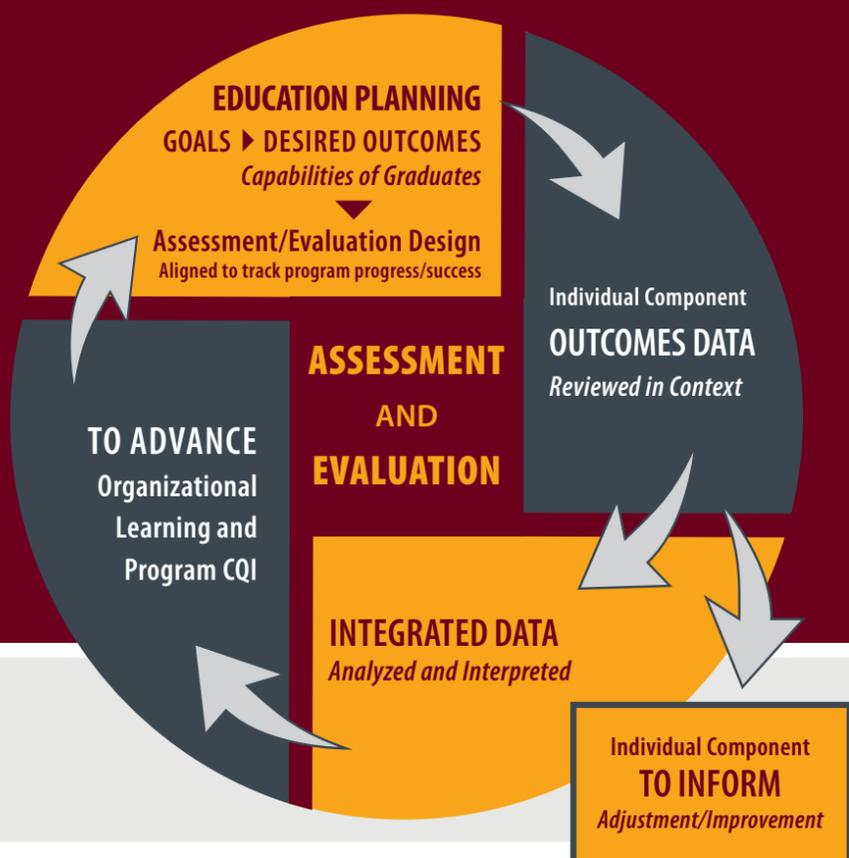
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Harvard Medical School

COURSE DIRECTORS

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OVERVIEW

The Harvard Macy Institute's *A Systems Approach to Assessment in Health Professions Education* is designed to encourage participants to apply systems thinking in designing assessment programs to support the continuous quality improvement of students/trainees, faculty, and curricula at their academic health science institutions. The program incorporates multiple pedagogical methods, including interactive presentations, case discussions, small group journal clubs, institutional planning groups, selectives (focused mini-sessions/workshops on assessment tools and approaches), and consultations with faculty experts. During this intensive 6-day program, educators and administrators from diverse health science disciplines will be introduced to key concepts from system theory, best practices in educational assessment, and mini-workshops focused on specific assessment approaches. Throughout the program, participants will also have an opportunity to apply systems principles in case discussions depicting problematic assessment situations and to plan an assessment/evaluation design to implement at their home institution.



Harvard Macy Assessment is essential for any health professions educator who is responsible for an educational program — large or small. You will emerge from the week with a new perspective on assessment that will fundamentally change you and your program.

Temple A. Ratcliffe

Clerkship Director, Medicine, Hospitalist/Associate Professor
Division of General and Hospital Medicine
Department of Medicine, UT Health San Antonio

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Assess the educational components of participants' home institution from a systems perspective
- Identify the primary functions of individual educational components of their (sub) system
- Identify the essential processes that need to occur at the interfaces between/among components within the educational system to add value to the quality of graduate's performance
- Outline the communication pathways that currently exist within the educational (sub) system
- Examine the quality of participants institution's communication pathways, specifically for 1] the flow of multiple sources of performance data to individuals/groups (hubs) best positioned to interpret assessment information in context and 2] the existence of direct feedback pathways to individuals/groups empowered to make corrections and adjustments
- Design and implement a comprehensive systems-based assessment program to evaluate learner institution's performance in promoting a primary educational goal

TARGET AUDIENCE

The target audience for the 'Systems Approach to Assessment' includes all health care professions faculty and educators, program planners and administrators, and individuals involved in designing curriculum assessment and evaluation to inform continuous quality improvement. All disciplines and professions are welcome.

ACCREDITATION

The Harvard Medical School is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

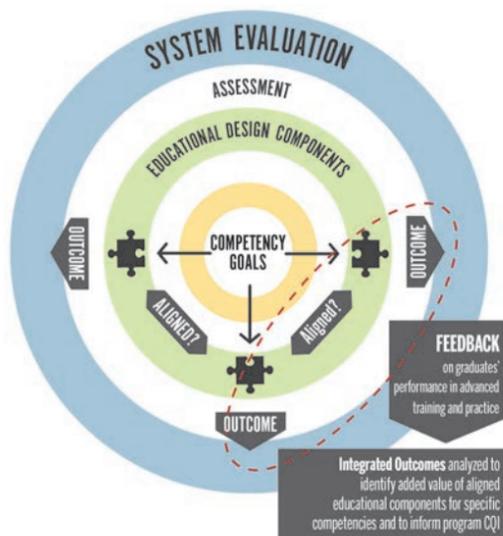
The Harvard Medical School designates this live activity for a maximum of 40.50 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*[™]. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada recognizes conferences and workshops held outside of Canada that are developed by a university, academy, hospital, specialty society or college as accredited group learning activities.

Through an agreement between the American Medical Association and the European Union of Medical Specialists, physicians may convert *AMA PRA Category 1 Credit*[™] to an equivalent number of European CME Credits[®] (ECMECs[®]). Information on the process of converting *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits*[™] to ECMECs[®] can be found at: www.eaccme.eu.

INQUIRIES

By phone (617) 890-6393, Monday to Friday, 9 am to 5 pm (ET) or by email at: harvard_macy@hms.harvard.edu



HMI cultivates a one-of-a-kind community of scholars and practitioners motivated to solve meaningful problems in healthcare professions education.



It's an immersive experience; you are humbled when you arrive, inspired and equipped to manage complex change when you leave, and supported by a network of thoughtful colleagues for the rest of your career.

Mark Grichanik, PhD

Director of Assessment and Evaluation
Rush Medical College

ABMS/ACGME COMPETENCIES

The course is designed to meet the following Accreditation Council of Graduate Medical Educational competencies:

- Systems-based Practice

IOM COMPETENCIES

This course is designed to meet the following Institute of Medicine competencies:

- Work in Interdisciplinary Teams
- Employ Evidence Based Practice

REGISTRATION

Course tuition is \$3,510.00 (\$3,500 course tuition plus a \$10 non-refundable service fee). All fees are shown in USD. Applications for this course are made through our website: <http://www.harvardmacy.org/index.php/hmi-courses/assessment>. You will be notified of your acceptance into the course within two weeks of the Application deadline. Upon acceptance into the course you will receive an email with payment details. Once you make your course payment, an email confirmation from the HMS-GCE office will be sent to you. Be sure to include an email address that you check frequently. Your email address is used for critical information including registration confirmation, evaluation and certificate.

DISCLOSURE POLICY

Harvard Medical School (HMS) adheres to all ACCME Accreditation Criteria and Policies. It is HMS's policy that those who have influenced the content of a CME activity (e.g., planners, faculty, authors, reviewers, and others) disclose all relevant financial relationships with commercial entities so that HMS may identify and resolve any conflicts of interest prior to the activity. These disclosures will be provided in the activity materials along with disclosure of any commercial support received for the activity. Additionally, faculty members have been instructed to disclose any limitations of data and unlabeled or investigational uses of products during their presentations.

REFUND POLICY

Refunds, less an administrative fee of \$85 (\$75 fee plus a \$10 non-refundable service fee), will be issued for all cancellations received two weeks prior to the start of the course. Refund requests must be received by email. No refund will be issued should cancellation occur less than two weeks prior. "No shows" are subject to the full course fee and no refunds will be issued once the conference has started.

COURSE LOCATION

This course is being held virtually.