

# WiCi

wisconsin continuous improvement network

*Welcome!*

## **Agenda:**

- 4:00 Arrival and networking
- 4:20 Welcome and Introduction to WiCi
- 4:30 Ice Breaker and Crowd Source Activity
- 4:50 Table Exercise
- 5:20 Closing and Next Steps

# Charter Members

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# Purpose Statement

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- Learn and share best practices
- Provide network and sounding board
- Share knowledge, problem-solve difficult situations
- Develop stronger skill sets

# Crowd Source Activity

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- Pick up a note card (on your table)
- On the blank side, answer the following in one word:

**“What makes a great  
continuous improvement  
professional?”**

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# Crowd Source Activity

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1. Introduce yourself to someone
2. Trade cards and discuss the answers
3. Divide 7 points between both cards (whole numbers only)
4. Write score in a box
5. Keep the card you've been given

# Crowd Source Activity

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5 3 7 2 6 4 1

*Total = 28*

- Sum up all 7 scores

# Table Exercise Instructions

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- Select a facilitator and note-taker
- Answer 2 Questions
- Take notes on colored sheets
- Leave completed sheets on your tables

# Question 1

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# Question 1 - Attributes

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What can we do as a community of practice to help the people in this room develop or improve upon the attributes identified in the first exercise?

- Openness
- Listening
- Observant
- Creativity
- Innovative
- Teamwork
- Perseverance
- Vision
- Tenacity

## Question 2

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In your work...

- a) What types of issues are you addressing with continuous improvement, and
  - b) What continuous improvement tools or techniques would help you succeed?
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# Closing and Next Steps

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On your way out, use one gold coin to vote for a future WiCi meeting format:

- Keynote speaker
- Case study presentations
- Skill development activities
- Social and networking event