

# Disclosure/Conflicts of Interest

 We do not have any potential conflicts of interest (COIs)

# **Learning Objectives**

By the end of this presentation today, we hope that you can:

- Describe the key characteristics needed to deliver effective and efficient feedback
- Explain the differences between various feedback models
- Discuss effective precepting techniques that optimize the needs of each learner and the preceptor in a layered learning model



## Reflection

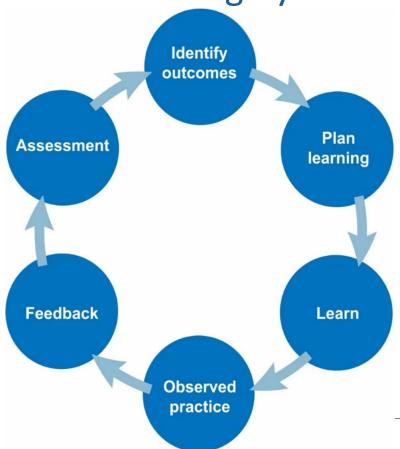


Think about the last time you received feedback, was it effective?

What was the context surrounding it?

What steps were you able to take to implement it, if any?

# The Learning Cycle



Feedback is an essential part of the learning process and it helps to bridge the gap between the learner's actual and desired performance.



## Feedback vs. Evaluation



# **eedback**

- Formative
- Based upon specific observations
- Ongoing, frequent
- Informal



# Evaluation

- Summative
- Reflects on the development of a skill compared to the standard
- Offers benchmark assessment
- Infrequent
- Formal



## Benefits of Effective Feedback

Provides learner information on the quality of their performance

Gives learner the opportunity to adapt their learning strategies

Encourages learner to improve decision making skills

Improves learning outcomes



## **Breakout Room Session 1**

- 1. Introduce yourself, share a little bit about your practice setting
- 2. What challenges do you face in delivering feedback?

## Barriers to Effective Feedback



- Time limitations or few opportunities for "in-the-moment" feedback
- Lack of direct observation of tasks
- Desire to avoid upsetting learners when providing negative feedback
- Learner not receptive to feedback



# Learners' Perception of Feedback

American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education 2012; 76 (1) Article 5.

#### RESEARCH

#### Pharmacy Students' Views of Faculty Feedback on Academic Performance

Maurice Hall, PhD, Lezley-Anne Hanna, PhD, and Siobhan Quinn, MPharm School of Pharmacy, Queen's University Belfast, Antrim, United Kingdom Submitted August 10, 2011; accepted September 17, 2011; published February 10, 2012.

Questionnaire sent to 343 first through 4th year pharmacy school students to evaluate the following areas of feedback: <a href="mailto:perception@needback">perception@needback</a>; <a hr

#### Results

- 32.3% strongly agreed or agreed that they were satisfied with the feedback they received
- 31.1% strongly agreed or agreed that they had been made aware of what to expect regarding feedback
- Open response comments centered on inconsistencies in provision of feedback & other remarks related to the quantity, quality, & timing of feedback



## Characteristics of Effective Feedback

#### **Environmental**

- Choose a neutral,
   private setting where +
   it can be delivered
   one-on-one
- Give it frequently & soon after the observed behavior

### **Interpersonal**

- Adapt feedback to suit personality type or individual traits (confident/insecure, extroverted/shy)
- Consider
   CliftonStrengths®
   Assessment

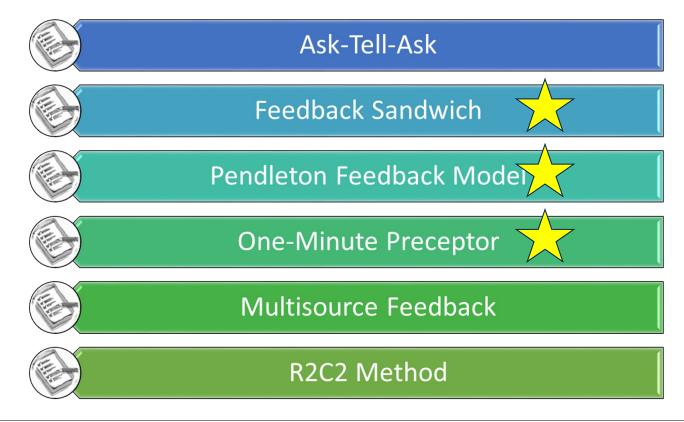
#### **Situational**

- Specific, based on direct observation
- For constructive criticism, share how to handle the situation next time

**Effective Feedback** 

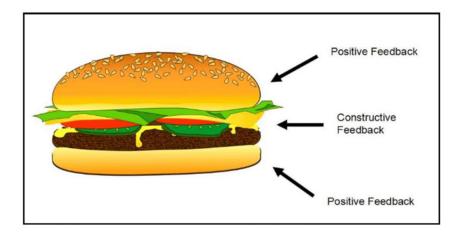


# Feedback Techniques





## Sandwich Method



#### Pros

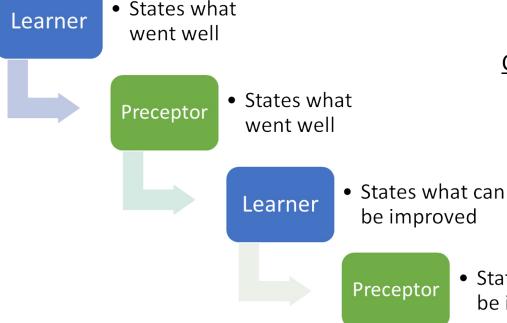
- Easier/faster to deliver
- Softens the impact of criticism
- Listener is more receptive to feedback
- Discussion maintains a positive tone

#### Cons

- Positive comments may obscure the constructive ones making it harder to set actionable goals
- Listener may lose trust in future positive feedback



## **Pendleton Method**



#### Pros

- Learner is less likely to get defensive when they receive constructive criticism
- Encourages self-reflection
- Dialogue between both the learner and preceptor

#### Cons

- May not result in actionable feedback if learner lacks insight or does not participate
- Rigid structure of conversation that may result in lost opportunities to discuss other topics
- States what can be improved



1. Get a commitment

2. Probe for supporting evidence

3. Teach general rules

4. Reinforce what was done right

5. Correct mistakes

#### **Pros**

- Proven to improve key teaching behaviors
- Allows learner to take ownership of learning
- Identifies gaps in learner's knowledge base to focus teaching

#### Cons

- Relies on learner to be able to gather and present information
- General rule is limited & succinct so other key teaching points need to be omitted
- Requires practice from preceptors & faculty development



## One-Minute Preceptor Live in Action



Follow along and identify each of the microskills

Microskill	Examples of Dialogue	Preceptor Objectives
1. Get a commitment	What do you think is going on? Why do you think he has been nonadherent?	<ul> <li>Help learner process the information they collected</li> <li>Learners response will help you assess their knowledge and focus on learning needs</li> </ul>
2. Probe for supporting evidence	Were there any other options you considered? How did you come to that conclusion? If this patient was pregnant, would it change your management?	<ul> <li>Understand learner's clinical reasoning and deficits in knowledge base</li> <li>For reluctant learners, further elaborations might be helpful to draw out their thinking</li> </ul>



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3. Teach general rules	Whenever you suspect a urinary tract infection and urine culture is collected, it is important to also assess the patient's symptoms and obtain an urinalysis	<ul> <li>Teach a FEW targeted, generalizable pearls</li> <li>Prioritize concepts based on learner's knowledge deficits</li> </ul>
4. Reinforce what was done right	You considered the patient's financial situation before making a recommendation for rivaroxaban, which will hopefully help improve the patient's adherence to his anticoagulant	<ul> <li>Comment on the specific positive aspects of the interaction AND the effect it had</li> </ul>



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5. Correct mistakes	You may be right that this patient's symptoms are probably due to a viral upper respiratory infection, but you can't be sure it isn't otitis media unless you've examined the ears.	<ul> <li>Consider letting learner comment on mistakes</li> <li>Discuss what was wrong, how to correct the error, &amp; how to prevent it in the future</li> </ul>

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## **Breakout Room Session 2**

Use the case to role-play the One-Minute Preceptor Model

Select a role - Preceptor, Learner, Observer(s)

- Learner present the case
- Preceptor model the 5 microskills
- Observer take notes on the following:
  - Did preceptor display each of the 5 microskills?
  - What did the preceptor do well?
  - How can the preceptor improve the way they deliver feedback?



## **Breakout Room Session 2**

**Learner:** *Present this case* → "Mrs. G is a 88 year old woman who presents to the ED with a 3-day history of shortness of breath and cough. Her cough is productive of green-colored sputum and her chest feels heavy. She has a fever to 101°F, BP 102/65 mmHg, pulse 114 bpm. Her head and neck exam are normal. The chest exam shows bronchial breath sounds on the left with crackles, right side is clear. Cardiovascular and abdominal exam are normal. I think she likely has pneumonia given her lung findings. I think we should get a chest x-ray and start some antibiotics."

**Preceptor:** Using one-minute preceptor model (Get a commitment, Probe for supporting evidence, Teach general rules, Reinforce what was done right, Correct mistakes), how would you teach the student about this case?



# Actionable Tips for Effective & Efficient Feedback

- Establish a respectful learning environment
- Communicate goals and objectives for feedback at the start of the learning experience
- Encourage learner to complete self-assessment at the start & periodically throughout the learning experience
- Deliver feedback frequently & soon after observed behavior
- Ensure feedback is specific, based on direct observations
- Use neutral, non-judgemental language
- Conclude feedback session with action plan



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# **Layered Learning Practice Model (LLPM)**

"Medicine is learned by the bedside and not in the classroom. Let not your conceptions of disease come from words heard in the lecture room or read from the book. See, and then reason and compare and control. But see first." — William Osler

## Reflection

Think back to your rotation experience as a pharmacy student, resident, or preceptor. What opportunities did you find most meaningful or rewarding? What experiences did you like the least?



## Overview of LLPM

- Applied to pharmacy practice based on model currently used in medical education
  - Necessary to meet expanding number of pharmacy students and residents
- Key components for successful utilization of LLPM:





## General Structure of LLPM

#### **Primary Preceptor**

- Orientation of all learners
- •Determine expectations for each learner type
- •Evaluate resident + assist with providing student feedback
- Oversee all patient care activities

#### **Resident Preceptor**

- Assist with development of student activities
- Orient student to rotation
- •Incorporate + supervise student with patient care activities
- •Evaluate student performance + provide feedback

#### Student Learner

- •Report directly to the resident preceptor
- •Actively participate in patient care and rotation activities
- •Provide feedback on the LLPM and resident performance



# Study of LLPM in Practice

- •304 pharmacy preceptors responded
- Variety of practice settings
- Most completed postgraduate training
- Range of precepting experience (0-10+ yrs)

- •Online survey sent to experiential directors at several universities
- Evaluated preceptors perceived benefits and barriers to LLPM
  - •Ranked how much they agree or disagree with proposed benefit/barrier



## Benefits of LLPM

#### Learner

- Increased number of precepting opportunities
- Improved number of experiential training experiences
- Increased opportunities for students to problem solve collaboratively
- Improved clinical knowledge gained
- Improved student comfort/confidence in practice setting
- Increased learner engagement onsite

### **Preceptor**

#### **Practice Site:**

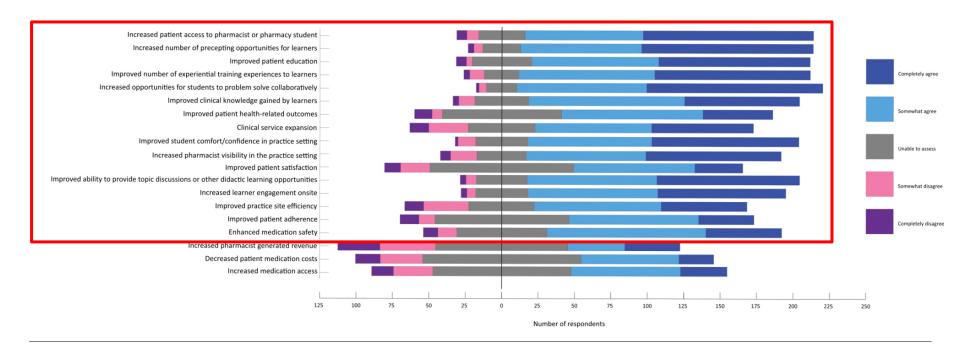
- Clinical service expansion
- Increased pharmacist visibility in the practice setting
- Improved practice site efficiency

#### Patient:

- Increased patient access to pharmacy services
- Improved patient education
- Improved patient health-related outcomes
- Improved patient adherence

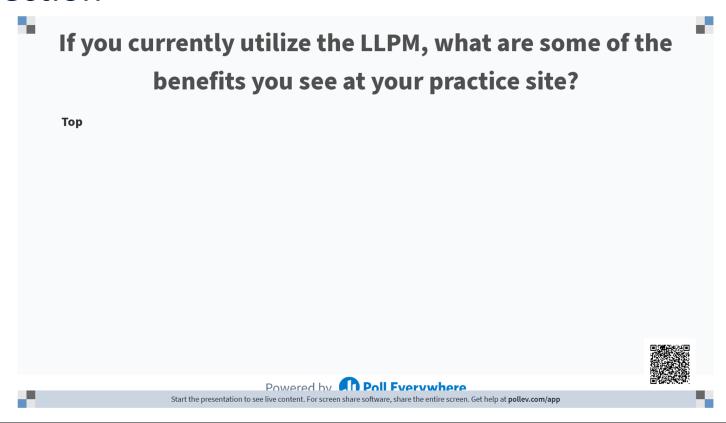


# Survey Results: Benefits to LLPM





## Reflection





# Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) of LLPM

### Admission Medication Reconciliation

 Proportion of patients who received documented admission medication reconciliation (and had resolution of identified discrepancies) performed by a pharmacist

#### Pharmaceutical Care Plan

 Proportion of patients for whom a pharmacist developed and initiated a pharmaceutical care plan

## Drug Therapy Problems (DTPs)

Number of DTPs resolved by a pharmacist during an admission

## Interprofessional Patient Care Rounds

 Proportion of patients for whom a pharmacist engaged in interprofessional patient care rounds to enhance medication management



## Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) of LLPM

## Patient Education During Hospital Stay

 Proportion of patients for whom a pharmacist provided education about their disease(s) and medication(s) during their admission

### Patient Education at Discharge

 Proportion of patients for whom a pharmacist provided medication education at discharge

## Discharge Medication Reconciliation

 Proportion of patients who received documented discharge medication reconciliation (and had resolution of identified discrepancies) performed by a pharmacist



### Literature: Documentation of KPIs from LLPM

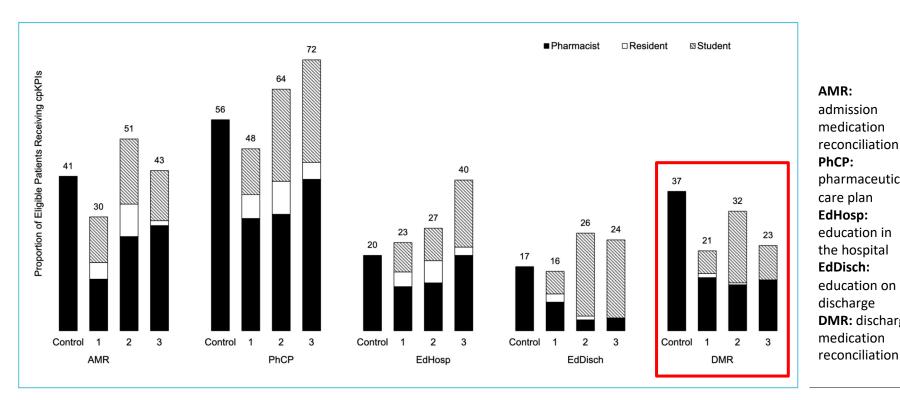
- Retrospective quality assurance study
- Assessed over 6 months across three 8-week rotation blocks
- LLPM included pharmacist, resident, and multiple students

- 1-hr training on KPI documentation
- Preceptor: Oversight of learners + patients
- Resident: 3-6 patients + student teaching
- Student: 2-5 patients + discharge activities

KPIs as defined by CSHP consensus guidelines



#### Literature Results: Documentation of KPIs from LLPM



AMR: admission medication reconciliation PhCP: pharmaceutical care plan EdHosp: education in the hospital **EdDisch:** education on discharge **DMR:** discharge medication



#### **Barriers of LLPM**

#### Learner

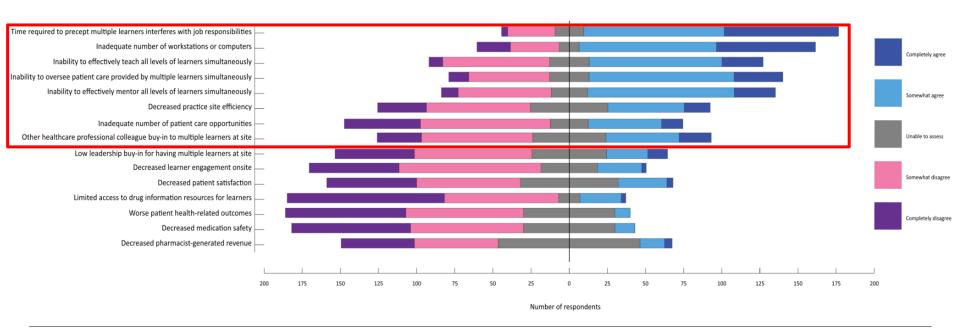
- Inadequate resources (workstations, computers, drug info)
- Inconsistent preceptor implementation
- Varying degrees of resident precepting capabilities and interests
- Resident time management to balance precepting and patient care
- Divided attention of primary preceptor

#### **Preceptor**

- Time required to precept multiple learners interferes with job responsibilities
- Inability to effectively teach all levels of learners
- Inability to oversee patient care provided by multiple learners
- Inability to effectively mentor all levels of learners
- Decreased practice site efficiency
- Inadequate number of patient care opportunities
- Other healthcare profession colleague buy-in for having multiple learners at site

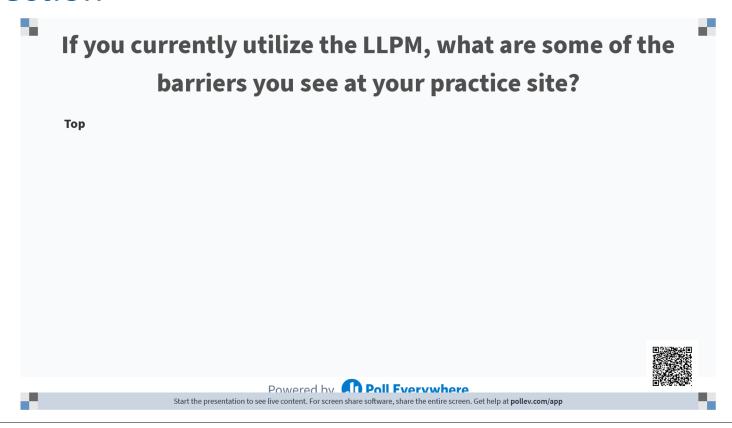


## Survey Results: Barriers to LLPM





## Reflection





# Overcoming Barriers in Practice: University of Pacific

- COVID-19 Pandemic has caused everyone to answer:
  - How can pharmacy clinical education be provided effectively in a remote setting?
  - What tools and resources can be leveraged to provide remote education?

- Curriculum changes implemented:
  - Created a variety of resources for preceptors including COVID-19 APPE guidance document and virtual APPE playbooks
  - Leveraged clinical faculty to off-set changes in preceptor availability
  - Incorporated residents to facilitate remote case discussions, record

learning modules, and create assessment teaching materials



# What are some of your challenges with the LLPM?



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## Knowledge Check

Who benefits from the layered-learning practice model? Select all that apply.

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- II. Pharmacy Residents
- **III. Pharmacy Students**
- **IV.**Patients
- V. Practice Sites

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## **Knowledge Check**

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# Questions



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