

INNOVATIONS IN HEALTHCARE DELIVERY PEER REVIEW RUBRIC

Relevance/Importance Is this topic clearly stated, important and relevant to the practice of GIM? Does it fill an unmet need and would implementation lead to an improvement in clinical practice?

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Barely relevant/important to GIM Practice		Somewhat relevant/important to GIM		Relevant/important to GIM Practice		Critically relevant/ important to GIM Practice

Creativity/Originality How novel is either the problem being addressed or the mechanism of intervention?

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Duplicates other efforts/studies		Some aspects of approach are original, others duplicate other efforts/studies		Overall original concept or approach, innovative or fills unmet need		Strikingly novel approach or innovation, may fill gaps that may yet be unrealized in medical practice

Methods Is the study design, including objectives, target audience, and intervention, clearly described? Are the quantitative or qualitative assessments used appropriate for this innovation?

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Unable to adequately determine methods		Methods are discernible		Methods are clear, appropriate for goals, adequate to attain evaluation		Methods use a gold standard or create one that can be replicated

Findings/Measures of Success Are measures of success clear? Are the findings to date clearly presented?

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Choice of measurement unclear and/or not appropriate; findings unclear		Choice of measurement suboptimal; findings less clearly stated		Choice of measurement appropriate, findings generally clear		Optimal choice of measurement; findings very clear and easily understood

Feasibility/Generalizability Are the organizational context, complexity, cost, and resource utilization appropriately described? Are the results generalizable, i.e. could this innovation be implemented at other institutions?

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Unlikely to be useful/applicable beyond studied institution		Possibly of use to others, implementation might be feasible at other sites		Easily implementable and feasible to translate to other sites		Easy to adapt to other sites; high positive impact for invested resources