

Methods of Engagement

- Posters
- Bulletin Boards
- Large Meetings
- Departmental Meetings
- Emails
- Hospital Newsletters
- One-on-One Conversations

Surgical Team Engagement

- Everyone who will be touched by the project should be engaged with at least 1 one-on-one conversation as we move beyond small-scale testing.
- This includes: anesthesiologists, CRNAs, nurses, surgeons, techs, perfusionists, anybody else that works in the OR.

Nothing Replaces this Conversation

- Staff meetings *don't count.*
- Emails *don't count.*
- Posters *don't count.*
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Rules to Guide Us

- Teach them
- Show them
- Have them do it

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**What does this
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with a surgeon?**

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What You Might Hear From a Physician . . .

**“I am already safe, I don't
need this”**

“It takes too long”

“We Already Do This”

**“My Team knows what I
want without me asking.”**