

Team Development

Learn Now Guide



Learn on your own

- **Develop a high performing team** by learning the stages of team formation from this article on *Forming, Storming, Norming, and Performing*. Use the tips in the article to identify where your team may be currently and how to get them to the next stage.
- Enhance your management of multi-generational teams by viewing this 2 ½ minute Lynda.com video on *Team Building (Managing Multiple Generations)*.
- **Recharge your team** with the ideas in this 4 ½ minute Lynda.com video on *Recharging with Team Building*.



Learn from others

- Increase your team management skills by asking your team take this <u>assessment</u>. The best practice is to ask them to be submitted to you anonymously. Then regularly ask for feedback on how you can improve to develop the team.
- **Strengthen relationships within the team** by engaging in regular informal gatherings (e.g., lunch, happy hour, coffee break, etc.)
- Reinforce the team's strengths and improve areas of opportunity by taking the time to meet with individual team members, customers (internal and external), patients, and/or clients.



Learn by doing

- **Close the gap** in areas where your team may be struggling. Watch the 5-minute video, *Team Building Without Time Wasting* with your team. Ask the team to answer questions, and then apply the concepts to close the current gaps.
- **Get your team's buy-in**¹ for projects by practicing Appreciative Inquiry (AI)². Ask powerful questions to increase openness and transparency. "See" the positive, future of where your team might go using the concepts of AI.

² Please see the <u>Learn Now Guide</u> on Appreciative Inquiry.



¹ Buy-in – agreement, acceptance of an idea as worthwhile