

# VITAL FEW™ – LIVE CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT EXERCISE IN 1 DAY

Create Organizational Focus on the Work that will deliver impact

Brought to you by Western Technical College, Wisconsin Center for Performance Excellence, and MIPRO

June 13 | 8:00a.m. | Hosted by Western Technical College  
Lunda Center, 319 7th Street North, La Crosse

Experience Continuous Improvement with your team. Define the gaps in your problem solving plans.  
Align your people around the right things to do. Learn the power of not jumping to solutions.  
Leadership raves over how the Vital Few has changed their approach to problem solving.

## THE 8 COMPONENTS OF THE VITAL FEW™

### INITIATIVE PRIORITIZATION

Identify the right projects with the Vital Few™ and prioritize your project portfolio

**Meaningful Impact**  
Deliver measurable results that increase customer value.

**Continuous Improvement Deployment**  
Deploy a systematic approach to executing on critical projects.

**Strategic Need**  
Start with defining the strategic need for your organization.

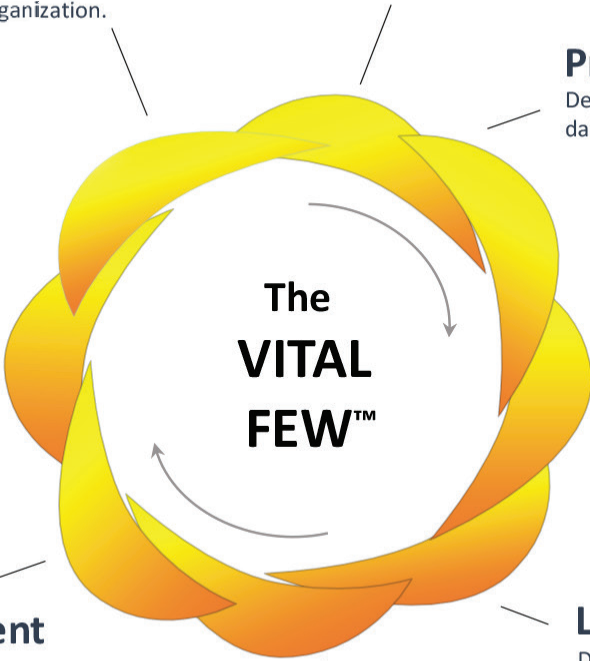
**Lagging Indicators**  
Leverage data to help define historical trends and future goals.

**Problem Statement**  
Define the problem using empirical data to focus on the root cause.

**Value Stream**  
Map the process to illustrate work flow and uncover potential issues.

**Leading Indicators**  
Discover the in-process metrics that are driving current-state performance.

**The Vital Few Initiatives**  
Focuses work on the key areas that will drive the most improvement.



# WORKSHOP

## APPLY THE VITAL FEW COMPONENTS TO YOUR PROBLEM

Work with your team to identify gaps in your problem solving plans and identify how you plan to address them. Leave the workshop with an actionable plan.

The Vital Few has been used in healthcare, education, private industry, non-profits and government. It has helped organizations improve business processes, customer experience, plant operations, and employee engagement. Every person will leave the workshop with a different perspective on how to approach problem solving.

## MEET THE FACILITATORS

MIPRO: Meaningful Impact Professionals

We are a management consulting and training organization, based in Minneapolis, Minn., with team members located throughout the U.S. Our service areas are focused in business strategy, LEAN transformation, performance improvement and training. Each MIPRO services team member has held leadership positions within large organizations and has real-world experience in delivering customer value through improvement initiatives. Our team has worked across industries and each member brings 15+ years of continuous improvement expertise to help our clients drive customer value.

Cost of event (includes lunch): \$350/person, register 3 or more to receive a discount. Registration includes materials, lunch, and certification.  
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### PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

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