

# PDSA Worksheet for Testing Change

Achieving your goal will require multiple small tests of change to reach an efficient process and desired results.

## 3 Fundamental Questions for Improvement

What are we trying to accomplish (AIM)?

How will we know that a change is an improvement (MEASURE)?

What changes can we make that will lead to improvement (CHANGE)?



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## Plan

What is your first (or next) test of change?

Test population?

Due Date:

List the tasks needed to set up this test of change:

Who is responsible?

Due Date:

Predict what will happen when test is carried out:

Measures to determine whether prediction succeeds:

## Do

Describe what happened when you conducted the test (e.g., what was done, what were the measured results, what were the observations).

## Study

Describe how the measured results and observations compared with predictions.

## Act

Determine the steps (e.g., modify the idea and retest {Adapt}, spread the idea {Adopt}, test a new idea {Abandon this idea}).

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