



Lean Practitioner Certification

Workshop Requirements

Complete the four required workshops and two elective workshops. All workshops are a full-day. Participants must notify us two business days in advance if they are not able to attend a workshop or they will be invoiced the workshop fee.

Exams

After each required workshop, take a short online exam to demonstrate comprehension of material.

Projects

Submit two Lean projects for review. These projects will show measurable benefit to a company by applying knowledge and techniques gained through coursework. A manager and peer from the company must sign them off.

Tools & Templates

Templates are available online to help you apply the techniques learned.

Coaching

Phone coaching is available to help you apply what you have learned. We also offer a coaching session quarterly in our Training Center.

Program Fees

The program fee includes required workshops, exams, coaching, and two project evaluations.

Member companies: \$2,100
Non-member companies: \$2,500

To compete in today's environment, manufacturing companies need to actively support continuous improvement by focusing on Lean principles. How can you learn the skills and techniques necessary to implement Lean in your organization?

Start by becoming . . .

Lean Practitioner Certified

Certification may be awarded in as little as six month

Course Objectives: These full-day workshops are led by experienced practitioners who lead attendees in interactive, hands-on exercises that demonstrate the practical application of Lean principles and problem-solving techniques.

Required Workshops *(in recommended, but not required, sequence):*

Lean Manufacturing – A hands-on simulation

Visual Management & 5S

Value Stream Mapping *Participants may attend the Mapping for Business Process workshop in place of Value Stream Mapping. Contact us for approval.

Kaizen Rapid Improvement

Electives *(select two from the following workshops):*

Intro to 6 Sigma

Building Your Maintenance System & Culture

Measuring the Right Things

Mistake Proofing

Standard Work

Setup Reduction

Introduction to A3 Problem Solving

Root Cause Analysis

"The Lean Practitioner Certification program was a great experience for me. It gave me the opportunity to interact with people with various expertise while putting to use the many Lean tools. It has taught me to think outside of the box and focus on continuous improvement on a daily basis."

Paula Germscheid
Starkey Hearing Technologies