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Vizient Clinical Supply Integration Course - Strategic Communication and Knowledge: The second domain

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**Learning objectives**

1. Describe the challenges and benefits of strategic communication
2. List methods of supporting and enhancing provider communications.
3. Explain how strategic communication can be utilized for the integration of providers into the clinical-supply integration (CSI) process
4. Demonstrate how to escalate communications and provide for leadership feedback
5. Identify different forms of communication that will be effective within your organization.
6. List three sources of clinical evidence–Identify the lowest-ranked clinical evidence type–
7. List three essential questions a literature search summary should answer
8. Identify the types of technology that require a full evidence-based assessment
9. List the steps for New Technology Assessment
10. Define clinical guidelines–Identify two sources for practice research
11. Define the Knowledge components needed to assess any new requested product.
12. Describe an in-house evaluation process.
13. Define clinical trial–Identify three best practices for an in-house product evaluation



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