

# EPIQ GRAND ROUNDS

## Session 28

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2026

### QI & NEC

#### Objectives:

- Improve understanding of QI initiatives in relation to NEC
- Improve understanding of QI methodology like Driver Diagram to plan and monitor changes/improvements in relation to NEC
- Explore and share various change ideas teams have instituted to improve prevention and management of NEC

*Presented by:*

### **Dr. Minesh Khashu**



**Dr. Minesh Khashu** is a Consultant Neonatologist and Professor of Perinatal Health based in Dorset, UK, widely recognized as a clinical leader dedicated to system-wide healthcare transformation, continuous quality improvement, and family-centred care. He serves on the Southwest Clinical Senate and previously contributed six years to the national Neonatal CRG. He chairs two international collaborations: the Special Interest Group for NEC and the FINESSE Research Group, which focuses on fathers' experiences in maternity and neonatal care. Dr. Khashu has advanced training in quality improvement and healthcare leadership from Harvard and IHI Boston, and is the founding chair of the ESPR's Special Interest Group on Quality Improvement & Innovation. He has led regional NHS Maternity and Neonatal teams as Clinical Director and served as a Non-Executive Director on NHS boards, advancing clinical governance and patient safety. A champion of both traditional and thought diversity, he is deeply committed to inspiring individuals and teams through his values-driven leadership, firmly believing that "collaboration is the most critical innovation for healthcare today."

**Length: 1 hour**

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