



MCG MEDICAL EDUCATOR MINUTE

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Prompting Reflection with Two Questions at the End of a Session



BACKGROUND

Posing two questions at the end of a clinic, procedure, or class is a great way to promote learning. In 5 minutes or less, learners can write down their responses or answer orally. These question are:

- *What was the most important thing you learned today?*
- *What question still remains in your mind?*

The first question prompts learners to recall and reflect. Both of which strengthen learning and understanding.

The second question prompts us to identify our knowledge or skill gaps which is an important life-long learning skill. It also provides instructors with a quick assessment of what learners at various levels are (or are not) understanding.

WANT MORE?

<https://chroniclevitae.com/news/1331-small-changes-in-teaching-the-last-5-minutes-of-class?cid=VTEVPMSED1#sthash.fkH8n3na.dpuf>

RESOURCES

Classroom Assessment Techniques: A Handbook for College Teachers (Angelo, Cross)