



## VALDOSTA GEORGIA HILTON GARDEN INN

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MONDAY through FRIDAY  
8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Hosted by **NOVACES Healthcare**



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**REGISTER NOW:** Limited to the first 20 participants.  
\$2,500 per person (does not include travel and lodging).

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## LEAN GREEN BELT CERTIFICATION FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

Isn't it time to take action? Become a Lean Green Belt to make a difference.

*"I wanted to be more effective at improving patient care at my hospital. Now that I'm a Lean Green Belt I have been able to implement major improvements from a perspective I didn't have before."*

**Michael Connelly**

Administrative Director of Radiology  
Newark Beth Israel Medical Center

### ABOUT THE TRAINING

Experience a training that is full of hands-on exercises and simulations to learn Lean concepts and tools. Become capable of applying healthcare's most effective change management methods to solve the challenges that you and your co-workers currently face. The instructor will help you select an improvement project before you arrive at the training so you can get real results right away!

This course is NOT for industrial professionals – it is designed to help the healthcare professional apply Lean in a healthcare setting. If you are a part of a physician practice, outpatient clinic, or hospital, you will see examples of how Lean has been applied in organizations just like yours. Lean Green Belt certification training has made a major impact on thousands of healthcare professionals' careers.

### YOUR TRAINING EXPERIENCE

- Understand how to use Lean in a clinical setting to improve quality of care, safety, satisfaction, patient flow and more.
- Receive coaching before the training to select an improvement project to bring with you
- Use MediSim™, a medical process simulation, to gain hands-on experience during the training to apply Lean healthcare
- Earn a Lean Green Belt certification!

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Healthcare Professionals
- Physicians
- Nurses
- Support Services
- Billing Office

### MEET YOUR TRAINER

**Deborah Smith, Ph.D.** is the Senior Vice President for Healthcare for NOVACES. She has extensive experience in healthcare. Prior to joining NOVACES Deborah was CEO of Physician Enterprise, Chief Strategic Planning and Quality Officer for Alaska Native Health Care Consortium and former WV President of Professional Licensure Boards.

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*"At St. Alexius Medical Center we believe our employees hold the key to the future of our organization. We have enlisted the Lean and Six Sigma experts at NOVACES to teach a select number of our talented staff to be Green Belts. After completion of the intense week long class provided on site by NOVACES, we have our own staff energized and empowered to use the process improvement Lean and Six Sigma tools and strategies they need to eliminate inefficiencies and waste in our processes and systems."*

**Rosanne Schmidt**

VP/CNO, St. Alexius Medical Center