



**INTERNATIONAL  
GUIDELINE  
TRAINING &  
CERTIFICATION  
PROGRAM**

# INGUIDE Program Brief



## Program Overview

Health guidelines are a key global tool that support individual and population health decisions. INGUIDE is the world's first comprehensive, structured training and certification program for guideline development and implementation. The program was established in 2020 as a joint venture between the [Guidelines International Network \(GIN\)](#) and [McMaster University's Department of Health Research Methods, Evidence, and Impact](#).



Over the years, INGUIDE has bolstered its leading role and garnered notable achievements, earning recognition for its commitment to excellence in advancing healthcare guideline quality for learners worldwide.

## Program Offering

Offering evidence-based guideline development training and certification, INGUIDE holds ISO:9001 certification, symbolizing its commitment to maintaining high standards. Notably, the program has actively engaged with prominent institutions globally, contributing to the standardization of practices in healthcare guidelines.

### COURSES:

- CERTIFIED GUIDELINE PANEL MEMBER**
- CERTIFIED GUIDELINE METHODOLOGIST**
- CERTIFIED LEAD GUIDELINE DEVELOPER & CHAIR**
- CERTIFIED INGUIDE TRAINING INSTRUCTOR**
- QUALITY ASSURANCE ADOLOPMENT** | Add on Modules  
More under development

## Learners and Reach

As of February 2024, INGUIDE has achieved a significant impact, with a total of 1,900 learners enrolled, out of which 1,165 have achieved certification. This is primarily achieved through its core curriculum training guideline panel members, methodologists, panel chairs, and INGUIDE instructors. To ensure the delivery of contextualized learning experiences, the program is currently undergoing translations of its foundational course "Certified Guideline Panel Member" into more than 10 languages. Additionally, new courses and add-on modules are in the design phase, tailored to meet the evolving needs of the market.



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**1,165**

Learners certified

## Why INGUIDE Matters?

Currently, healthcare guidelines are developed with variable quality and without a widely accepted certification standard. The INGUIDE program works on elevating the global standard of health guideline development through structured, evidence-based education and certification. The program aim to empower individuals with the necessary skills to create systematic, effective, and high-quality guidelines, ensuring that healthcare practices worldwide are informed by the best available evidence and international quality standards.

## Moving Forward

INGUIDE's ongoing commitment to innovation positions it as a leading force in shaping the future of global guideline development and recommendation practices. Its adaptability, expansive reach, and focus on continuous improvement underscore its dedication to staying at the forefront of healthcare standards. This drives our scaling efforts and course contextualization. Our aim is to contribute to a healthcare landscape where everyone benefits from evidence-based recommendations, regardless of location or background.

