

Project Leading Indicators: Project Health

- Proprietary measures
- Situation-specific indicators
- Need to be measured over time against other projects within the organization
 - Throughout the project
 - Interim reads about the state, process, progress and general health of the project
 - Instant summary of the current situation
 - Indications of weakness
 - Identification of best practices
 - Benchmarking
 - Post project
 - Beyond the validated deliverables and the project's results
 - Measure performance levels
 - Team, processes and the project as a whole
 - Even when the project delivers its results and accepted by the customer, there may be performance issues
 - Part of lessons learned
- A variety of measures can help identify project trends and measure project's health. They are categorized under project quality and although traditionally under the responsibility of the PM, it is the BA who has the access to information, context and ability to measure, report and interpret these items