



The case for Spin for SIM

A one-page business case for clinical & service leads
Low-fidelity, high-frequency, in-situ multidisciplinary simulation

Healthcare teams must manage rare, high-stakes emergencies flawlessly — yet rarely get to rehearse them together. Spin for SIM embeds short, frequent, whole-team rehearsal into the working day, without faculty, protected time or a kit budget.



The problem

- High-acuity, low-occurrence emergencies need a coordinated MDT — but joint rehearsal is the first thing a busy week loses.
- Traditional simulation is infrequent, resource-heavy and booked away from the floor; it can feel like a test, which excludes people.

What it delivers

- Measurable rise in confidence managing emergencies, captured before vs after each scenario.
- Safer communication, escalation and teamworking across the whole MDT.
- A stronger speak-up culture through built-in psychological safety.

What it costs you

- No dedicated faculty and no protected time — sessions run in-situ, in about 10 minutes.
- No high-tech manikins or simulation suite; a low-cost, low-fidelity kit.
- Free platform, training, scenarios and printable resources.

How it works

- A wheel randomly picks an emergency scenario — no one prepares, which flattens hierarchy.
- The team runs it for ~10 minutes, then debriefs: Spin, Scenario, Team, Debrief, Learn, Repeat.
- Run opportunistically off the board round, day or night.

What we ask of you

- Name a trust lead and back the rollout visibly.
- Encourage a small pool of facilitators (any profession).
- Attend the first session — senior presence drives engagement.

How success is measured

- Sessions per week and breadth of scenarios completed.
- % MDT participation and professions represented.
- Confidence before vs after, and a growing facilitator pool.

Bring Spin for SIM to your department

Start the conversation, request the full implementation toolkit, or nominate a trust lead — we'll help you launch.

WHAT YOU CAN TELL YOUR BOARD

~10 min

a single session, run in-situ on the floor

No new budget

no faculty, protected time or sim suite

Before → after

confidence captured every scenario



Spin the wheel. Train for real.

A teddy, a wheel, and ten minutes.

