**Services for Valor NPI**

**Your Path to Valor Productivity and Proficiency**

If you’ve adopted Valor NPI, then you understand the value of shifting manufacturing knowledge earlier into product design cycle. In the process, you may be working to address one or more of several crucial objectives — executing adoption or migration effectively, meeting compliance requirements, establishing and maintaining an optimal solution, aligning processes with new tools, eliminating disruptions and down-time, among others.

Mentor Consulting Services provides the fastest way to meeting these goals, and gaining a smoother path to productivity and proficiency.

Our offerings, delivered by experts in streamlining the design-to-manufacturing process, include:

**Valor NPI Consulting Service** - provides you the information and analysis needed for your team to optimize your NPI environment. This includes personalized instruction, on-the-job coaching, and bug fixes and improvements to your existing design environment.

**Valor NPI Methodology Service** - offers the elements of the Consulting service as well as Mentor team collaboration with your team to best prepare you for production use of Valor software. This would include, typically, revision and refinement of your current methodology, database migrations, and knowledge transfer of best practices.

**Key Benefits**

- Reduce time to productivity with accelerated adoption and migrations
- Decrease risk of schedule delays by checking environment & software release updates
- Overcome resource limitations preventing on-time roll out
- Improve the proficiency and efficiency of users with latest functionality

**Key Features**

- Practical, hands-on advice and know-how from experienced Valor experts
- Proven methodologies based on industry best practice
- Flexible step-by-step approaches and personalized coaching
- Configured to your environment
**Services Brief**

**Consulting Services**

Key Steps in Valor NPI Consulting Offerings

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<td>Methodically discover your environment and processes</td>
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<td>Facilitate accelerated, designated support for when live production begins</td>
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**Valor Training**

**Training Services**

Keep your team proficient by accessing our on-demand or instructor-led deep-dive sessions:

**On-Demand Training**
Your teams can access hundreds of hours of on-demand training, on their schedule, in short, topical lessons containing videos, knowledge assessments, and interactive virtual lab exercises.

**Online Instructor-Led Training**
The interactivity and depth of the traditional classroom, from the convenience of any computer with a broadband connection. These courses are taught by the same expert instructors who lead our classroom courses, via remote conferencing.

**Classroom Training**
Customized training in a hands-on environment delivered on-site or at a Mentor facility.

For successful deployment and ongoing increases in proficiency and productivity with Valor, your Account representative can help put together a Services plan, managed to best meet your organization’s goals.

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**Ready to Talk?**
Contact your Account Representative or email mentor_consulting@mentor.com

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