

Anesthesia & Surgery

Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality

- AHRQ Safety Program for Improving Surgical Care and Recovery
- AHRQ Safety Program for Surgery
- Patient Safety Primer: Checklists
- Patient Safety Primer: Never Events
- Patient Safety Primer: Wrong-Site, Wrong-Procedure, and Wrong-Patient Surgery
- Perspectives on Safety: The Evolution of Patient Safety in Surgery
- TeamSTEPPS®
- Toolkit to Improve Safety in Ambulatory Surgery Centers
- Toolkit To Promote Safe Surgery

American Society of Anesthesiologists

- ASA Podcasts
- Guidelines, Statements, Clinical Resources
- Quality and Practice Management
- Resources From ASA Committees

Anesthesia and Analgesia

- Society for Ambulatory Anesthesia Consensus Statement on Preoperative Selection of Adult Patients with Obstructive Sleep Apnea Scheduled for Ambulatory Surgery
- Society of Anesthesia and Sleep Medicine Guideline on Intraoperative Management of Adult Patients With Obstructive Sleep Apnea

Anesthesia Patient Safety Foundation

- APSF Newsletter
- APSF Video Library
- Patient Safety Resources

Anesthesiology

STOP Questionnaire: A Tool to Screen Patients for Obstructive Sleep Apnea

Association of Perioperative Registered Nurses

- Position Statements
- Retained Surgical Items
- Tool Kits
- Wrong Site Surgery

British Journal of Anaesthesia

Communication Failures Contributing to Patient Injury in Anaesthesia Malpractice Claims

Council on Surgical & Perioperative Safety

Safe Surgery Resources

Healthcare Safety Investigative Branch

Wrong Site Surgery – Wrong Patient: Invasive Procedures in Outpatient Settings

Institute for Healthcare Improvement

- How-to Guide: Prevent Surgical Site Infections
- How-to Guide: Prevent Surgical Site Infection for Hip and Knee Arthroplasty
- How-to Guide: Reduce Surgical Complications
- SBAR Tool: Situation-Background-Assessment-Recommendation
- Surgical Site Infection

Journal of the American Medical Association

Analysis of Human Performance Deficiencies Associated With Surgical Adverse Events

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- 15 Essential Risk Management Strategies for General Surgeons
- Bariatric Surgery Malpractice Allegations: What Claims Data Show, and Ways to Reduce Risk
- Checklist: Intraoperative Neurophysiological Monitoring
- Checklist: Obstructive Sleep Apnea Screening
- Checklist: Preventing Retained Surgical Items
- Checklist: Preventing Surgical Site Infections
- Checklist: Preventing Wrong-Site Surgery
- Checklist: Risk Management Considerations in Surgical Practice
- Claims Data Analysis: Ambulatory Surgery Centers
- Claims Data Snapshot: Anesthesiology
- Claims Data Snapshot: Bariatric Surgery
- Claims Data Snapshot: General Surgery
- Claims Data Snapshot: Vascular Surgery
- Data Insight: Lessons Learned From Wrong Site Procedures
- Data Insight: Surgical-Related Cases Involving Nursing Staff
- Data Insight: The Role of Documentation in Inpatient Surgical Treatment Malpractice Claims
- Rise of the Machines: Robotic Surgery, Patient Safety, and Liability
- Risk Q&A: Robotic Surgery
- Risk Resources: Wrong Site Procedures
- Risk Tips: Informed Consent in Anesthesia Care
- Risk Tips: Managing Operating Room Noise and Distractions
- Surgical Fires: Prevention and Safety

Patient Safety in Surgery

Current Issues in Patient Safety in Surgery: A Review

Pennsylvania Patient Safety Authority

- Latex: A Lingering and Lurking Safety Risk
- Patient Safety Topics: Fires, Surgical
- Patient Safety Topics: Intubation
- Patient Safety Topics: Obstructive Sleep Apnea
- Patient Safety Topics: Pneumatic Tourniquets
- Patient Safety Topics: Wrong-Site Surgery
- Patient Safety Topics: Retained Surgical Items
- Warming Blankets and Patient Harm

The Joint Commission

- Sentinel Event Alert 51: Preventing Unintended Retained Foreign Objects
- Sentinel Event Alert 58: Inadequate Hand-Off Communication
- Surgical Site Infections
- Universal Protocol

University of Michigan Institute for Healthcare Policy & Innovation

 Better Care for Surgical Patients: Recognizing and Responding to the Unexpected to Save Lives

World Health Organization

Safe Surgery

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