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Patient experience


Standard: Clinical governance

Quality Improvement Project: Improving intake forms to make them more readable for patients in an urban clinic setting. (2018) Journal of the American Academy of Dermatology. 79(AB236-AB236. ISSN: 0190-9622. DOI: 10.1016/j.jaad.2018.05.942.


Standard: Partnering with consumers


Standard: Healthcare associated infection


Standard: Medication safety


Standard: Comprehensive care


Standard: Communicating for safety

For further references, see also: LKC Clinical handover : quick evidence update August 2018


Salmon, P. and Young, B. (2018) Qualitative methods can test and challenge what we think we know about clinical communication - if they are not too constrained by methodological ‘brands’. *Patient Education And Counseling*. 101(9): 1515-1517. ISSN: 1873-5134. DOI: 10.1016/j.pec.2018.07.005.


Standard: Blood management


Standard: Recognising and responding to acute deterioration


Lessons learned

- Patient Safety Reports, Queensland Health. Patient Safety & Quality Improvement Service
- Clinical Incident Management, Clinical Excellence Commission. New South Wales
- From Death We Learn, Reports Government of Western Australia. Department of Health.
- Learning from deaths in the NHS, National Health Service (UK)

Web links and organisations

Queensland Health
- Patient Safety Unit, Queensland Health
- Root Cause Analysis 2018 PSQIS-C Queensland Health iLearn modules
- LKC Patient safety and quality specialty guide

Australian
- Australian Centre for Health Services Innovation
- Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care
- Australian Council on Healthcare Standards
- Australian Institute for Patient and Family Centred Care (AIPFCC)
- Australian Institute of Health Innovation, Macquarie University
- Australian Patient Safety Foundation
- Consumers Health Forum of Australia
- Medication safety training, NPS Medicinewise
- National Blood Authority (NBA)
- NSW Agency for Clinical Innovation. Patient experience resources
- Office of the Health Ombudsman, Queensland
- Our Health, Our Community (CHFA)

International
- Association for Patient Experience, Cleveland Clinic (USA)
- Canadian Patient Safety Institute (Canada)
- Institute for Healthcare Improvement (USA)
- National Patient Safety Agency. National Health Service (UK)
- National Patient Safety Foundation (USA)
- Never Events for Hospital Care in Canada, Canadian Patient Safety Institute
- Never events, Patient Safety Network, US Dept of Health & Human Services
- Never events policy and framework, National Health Services (UK)
- Patient experience. The King’s Fund (UK)
- Patient safety. The King’s Fund (UK)
- Patient safety, World Health Organisation

See more organisation links at: LKC Patient safety and quality (Organisations) specialty guide
Guidelines and publications

- CHHHS QHEPS National Standards – all standards
- Queensland Health. Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Service. Audit tools for National Safety and Quality Health Service Standards
- Queensland Health. Guide to Informed Decision-making in Health Care
- Queensland Health. Patient experience (survey reports)
- ACSQHC NSQHS Standards (second edition)
- ACSQHC Patient / Procedure Matching Protocols
- ACSQHC Ensuring Correct Patient, Correct Site, Correct Procedure Protocol
- ACSQHC Clinical Communications – includes Clinical handover, Patient-Clinician Communication and Resources
- Communication - Clinical practice guidelines - Communicating prognosis and end-of-life issues. CareSearch (Palliative Care)
- Communication - Clinical practice guidelines - Communicating prognosis and end-of-life issues. CareSearch (Palliative Care)
- Empathy: The Human Connection to Patient Care (YouTube video). Cleveland Clinic (USA)
- Patient Experience Resources. NSW Agency for Clinical Innovation (ACI)

Books

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CHHHS & TCHHS staff see list of LKC resources for Patient safety and quality for borrowing. Click on covers to view full title details.

The following titles are not held by the LKC

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