

## **Clinical profile of hospitalized children provided with urgent assistance from a medical emergency team.**

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Children with complex, chronic illnesses and those who had recently undergone surgery were most likely to require [medical emergency team](#) services while hospitalized. Understanding these risk factors may help guide implementation of medical emergency team services.