

## The impact of interruptions on clinical task completion.

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This study of emergency physicians found that [interruptions](#) while performing clinical tasks were common and often resulted in the task being delayed or not completed at all.