

## **An anesthesiology department leads culture change at a hospital system level to improve quality and patient safety.**

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This commentary describes how an anesthesiology department engaged residents in quality and patient safety initiatives and discusses the resulting impact on [medication reconciliation](#), process improvement, laboratory ordering, and patient safety awareness.