

## Safety hazards in cancer care: findings using three different methods.

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A comprehensive view of patient safety hazards requires identifying safety issues through [multiple data sources](#). This Danish study analyzed safety problems in oncology care through [voluntary error reports](#), retrospective chart review using the [Global Trigger Tool](#), and [patient reports](#). While each data source revealed unique hazards, common problems in this patient population included treatment-related harm (from [chemotherapy](#) and other [procedures](#)), [health care–associated infections](#), and problems related to communication between providers. An AHRQ WebM&M [commentary](#) discusses a preventable complication in a patient receiving outpatient chemotherapy.