

Aging gracefully? Patient safety advocates call for ongoing skills assessments for older physicians.

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This commentary suggests that [emergency medicine](#) adopt a mandatory retirement age and conduct ongoing skills assessment to ensure aging physicians can practice safely.