

## **Surgical complications: disclosing adverse events and medical errors.**

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This commentary presents a scenario involving a possible [retained surgical object](#) and reviews how to [disclose](#) such an error to a patient.