

A serious threat to patient safety: the unintended misuse of FentaNYL patches.

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This commentary describes two safety incidents involving transdermal medication patches to highlight [risks](#) associated with their use.