

Using "near misses" analysis to prevent wrong-site surgery.

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By tracking improper surgical bookings and observing [time-out](#) procedures, this study measured near misses for [wrong-site surgery](#) and provided education about correct procedures when they encountered errors. After this education, surgical booking and time-out procedures improved.