

Surgical checklists unused in 10% of hospitals, CMS data shows.

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The [Hospital Compare Web site](#) has begun to publicly report which hospitals are using checklists, and the results are [concerning](#). Investigating reasons behind these findings, this news piece offers insights from physicians into why [checklists](#) have not been universally implemented and highlights the importance of developing a culture of safety to drive improvement efforts.