

Patient safety risks associated with telecare: a systematic review and narrative synthesis of the literature.

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Patient safety in the [homecare](#) setting has begun to garner increasing attention. This systematic review explored patient safety issues related to the emerging use of [telecare](#) to provide remote services for patients at home. Many risks were identified, but the authors conclude more study is needed to understand telecare-related patient safety.