

Addressing disease-related malnutrition in hospitalized patients: a call for a national goal.

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[Previous studies](#) have explored safety issues related to [parenteral nutrition](#) processes, but [problems](#) associated with general nutrition for inpatients have received scant attention. This commentary advocates for promoting awareness around malnutrition as a [hospital-acquired condition](#) and outlines 12 actions to improve the safety of nutrition care for hospitalized patients, including use of routine assessments and [checklists](#).