

Alarm management: promoting safety and establishing guidelines.

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Alarms contribute to distractions, [fatigue](#), and lack of concentration, which can result in [patient harm](#). This commentary examines the problem in [ambulatory surgery centers](#) and summarizes resources and [recommendations](#) currently available to help staff manage alarms in this setting.