

## **Development of an emergency department trigger tool using a systematic search and modified Delphi process.**

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Researchers sought to develop an emergency-department specific [trigger tool](#) to [identify](#) adverse events. Their Delphi process resulted in a 46-item proposed tool that will require validation and testing in order to determine its usefulness in practice. This formative work fills a gap in available trigger tools.