

A QI initiative: implementing a patient handoff checklist for pediatric hospitalist attendings.

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Patient handoffs are vulnerable to errors of omission. This quality improvement project designed and implemented a [checklist](#) as a way to standardize the process of [pediatric handoffs](#). The program found the tool to be effective in [uncovering problems](#) and physicians felt the checklist supported [situational awareness](#) and patient safety.