

## **Medication safety in the operating room: literature and expert-based recommendations.**

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This Delphi study examined 138 recommendations, generated from a review of 74 studies, regarding [medication safety](#) in the [operating room](#). Using a consensus process, investigators determined 35 practices that can be implemented in the operative setting, including [medication reconciliation](#) and barcoding.