

Using information from external errors to signal a "clear and present danger."

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Monitoring [external reports](#) of error and harm can prompt organizations and clinicians to look for similar risks in their own health care systems. This newsletter article reviews attribution [biases](#) that hinder improvement and discusses recommendations to address them, including [leadership commitment](#) to learning and infrastructure processes to track published information.