

## **More than a tick box: medical checklist development, design, and use.**

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[Checklists](#) are widely advocated in health care to promote safety and reduce errors, but the [evidence](#) to support their impact is mixed. This commentary recommends a user-focused framework to address [contextual](#) issues that may affect checklist implementation, from the conception and development of a checklist through its use and retirement.