

## **A Department of Medicine infrastructure for patient safety and clinical quality improvement.**

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Organizational [infrastructure](#) is important to ensure sustainability of safety improvements. This commentary describes how one [academic medical center](#) integrated structures, processes, and frameworks to build connections within the [organization](#) and throughout the community to facilitate success of improvement initiatives.