

## **A World Health Organization field trial assessing a proposed ICD-11 framework for classifying patient safety events.**

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For the first time, the World Health Organization ICD-11 will include a taxonomy for [quality and safety events](#). Researchers applied the new system to 45 patient safety vignettes gleaned from sources such as AHRQ WebM&M, then they described its strengths and limitations. Explicit identification of adverse events in administrative datasets could [improve detection](#) of errors, adverse events, and [near misses](#) on a population level.