

## **White paper on recommendation for systems-based practice competency.**

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A [systems approach](#) to practice has been advocated as a [key element](#) of safe medical care. This white paper proposes that systems-based practice be integrated as a [nursing competency](#) requirement, including education about organizational leadership and [complexity science](#) and systems theory in design.