

## **Developing a standard handoff process for operating room–to-ICU transitions: multidisciplinary clinician perspectives from the Handoffs and Transitions in Critical Care (HATRICC) study.**

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[Standardizing handoffs](#) has been shown to improve patient safety. The authors describe provider perspectives regarding [handoffs](#) from the operating room to intensive care unit as well as the development of a standardized OR-to-ICU handoff protocol.