

Balancing patient-centered and safe pain care for nonsurgical inpatients: clinical and managerial perspectives.

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This interview study examined perspectives from nurses, physicians, and administrators about balancing adequacy of pain management with risks of [opioid medications](#). Key strategies for minimizing opioid use included offering alternatives to opioids, setting feasible expectations for pain management, and using a [team approach](#).