

Measuring hospital-acquired complications associated with low-value care.

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[Overuse](#) of unnecessary tests and procedures contributes to [patient harm](#). In this cohort study, researchers found that patients who developed a [hospital-acquired condition](#) after undergoing a procedure that most likely should not have been performed had longer lengths of stay than patients who did not develop a hospital-acquired condition.