

Dangers of diagnostic overshadowing.

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This commentary describes an incident involving [diagnostic error](#) and substandard care of a patient with disability. The author cautions against assumptions about [individuals with disabilities](#) that can compromise care. A [PSNet commentary](#) discussed the impact of diagnostic overshadowing on patient care.