

## Root cause analysis for hospital-acquired pressure injury.

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Pressure injuries are a [persistent problem](#) in health care. This article describes a three-level [root cause analysis](#) approach to determine physical, process, and systems factors that contribute to the occurrence of this [never event](#). The author suggests that [common cause analysis](#) is an effective method to utilize root cause analysis results to determine latent weaknesses that facilitate pressure ulcer development.