

A radiation oncology-specific automated trigger indicator tool for high-risk near-miss safety events.

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Trigger tools are used to detect adverse events; their use has been studied in [general oncology](#) patients but not in radiation oncology. In this study, researchers developed an automated radiation oncology-specific trigger tool and found that the tool showed modest sensitivity and specificity at identifying treatment courses with serious or critical near misses.