

Reducing prescribing errors in hospitalized children on the ketogenic diet.

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Pediatric patients are at [high risk](#) for medication errors. This study found that a [clinical decision support](#) alert could effectively reduce orders for carbohydrate-containing medications in pediatric patients on ketogenic diets without increasing alert burden.