

Measuring and improving diagnostic safety in primary care: addressing the “twin” pandemics of diagnostic error and clinician burnout.

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Challenges to identifying and measuring [diagnostic errors](#), particularly in the era of [COVID-19](#), persist. The authors of this perspective proposed a new framework of diagnostic process safety to measure the quality and safety of [diagnostic processes](#). The framework focuses on three measurable components – do not miss diagnoses, red flags, and diagnostic pitfalls. This framework can provide a structured approach for designing and testing specific measures of diagnostic process safety.