

## To err is human, to apologize is hard.

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[Disclosure](#) and apology are two related actions that aid in [rebuilding trust](#) between clinicians, patients, and families when error occurs. This essay shares a parent's reflection on the value of [apology](#) that is honest, compassionate, and timely.