

Indication alerts to improve problem list documentation.

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[Problem lists](#), while an important part of high-quality care, are frequently incomplete or lack accuracy. This study examined the effectiveness of leveraging [indication alerts](#) in electronic health records (EHR) (medication ordered lacking a corresponding problem on the problem list) in two different hospitals using different EHRs. Both sites resulted in a proportion of new problems being added to the problem list for the medications triggered. Between 9.6% and 11.1% were abandoned (order started but not signed), which needs further study.