

Three new best practices in the 2022-2023 Targeted Medication Safety Best Practices for Hospitals.

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Best practices evolve over time, given experience and evidence associated with their use. This article summarizes 3 new areas of focus included in [current recommendations](#) for sustaining medication safety. The new practices focus on improving the safety of [oxytocin](#) use, enhancing vaccine administration through [bar coding](#), and implementing multifocal efforts to reduce high-alert medication errors. A survey accompanies the article to gather data on the presence of the new recommendations in the field.