

## Factors determining safety culture in hospitals: a scoping review.

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Research has shown a robust [safety culture](#) improves patient outcomes, reduces length of hospital stay, and increases patient and staff satisfaction. As such, safety culture is increasingly being measured by healthcare organizations. This review sought to identify the factors measured by safety culture instruments in hospitals. The [Hospital Survey on Patient Safety Culture](#) and [Safety Attitudes Questionnaire](#) were the most frequently used instruments. Important factors include organizational, professional, and patient and family participation, although none of the instruments measured all three.