

## Responding to medical errors — implementing the modern ethical paradigm.

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Communication and resolution programs (CRP) detail effective ways that healthcare organizations and professionals should respond to and disclose medical errors and adverse events. This commentary advocates for implementation of CRPs in all healthcare systems while acknowledging several challenges: leadership and organizational commitment; fear of [liability](#); balance between transparency and legal confidentiality [privileges](#); and maintaining [patient trust](#) during the disclosure process.