

Giving up learning from failures? An examination of learning from one's own failures in the context of heart surgeons.

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[Learning from failure](#) is a key component of [high reliability](#). Based on data from cardiothoracic surgeons performing coronary artery bypass graft surgeries, the authors observed a plateau at which individuals cease to learn from their own failures, underscoring the need to consider the impact of repeated failures on improving [individual clinician performance](#).