

Identifying, understanding, and minimizing unconscious cognitive biases in perioperative crisis management: a narrative review.

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[Unconscious bias](#) among clinicians can hinder the delivery of high-quality care and [degrade](#) diagnostic decision making. This article summarizes unconscious cognitive biases in healthcare, emphasizing those biases particularly relevant to perioperative care such as [confirmation bias](#) and [availability bias](#). The authors also review strategies to improve unconscious cognitive biases, including cognitive debiasing and [clinical decision support systems \(CDSS\)](#).