

Effect of digital tools to promote hospital quality and safety on adverse events after discharge.

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Patients are at increased risk of [adverse events](#) (AE) in the period following hospital discharge. This quality and safety improvement project aimed to reduce [post-discharge](#) AE and patient-reported new or worsening symptoms (NWS). The intervention included a patient-facing checklist whose responses were integrated into an electronic health record dashboard. AE were not significantly different between the intervention and usual care groups. NWS were non-significantly higher in the checklist group, which the authors propose may be due to the activating effects of the intervention, [prompting](#) patients to be aware of and report symptoms.