Taking the Lead in Patient Safety: How Healthcare Leaders Influence Behavior and Create Culture

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DESCRIPTION

• Written by industry professionals: a workplace safety specialist in conjunction with a practicing physician and medical manager.

• Provides recommendations for assessing hospital safety practices as well as specific suggestions for behavioural interventions.

• Brings a systematic approach to healthcare safety, identifying common problems through illustrative case studies and offering solutions.

• Offers several different perspectives including patient safety, doctor safety, and administrator safety.

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