Patient Safety Awareness Week 2014
Preventing Diagnostic Error Resource List

Free Materials for Patients and Families


Free Materials for Health Care Clinicians and Professionals


American College of Radiology. MR safety.


http://qualitysafety.bmj.com/content/22/Suppl_2

http://www.choosingwisely.org/doctor-patient-lists/

Diagnosis - Open Access Essays
Note: The first issue of the new journal Diagnosis (http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/dx) presents a collection of essays and reflections from thought leaders in the field. The essays are published under the Creative Commons copyright, and can be freely accessed and downloaded for personal use at the link provided below. We appreciate the support of De Gruyter (http://www.reference-global.com) in making these resources available.

http://qualitysafety.bmj.com/content/22/Suppl_2/ii40.long


Johns Hopkins Medicine. (2013). Diagnostic errors more common, costly and harmful than treatment mistakes.
http://www.hopkinsmedicine.org/news/media/releases/diagnostic_errors_more_common_cost ly_and_harmful_than_treatment_mistakes

Landro, L. (2013, Nov 17). The ABCs of misdiagnosis- common biases that can prevent a doctor from making a correct diagnosis. Wall Street Journal,
http://online.wsj.com/news/interactive/MisdiagnosisPRNTCHRT?ref=sB10001424052702304402104579151232421802264
http://patientsafetyauthority.org/EducationalTools/PatientSafetyTools/diagnosis/Pages/home.aspx


Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine. Clinical reasoning toolkit. 
http://www.improvediagnosis.org/?ClinicalReasoning

http://www.improvediagnosis.org/?page=Resources

Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine. Improving Diagnostic Accuracy in Medicine Fact Sheet. 
http://www.improvediagnosis.org/?page=Facts

Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine. John Ely Diagnosis Checklists. 
http://www.improvediagnosis.org/?page=Resources

Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine. Top Myths about Diagnostic Errors Held by Physicians. 
http://www.improvediagnosis.org/?page=Myths

BMJ Quality & Safety, 22, 28-32. doi: 10.1136/bmjqs-2012-001622, 
http://qualitysafety.bmj.com/content/22/Suppl_2/ii28.long

**Paid Materials for Health Care Clinicians and Professionals**

American College of Radiology. RADPEER. http://www.acr.org/Quality-Safety/RADPEER


National Patient Safety Foundation. Reducing diagnostic errors online educational module. 
Note: Members of the Stand Up for Patient Safety Program can access this module for free!

http://qualitysafety.bmj.com/content/early/2011/11/30/bmjqs-2011-000150.short?rss=1

Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine. (2014). Diagnostic error in medicine 7th international 

**Free Materials for Health Care Organizations**


Additional Suggested Reading from the Society to Improve Diagnosis in Medicine

I. Overviews of the Issue


II. Incidence, Origins of Errors


III. Errors in Specialty Areas


IV. Errors Related to Diagnostic Testing

V. Errors Related to Communication of Test Results

VI. Interventions

VII. Patient-focused Interventions