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***Welcome Patient Safety, a Journal
Unlike Anything You've Ever Seen!***

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The Patient Safety Authority, an independent state agency that oversees patient safety reporting for Pennsylvania, is excited to announce the launch of its new quarterly, peer reviewed journal, *Patient Safety*.

Patient Safety intersects original research, trending areas of focus, and firsthand patient perspectives, and features analyses from the Pennsylvania Patient Safety Reporting Database (PA-PSRS)—one of the largest databases of its kind in the world—expert interviews, and patient commentaries.

Highlights from its sophomore issue, due out December 17, include: a falls analysis—one in 56 inpatients fall in Pennsylvania hospitals, see the breakdown by age, harm level, and patient days; a look at violence against healthcare workers, at its highest level on record; and a review of infusion pump-related events. *Patient Safety* has no subscription fees or author fees: It's available now to read online, as well as free to publish in.

Serving as the journal's managing editor is Cait Allen, member of HLNDV's communication committee, who encourages HLNDV members to submit research articles, perspectives, and commentaries.

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