



## HOW TO USE GLOBAL PATIENT SAFETY ALERTS:

**SEARCH:** “I have a specific topic that I want information on—i.e. IV opioid administration.”

- Similar to any search engine, enter any search term or combination of terms into the text box and click on “Search GPSA”
  - Toggle between alerts and recommendations below the search box

- Alert
  Recommendations

**BROWSE:** “I want to browse and scan alerts on a more general topic—i.e. falls or surgery.”

- Click on any listed category to scan through alerts and recommendations related to that category

## Browse all Alerts

Alerts by Category	Recommendations by Category
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air Embolism</li> <li>• Blood Products/Transfusion</li> <li>• Clinical Administration/Documentation</li> <li>• Diagnostic Imaging</li> <li>• Falls</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bed Rail/Restraint</li> <li>• Care Management</li> <li>• Device</li> <li>• Environmental</li> <li>• Infection Control</li> </ul>



**INQUIRE:** “What is an alert or recommendation? How do you decide on what alerts are posted?”

- Click on the Frequently Asked Questions tab at the bottom of the homepage to see a list of commonly asked questions.

Frequently Asked Questions

**LEARN & CONNECT:** “I want to connect with someone from an organization that submitted an alert, how can I do this?”

- Click on the Contributing Organizations tab at the bottom of the homepage to see a list of contributing organizations around the world who are willing to share their learnings and experience with patient safety incidents and patient safety improvement. Links to their websites are provided and you are encouraged to connect with them directly!

Contributing Organizations

**CONTACT US:** “I want to know more about what you offer.”

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