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Quality Improvement and Patient Safety for the Practicing Psychiatrist: Keeping It Relevant, Efficient, and Fun (REF)

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Research Project Description

As many as 400,000 patients die each year due to preventable medical errors with many more suffering non-fatal serious harm. Efforts to improve patient care quality and safety are absolutely necessary. The major goal of this proposal is to target quality improvement and patient safety training resources to the population of general, community, and non-academic practitioners. Engaging training videos and an e-book will be developed during this project. Medical students will participate in analyzing survey data, filming/editing and possibly acting in videos as well as participating in writing/editing and illustrating an e-book. This project is funded by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, Inc.