# State of New Jersey Department of Health

Patient Safety Reporting System

**Module 2 – New Event Entry** 





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# **Patient Safety Reporting System**

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# **Patient Safety Reporting System**

# I. Preparing to Enter an Event

- **1.** Log into the system
- 2. Access the "Resources" tab from the Main Menu
- 3. "Resources" Tab Menu
  - Information Consulted
  - Report Questions
  - User Guide
- **4.** Select Event Type
- **5.** View Initial Event Questions
- 6. Information needed will be displayed



#### Log Into the System





#### Log Into the System



Welcome Brooke: <u>logout</u> | <u>my account</u> | <u>auth code</u> | <u>layout</u> | <u>help</u>



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#### **Enter the System**





#### **List of Event Types**





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| Care Management               |   |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| Medication Error              | Patient death, loss of body part, disability, or loss of bodily function<br>lasting more than seven days or still present at discharge, associated with<br>a medication error (e.g., errors involving the wrong drug, wrong dose,<br>wrong patient/resident, wrong time, wrong rate, wrong preparation,<br>wrong route of administration, etc.) |  |  |  |
| Wrong Blood Product           | Patient death, loss of body part, disability, or loss of bodily function<br>lasting more than seven days or still present at discharge, associated with<br>a hemolytic reaction due to the administration of ABO-incompatible<br>blood or blood products.   |  |  |  |
| Maternal Labor                | Maternal death, loss of body part, disability, or loss of bodily function<br>lasting more than seven days or still present at discharge associated with<br>labor or delivery in a low-risk pregnancy while in a health care facility.   |  |  |  |
| Hypoglycemia                  | Patient death, loss of body part, disability, or loss of bodily function<br>lasting more than seven days or still present at discharge associated with<br>hypoglycemia, the onset of which occurs while the patient is being cared<br>for in the health care facility.  |  |  |  |
| Neonate<br>Hyperbilirubinemia | Death or kernicterus associated with failure to identify and treat<br>hyperbilirubinemia in a neonate while the neonate is a patient in a health  |  |  |  |



#### Resources Tab (for questions and more information)

| ogged in as:  | HOME              | Add Event           | VIEW EVENTS      | RESOURCES - dmin - |
|---|-------------------|---------------------|------------------|--------------------|
|   | Select Event Type |                     |                  | REPORT QUESTIONS   |
| <ol> <li>Select an Adverse Event Type</li> <li>Click the "Continue" button</li> </ol> |                   |                     |                  |                    |
| Adverse event type:   |                   | Click <u>HERE</u> f | or a complete li | st of Event Types  |
|   |                   |                     |                  |                    |
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|   | Intial Event RCA                               |                             |
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|   | Event Specific Questions                       | View Inital Event Questions |
| L | Event Specific Questions                       |                             |
|   | Care Management - Other                        |                             |
|   | Care Management - Medication Error             |                             |
|   | Care Management - Pressure Ulcers              |                             |
|   | Environmental - Other                          |                             |
|   | Environmental Burn                             |                             |
| C | Environmental - Fall                           |                             |
|   | Environmental - Restraints                     |                             |
|   | Product/Device - Malfunction                   |                             |
|   | Patient Protection - Suicide Attempted Suicide |                             |
|   | Surgical - Retained Foreign Object             |                             |
|   | Surgical - Intra/Post-Op Coma or Death         |                             |
|   |  |                             |



#### Initial Event Questions Patient Information Questions Note: Patient Information Questions are Universal

| Initial Event RCA  |   |
|--|---|
| Event Specific Questions   |   |
| Patient I  | nformation  |
| Facility name:   |   |
| Patient type: Options: Inpatient, Outpatient, ED, Same day surgery, Other,   |   |
| RCA Due Date:  | Admission through: Options: Emergency Department, Direct Admission, Transfer from Acute Care General<br>Hospital, Transfer from LTC or Assisted Living, NA, |
| First name:  | *Middle name:   |
| Last name:   |   |
| Patient billing number:  | Medical record number:  |
| Street Address:  | City:   |
| State:   |   |
| County:  | Zip code:   |
| Date of Birth:   | Gender:   |
| Race: Options: White, Black, Amer. Indian/Alaskan Native, Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, Unable to Determine, Other, |   |
| Ethnicity: Options: Non-Hispanic/Unable to Determine, Hispanic,  |   |
| Admission date or date of ambulatory encounter relevant to when the event occurred (mm/dd/yyyy):                               | *Admitting ICD Code:  |
| Main Reason for admission or ambulatory encounter relevant to when the event occurred:   |   |



#### **Initial Event Questions**

#### **Event Information Questions**

#### Note: Initial Event Information Questions are Universal

#### Event Information

#### Event date:

#### Date any healthcare professional discovered the event

How was the event discovered? Options: Report by staff/physician, Report by family/visitor, Report by patient/resident, Assessment of patient/resident after event, Review of chart/record, Other,

In what unit did the event occur? Options: Behavioral Health, Cardiac Catheterization, Emergency Department, Emergency Department Crisis Screening/Observation, ICU/CCU/TCU, Labor/Delivery, Laboratory, Med/Surg, NICU, Nursery, Operating Room, PACU, Procedure Room, Radiology, Rehabilitation Areas, Step Down, Telemetry, Other,

In what location did the event occur? Options: Hallway/Common Area, In Transit, Operating Room, Patient Room, Patient Bathroom, Procedure Room, NA, Other,

#### Location of injury (check as many as apply):

Options: Abdomen, Ankle, Back/spine, Buttocks, Chest, Clavicle, Elbow, Forearm, Hand, Head, Foot, Hip, Lower Leg, Lower Arm, Knee, Neck, Pelvic Region, Sacrum, Shoulder, Upper Arm, Upper Leg, Wrist, Other, Unresponsiveness, No Injury, Systemic,

Severity of injury (check as many as apply): Options: Death, Increased length of stay is anticipated, Increased level of care, Surgery is required, Cast/immobilization, Minor injury, No apparent injury,

Please supply a description of the event or situation you are reporting including the impact on the patient:

Immediate clinical action(s) taken for patient:

Immediate new corrective action(s) to prevent future similar events in all patients while the RCA is underway:

Was the patient or health care representative notified about the event within 24 hours of event discovery? Options: Yes/No If no, why not? Enter Event Time in Military (e.g 1800=6:00PM), if not known, enter 'unknown'

Discovery Time in Military (e.g 0200=2:00AM)



#### Initial Event Questions Event Specific Questions Note: Not all Event Types have Event Specific Questions

#### Event Specific Questions

| Prior to the fall what was the patient attempting to do?   | <b>Options:</b> Ambulating/Standing without assistance and/or without an assistive device, Ambulating/Standing with assistance and/or an assistive device, Changing position, Fell off stretcher/Xray table/OR table, Reaching for an item, Toileting-related activities, Transferring to/or from bed, chair, etc., Undergoing a diagnostic or therapeutic procedure, Unknown, Other, |
|--|---|
| Was this fall witnessed?   | Options: Yes/No   |
| Did this fall occur during<br>change of shift?   | Options: Yes/No   |
| Did this fall occur during a<br>holiday or weekend?  | Options: Yes/No   |
| What was the patient's fall risk at the time of the fall?  | Options: High, Medium, Low,   |
| What was the level of<br>observation at the time of the<br>fall  | Options: 1:1, Arm's length, Line of sight, 15 Minutes, 30 Minutes, 1 Hour, 2 Hours, Other,  |
| Was the patient confused prior to the fall?  | Options: Yes/No   |
| Prior to the fall, did the patient<br>routinely call for assistance<br>with activities (such as<br>toileting)? | Options: Yes/No   |



**System Navigation** 

#### "Main Menu" Bar

Add Event – enter a new event report

#### "Report Menu" Bar

- Moves you through each report section with an arrow to indicate next step
- Event Summary page builds as information is entered

## "Save/Next" Button

• Move to next screen



# **Patient Safety Reporting System**

## II. Entering a New Event

# **1.** Two types of information

- Patient Information
- Event Information

# 2. Series of drop-down menus and text boxes



- 3. Fields within each screen must be completed and saved
  - Portal will time out after 2 hours from time of logging-in to the portal
  - Information will be lost if not completed and saved
- 4. Information can be edited prior to submission to PSRS
- 5. When completed, click on the "SUBMIT EVENT" tab to send the event to PSRS
  - Note that saving alone does not submit the event; you <u>must</u> hit the SUBMIT EVENT tab



#### **Adding an Event**





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**Adding an Event** 

- **1.** First Screen Patient Information
  - Your facility will be automatically populated (unless reporting for multiple facilities)
  - Text boxes have character limits

○ See count down of the number of characters remaining



#### **Entering Event Details — Patient Information**

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|--|-------------------------------|------------|-----------|---------------|-------------|---------|
| Logged in as:                              |                               | HOME       | ADD EVENT | VIEW EVENTS 🔻 | RESOURCES 👻 | Admin 🔻 |
|  | Patient Infor                 | mation     |           |               |             |         |
| Facility name:                             | TEST FACILITY-FORT LI         | EE         |           |               |             | •       |
| Patient type:                              | Inpatient  Admission through: | Direct Adı | mission   |               | T           |         |
| First name:                                | Betty                         |            |           |               |             |         |
| *Middle name:                              |                               |            |           |               |             |         |
| Last name:                                 | Jones                         |            |           |               |             |         |
| Patient billing number:                    | 12345                         |            |           |               |             |         |
| Medical record number:                     | 34567                         |            |           |               |             |         |
| Street Address:                            | 123 Main Street               |            |           |               |             |         |
| City:                                      | Trenton                       |            |           |               |             |         |
| State:                                     | NJ  County: Mercer            | ¥          |           |               |             |         |
| Zip code:                                  | 08625                         |            |           |               |             |         |



#### **Entering Event Details — Patient** Date of Birth: Month: Day: Year - (e.g. 2010): 15 • • 1 1945 Gender: Male Image Female White ۳ Race Non-Hispanic/Unable to Determine 🔻 Ethnicity Admission date or date of ambulatory 11/19/2018 \*Admitting ICD Code: encounter relevant to when the event occurred (mm/dd/yyyy): Main Reason for admission or ambulatory encounter relevant to when the event occurred: 🥺 A 73-year-old female presented to the emergency department with dizziness and was diagnosed with near syncope. 300 Characters left \*denotes fields that are not required Save/Next

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#### **Entering Event Details — Question Mark Help**

| Date of I  | Birth:                 |   | Month:   | Day:<br>15 ▼ |     |
|--|------------------------|---|--|--------------|-----|
| Gender:  |                        |   | ○ Male . ● Female  |              |     |
| Race:<br>Ethnicit<br>Admissio<br>encount<br>occurred<br>Main Rea<br>Nain Rea<br>''<br>'o<br>''<br>'o | Click and drag to expa | Description Race Title White: A person having origi the original peoples of Europ Middle East, or North Africa. people who indicated their ra "White" or reported entries as Germany Italian, I observe A Ethnicity tino: A person of Cuban, o Rican, South or Central er Spanish culture or origin te. | ins in any of<br>e, the<br>It includes<br>ce(s) as<br>ce(s) as<br>ce(s) as<br>cracial<br>le who<br>African<br>s such<br>gerian,<br>any of<br>st,<br>uple,<br>iorea,<br>e<br>t<br>d their |              |     |
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**Entering Event Details — Event** 

#### **1.** Next Screen – Event Information

- Please note that the text box for the description of the event or situation is an unlimited text box.
- 2. All fields required
- **3.** Event specific additional fields, e.g.
  - Was this fall witnessed?
  - Did this fall occur during a holiday or weekend shift?
  - Prior to the fall, what was the patient attempting to do?



**Entering Event Details — Event** 

## 4. After completing all fields, select "Save/Next"

 Once you have created and first saved an Event, an Event Number will be assigned. DO NOT create a new event <u>report</u> or a duplicate report

#### 5. Event Detail Screen

- Note: You can go back and edit information prior to submission
- Submit Event to PSRS by clicking on "Submit Event" on "Report Menu"



#### **Entering Event Details — Event**

| Event Information   |  |  |                |   |              |  |
|---|--|--|----------------|---|--------------|--|
| Event date:<br>Date any<br>healthcare<br>professional<br>discovered th<br>event                               | 11/20/2018   | ate is unknown, check  | here           | Enter Event Time in<br>Military (e.g<br>1800=6:00PM), if<br>not known, enter<br>'unknown'<br>Discovery Time in<br>Military (e.g<br>0200=2:00AM) | 0100         |  |
| How was the   | event discover   | ed? 🥝  | Report by staf | f/physician   | $\checkmark$ |  |
| In what unit did the event occur?   |  | Med/Surg   |                | $\checkmark$  |              |  |
| In what location did the event occur?   |  | nt occur?  | Patient Room   | $\checkmark$  |              |  |
| Location of in<br>Abdomen<br>Ankle<br>Back/spine<br>Buttocks<br>Chest<br>Clavicle<br>Elbow<br>Forearm<br>Hand | Head<br>Head<br>Foot<br>Hip<br>Lower Leg<br>Lower Arm<br>Knee<br>Neck<br>Pelvic Region<br>Sacrum | many as apply): Shoulder Upper Arm Upper Leg Wrist Other Unresponsiveness No Injury Systemic |                |   |              |  |
| Other:  |  |  |                |   |              |  |



#### **II. Entering an Event-** continued

#### **Entering Event Details — Event**

| Severity of injury (check as many as    | apply):             |
|---|---------------------|
| Death                                   | Cast/immobilization |
| Increased length of stay is anticipated | Minor injury        |
| Increased level of care                 | No apparent injury  |
| Surgery is required                     |                     |
|   |                     |

Please supply a description of the event or situation you are reporting including the impact on the patient:

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| RN heard patient's be<br>of 10). Patient stated<br>confused at times. | d alarm sounding and responde<br>she was attempting to go to the     | d. RN found patier<br>bathroom. Patier       | nt on floor next to b<br>nt known to be impu | ed c/o pain in left hip (8 out<br>Isive related to toileting and |
| RN alerted care team (<br>fracture.                                   | on the unit and the house physi                                      | ician. Patient went                          | to OR for surgical re                        | epair (ORIF) of left hip   |
| Prior to fall, patient wi<br>independently and wil                    | as able to ambulate with minim<br>Il require PT/OT for at least seve | al assistance. Afte<br>eral weeks for this i | r the fall, the patien<br>njury.             | t was unable to ambulate   |
|   |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |
| iate clinical acti  | on(s) taken for patie  | ent:   |  |  |

House physician called and assessed patient. Care team assisted patient back to bed. X-ray ordered which showed left hip fracture. Pain medication administered prn. Family notified. Surgical consult ordered and ORIF performed.

Note this example is an illustration of an incomplete description of the event. In later slides, PSRS will show you how to modify this entry to reflect best practices.



| Immediate <u>new</u> corrective action(s) to prevent future similar events in all patients while the RCA is underway:   |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Re-evaluate level of observation for confused pati<br>assistance. Revise policies and procedures to ref<br>have minimum level of observation as "line of sigh<br>observation as indicated by patient's individualiz | The stat do not routinely ask for<br>Flect that confused patients will<br>nt," with closer levels of<br>ted needs. |  |  |  |
| 1000 Characters left  |  |  |  |  |
| Prior to the fall what was the patient attempting to do?  | Toileting-related activities   |  |  |  |
| Was this fall witnessed?  | ○ Yes ● No   |  |  |  |
| Did this fall occur during change of shift?   | ○ Yes ⑧ No   |  |  |  |
| Did this fall occur during a holiday or weekend?  | ○ Yes ⑧ No   |  |  |  |
| What was the patient's fall risk at the time of the fall?   | High ▼   |  |  |  |
| What was the level of observation at the time of the fall   | 1 Hour T   |  |  |  |
| Was the patient confused prior to the fall?   | ⊛ Yes ◎ No   |  |  |  |
| Prior to the fall, did the patient routinely call for assistance with activities (such as toileting)?   | ◎ Yes ● No   |  |  |  |
| Was the patient or health care representative notified about the event within 24 hours of event discovery?  | Yes 🔍 No   |  |  |  |



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## **II. Entering an Event-** continued

#### **Entering Event Details — Review**



Edit



#### Locating a Saved Event

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Logged in as:

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#### Welcome to the NJ Patient Safety Reporting System

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NJ is committed to promoting patient safety and preventing serious preventable adverse events. In 2004, the **New Jersey Patient Safety Act** (P.L. 2004, c9) was signed into law. The statute was designed to improve patient safety in hospitals and other health care facilities by establishing a serious preventable adverse event reporting system. This site is designed to help healthcare facilities develop strong patient safety programs, collect and analyze aggregate data and fulfill the law's mandatory reporting requirements

Additional resources may be found on the Patient Safety website at:



| Action Items    |                        |  |
|-----------------|------------------------|--|
|                 | Initial Event Comments |  |
| Report Number   | Submit Date            |  |
| 20180312        | 5/18/2018              |  |
| <u>20180219</u> | 4/11/2018              |  |
| 20180151        | 3/9/2018               |  |
| <u>20180193</u> | 4/5/2018               |  |
| 20180194        | 4/3/2018               |  |

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#### Locating a Saved Event

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|---|---|----------|-----------|---------------|--------------|-------|---|
| Logged in as:   |   | HOME     | ADD EVENT | VIEW EVENTS 🔻 | RESOURCES 👻  | Admin | • |
| Use the 'Report Menu' below to navig<br>The menu will expand as the Event/F<br>Click on the link next to the red arro<br>Click on the appropriate link below to<br>Click <u>HERE</u> to send DOH a comment<br>Click <u>HERE</u> to see the Communication<br>Initial Event Root Cause Analysis | gate this event.<br>RCA progresses<br>w→ to continue entering<br>o edit information | informa  | tion      |               |              |       |   |
| Report Menu: Patient Info    Event Info   |   |          |           |               |              |       |   |
| Report Number: 20180356   |   |          |           |               |              |       |   |
| Event Classification: Environmental - Fall  |   |          |           |               | Print Screen |       |   |
|   | Patient Inform  | nation   |           |               |              |       |   |
| Edit  |   |          |           |               |              |       |   |
| Facility name:  | TEST FACILITY-FOR   | T LEE    |           |               |              |       |   |
| Patient type:   | Inpatient   |          |           |               |              |       |   |
|   | -   |          |           |               |              |       |   |



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| <u>Detail</u>   | 2018   | 1/1/2018   | Direct<br>Admission   | 20180346                   | Event-DOH<br>Review    | Care<br>Management<br>- Medication |               |              |
|   |  |  |   |                            |                        | Ello                               |               |              |
| Detail  | 2018   | 11/19/2018   | Direct<br>Admission   | 20180356                   | Event-Facility<br>Edit | Environmental<br>- Fall            | >             |              |
|   |  |  |   |                            |                        | Care                               |               |              |
| <u>Detail</u>   | 2018   | 10/15/2018   |   | 20180348                   | Review                 | Management                         |               |              |



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| Logged in as                      |   | HOME | ADD EVENT | VIEW EVENTS V | RESOURCES | •     | Admin | - |
|-----------------------------------|---|------|-----------|---------------|-----------|-------|-------|---|
| Click <u>HEF</u> Click <u>HEF</u> | <u>E</u> to send DOH a comment<br><u>E</u> to see the Communication L |      |           |               |           |       |       |   |
| Initial Event                     | Root Cause Analysis   |      |           |               |           |       |       |   |
| Report Menu:                      | Under Review  |      |           |               |           |       |       |   |
| <b>Report Number:</b>             | 20180356  |      |           |               |           |       |       |   |
| Event Classificati                | on: Environmental - Fall  |      |           |               | Print S   | creer | n     |   |



# **Patient Safety Reporting System**

## **III. Event Review by PSRS**

- 1. Automated e-mail sent to PSRS when Event is submitted
- **2.** PSRS reviews the Event



- 3. When PSRS makes a determination about the event, an email will be sent to the FacAdmin
  - A determination has been made on this event. Please log into the Patient Safety Reporting System to view the details of the event and respond accordingly.
  - Note: PSRS must be added as a safe sender so PSRS emails do not go to your spam folder
- 4. A Facility User must log into the PSRS to read the Determination, which will be located in the Communication Log for that event, and respond accordingly



**Possible Review Outcomes:** 

- **1.** Reportable RCA Required
- 2. Reportable RCA Not Required
- **3.** Not Reportable
- 4. Less Serious or Near Miss
- **5.** Need More Information



#### **Reportable RCA Required**

- **1.** The Event is subject to the Patient Safety Act and Reporting Requirements
- 2. A root cause analysis (RCA) <u>must</u> be completed by the facility and submitted to PSRS
- **3.** An email is sent to the FacAdmins
  - The RCA Due Date will be provided in the email and can also be located in the Communication Log



**Reportable RCA Required - continued** 

- 4. A Facility User must log into the PSRS to read the Determination, which will be located in the Communication Log for that event.
- 5. There are usually comments from the event reviewer that should be reviewed and addressed when the RCA is submitted.



**Reportable RCA Not Required** 

- **1.** The Event is subject to the Patient Safety Act and Reporting Requirements
- A root cause analysis (RCA) does <u>not</u> need to be completed by the facility

Example: RFO discovered but retained at a different facility

- **3.** An email is sent to the FacAdmins
- 4. A Facility User must log into the PSRS to read the Determination, which will be located in the communication log for that event
- 5. There may be comments from the event reviewer which should be reviewed



#### **Not Reportable**

- **1.** PSRS recommends internal analysis
- 2. A root cause analysis (RCA) does not need to be submitted to PSRS
- 3. An email is sent to the FacAdmins
- 4. A Facility User must log into the PSRS to read the Determination, which will be located in the communication log for that event
- 5. There may be comments from the event reviewer which should be reviewed



**Less Serious or Near Miss** 

- **1.** PSRS recommends internal analysis
- 2. A root cause analysis (RCA) does not need to be submitted to PSRS
- 3. An email is sent to the FacAdmins
- 4. A Facility User must log into the PSRS to read the Determination, which will be located in the communication log for that event
- 5. There may be comments from the event reviewer which should be reviewed



**Need More Information** 

- 1. PSRS makes comments to determine the status of the event
- 2. An email is sent to the FacAdmins
- 3. A Facility User must log into the PSRS and open the event to read the comments and respond accordingly



**Need More Information - continued** 

- 4. Comments can be accessed by:
  - A comment link in the event
    - Only visible in sections of the event with PSRS comments
    - Click on 'Comments' link
  - A link to the comment through the Communication Log
    - Click <u>HERE</u> to see the Communication Log
    - Click <u>HERE</u> to view all comments



**Need More Information -** *continued* 

- 5. Respond to all comments *by editing* the event
  - Click on 'Edit' in the section(s) with the Comments
  - Provide responses to the comments/questions
  - The description of the event is an unlimited text field
- 6. Resubmit the event to PSRS
  - Click on 'Save' to keep the changes
  - Click on the 'Submit Event' tab to resend the event to PSRS
- 7. There may be more than 1 cycle of responding to comments



#### **Comment Link in Event**

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| Edit  |   | Comments  |
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|   | If event date is unknown, check here      | e 1800=6:00PM), if not<br>known, enter<br>'unknown' |
| Date any<br>healthcare<br>professional<br>discovered the<br>event | 11/20/2018                                | Discovery Time in<br>Military (e.g<br>0200=2:00AM)  |
| How was the e   | vent discovered? 🥹                        | Report by staff/physician                           |
| In what unit di   | d the event occur?                        | Med/Surg T  |
| In what locatio   | on did the event occur?                   | Patient Room  |



#### **Comment Link in Event**

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**Communications Log** 

| NJHealth<br>New Jersey<br>Department of Health Patient Safety Rep            | orting S | ystem    |
|--|----------|----------|
| Logged in as:  | HOME     | ADD EVEN |
| Click HERE to send DOH a comment     Click HERE to see the Communication Log |          |          |
| Initial Event Root Cause Analysis  |          |          |



#### **Communications Log**





#### **Communications Log**

Communication Log

**Communication Log** 

Click HERE to view all comments

| Added by | Date       | Communication Type  | Description  |
|----------|------------|---------------------|--|
|          | 11/25/2018 | Event Determination | Report Number:20180356<br>Email Text Sent to Facility: A determination has been made on this event. Please log into the Patient Safety Reporting System to view the<br>details of the event and respond accordingly.'<br>Event Determination:Need More Information<br>Your event has been received by the Patient Safety Reporting System. Additional information is needed to determine the status of this event.<br>Please click on the word "comments" provided by PSRS and make appropriate changes.           |
|          | 11/25/2018 | Email:Other         | Report Number: 20180356<br>Email Text Sent to Facility. There is a new comment available from the Patient Safety Reporting System. Please log into the web based<br>system and check the Communication Log to review the comment and respond accordingly.'<br>Reviewer Comments: 'Thank you for your submission of this event. Please review the Comments in the Event Information section of your<br>Event and respond accordingly.'  |
|          | 11/25/2018 | Event Entry         | Report Number:20180356<br>Email Text Sent to Facility: A new event has been entered. Please log into the Patient Safety Reporting System to view the details of the<br>event.  |
|          | 11/25/2018 | Event Determination | Report Number:20180356         Email Text Sent to Facility: 'A determination has been made on this event. Please log into the Patient Safety Reporting System to view the details of the event and respond accordingly.'         Event Determination:Need More Information         Your event has been received by the Patient Safety Reporting System. Additional information is needed to determine the status of this event. Please click on the word "comments" provided by PSRS and make appropriate changes. |



#### **Edit the Event**

|   |                      | Eve       | nt Information  |      |  |
|---|----------------------|-----------|---|------|--|
| Edit  | 11/20/2018           | heck here | Comments<br>Enter Event Time in<br>Military (e.g<br>1800=6:00PM), if not<br>known, enter<br>'unknown' | 0100 |  |
| Date any<br>healthcare<br>professional<br>discovered the<br>event | 11/20/2018           |           | Discovery Time in<br>Military (e.g<br>0200=2:00AM)  | 0100 |  |
| How was the ev  | ent discovered? 🤨    | R         | port by staff/physician   | T    |  |
| In what unit did  | the event occur?     | Μ         | ed/Surg   | T    |  |
| In what location  | did the event occur? | P         | tient Room  |      |  |



#### **Edit Event**





# **Patient Safety Reporting System**

## **IV.** Other Communication about the Event

#### **Communication <u>from</u> PSRS**

 FacAdmins receive notification via email there is a communication from PSRS

#### **1.** General Comment or Email:Other

There is a new comment available from the Patient Safety Reporting System. Please log into the web based system and check the Communication Log to review the comment and respond accordingly

#### **2.** Access Communications by

Communication Log - General Comment or Email:Other



#### **Communications Log**

| N.J.Health<br>New Jersey Department of Health Patient Safety R                      | eporting S | ystem    |
|---|------------|----------|
| Logged in as:   | HOME       | ADD EVEN |
| Click HERE to send DOH a comment     Click <u>HERE</u> to see the Communication Log | >          |          |
| Initial Event Root Cause Analysis   |            |          |



#### **General Comment**





## **Communication** <u>to</u> **PSRS**

- PSRS will receive email notification that there is a communication from the facility about a specific event
- Be sure to send communication for the correct event number
- **1.** General Comment
- **2.** Respond to PSRS Comment
- **3.** Send Communication through the Communication Log



#### **Communications Log**





#### **Communications Log**

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| Please get back to me with any questions regarding the event I just submitted. |     |
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# **Patient Safety Reporting System**

## Review

- **1.** Use "Resource" menu to review standard and event specific questions
- **2.** Enter Initial Event information *including how the event impacted the patient*
- **3.** PSRS reviews Event and responds with next step
- **4.** Review PSRS comments and respond accordingly



# **Patient Safety Reporting System**

## Next Module

- I. Preparing to Enter Root Cause Analysis and Action Plan
- II. Enter Root Cause Analysis and Action Plan
- III. PSRS review of RCA
- **IV.** Other Communications about RCA

