SafeCare BridgingLife

Note: Be sure to select the BridgingLife SafeCare Portal to begin entering an event.
Make sure the location is designated as BridgingLife and the department is the Team for which the event is being entered.

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Please Note: All fields are not required to be completed for each event type. However, it is important to complete as many fields as possible (with the available information) for each event entry to help support closing the loop on the safety event.

Fall

Witnessed/unwitnessed and assisted/unassisted patient falls occurring in homes, facilities, IPUs and other locations.

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[Fall]

Was the Fall Observed?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] Unknown

Did the patient sustain a physical injury as a result of the fall?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] Unknown

Prior to the fall, what was the patient doing or trying to do?

--None--

Prior to the fall, was a fall risk assessment documented?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] Unknown

Time since last Fall Assessment

--None--

Fall Score

- [ ] Low
- [ ] Moderate
- [ ] High

Was the patient determined to be at increased risk for a fall?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] Unknown

Infection

Any infection identified on admission or following admission regardless of if the patient is being treated for the infection. This includes but is not limited to UTI, respiratory, skin/wound, GI, and systemic infections, as well as, Central line-associated bloodstream infection (CLABSI), Catheter-associated urinary tract infection (CAUTI), Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), Clostridium difficile (CDIFF), Surgical site infection (SSI)."


[Infection]

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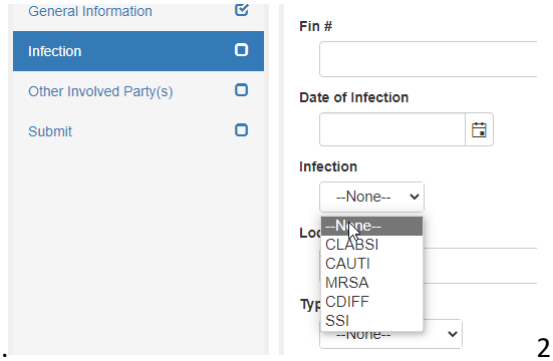

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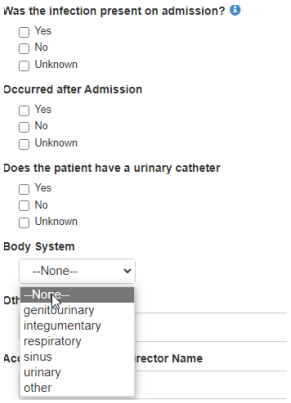
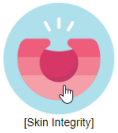


Skin Integrity

Patients identified to have a Stage II or greater wound on admission or following admission.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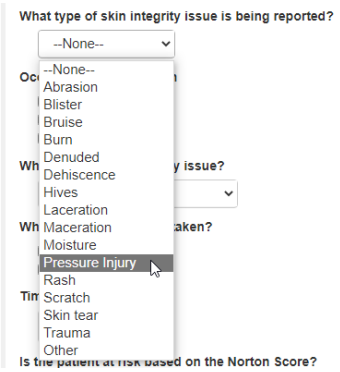
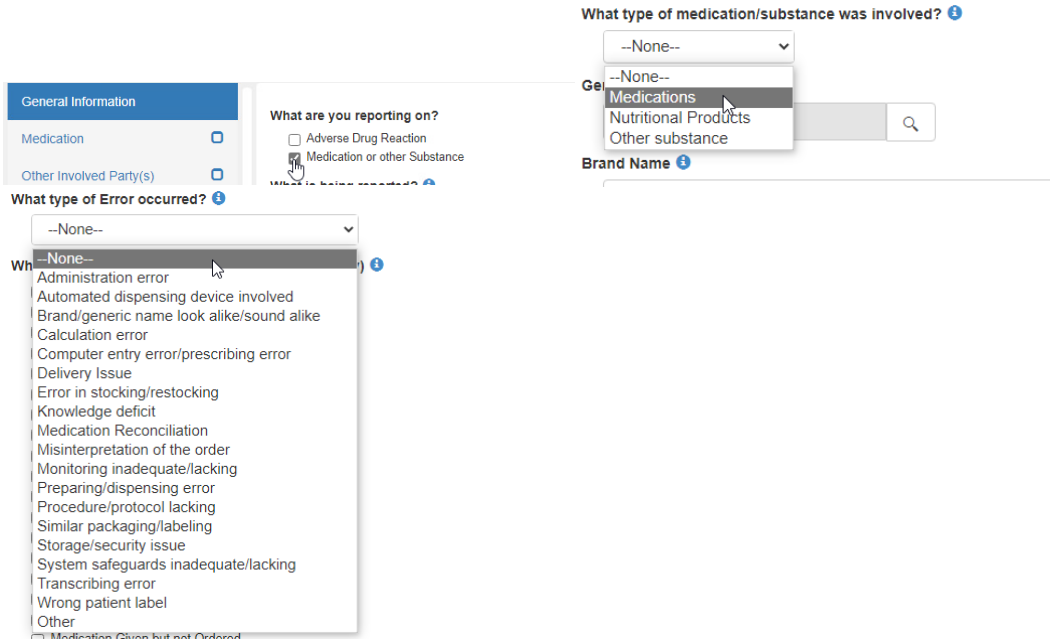


Medication Event

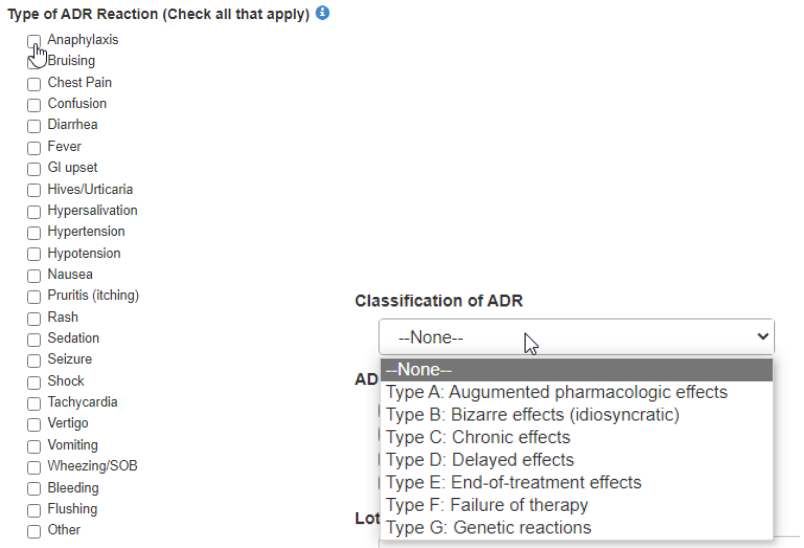
Including dose errors, wrong medication, medication reconciliation, delivery, and labeling errors, adverse or suspected adverse drug reactions.

[Medication Event]

You can identify the Medication/Substance involved, as well as the various errors to report out Medication Events.



When you answer the Adverse Drug Reaction within the Medication Event you will be able to report ADR specific events.



IV Related

Intravenously infused-medication adverse events including extravasation.

Events related to IV infiltrates or extravasation can be reported using IV Related Event Type.

[IV Related]

Document the following attributes to describe the adverse event.

Skin Appearance
- [ ] Normal
- [ ] Blanched
- [ ] Translucent
- [ ] Discoloration

Skin Temperature
- [ ] Cool
- [ ] Hot
- [ ] Normal
- [ ] Warm

Swelling
- [ ] Normal
- [ ] Mild (< 2cm)
- [ ] Moderate (> 2cm)
- [ ] Severe (> 3cm)

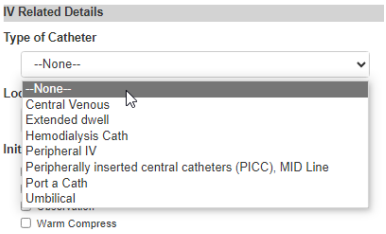
Blistering/Ulceration
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Pain Level
- [ ] None
- [ ] Mild
- [ ] Moderate
- [ ] Severe

Altered Sensation
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

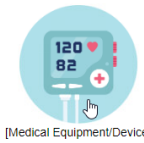
Decreased Perfusion
- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Identify the IV Details.



Medical Equipment/Device

Implantable devices, medical/surgical supply, reusable instrumentation.



[Medical Equipment/Device]

What type of device was involved in the event or unsafe condition?

Medical/surgical supply

What type of problem occurred?

--None--
--None--
Defects
Failure to work as intended/malfunction
Instructions
Interaction with other devices
Labeling
Packaging
Software problems
Sterilization Problem
Use error
Other

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What type of device was involved in the event or unsafe condition?

Monitoring System

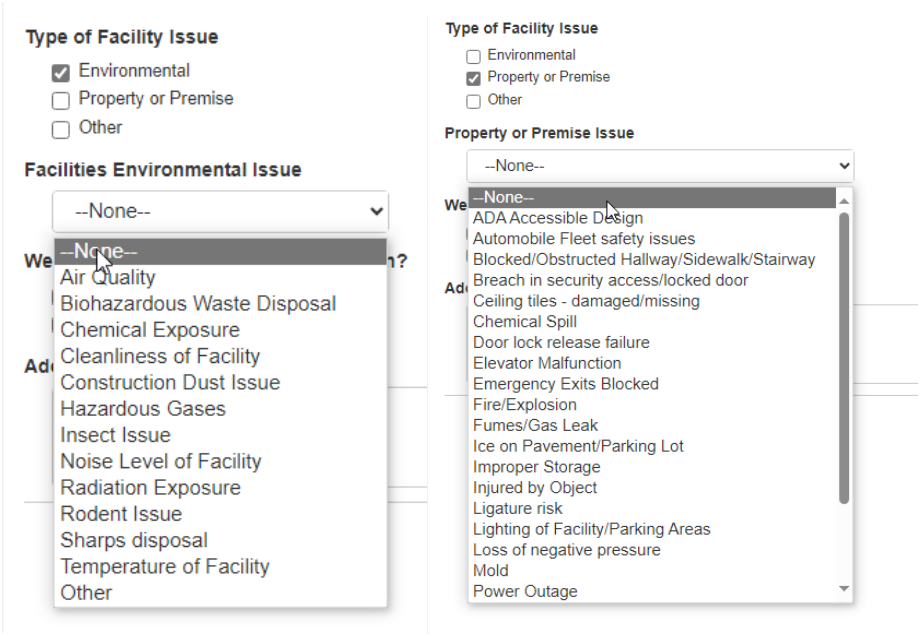
What type of monitoring issue

--None--
--None--
Design flaw
Device lacked battery when unplugged
Device turned off.
Free-flow of fluid
Inadvertent connection to wrong device
Lack of visible or audible warning alarms
Misuse
Tampered
Wrong setting set on machine
Other

Facilities Related

Environmental (air quality, noise, etc.) Property or Premise (fire/explosion, chemical spill, water leak/flood.


[Facilities Related]



Privacy/Confidentiality

Improper access, use and/or disclosure of patient health information, insufficient safeguards, patient rights violated, minimum necessary disclosure.

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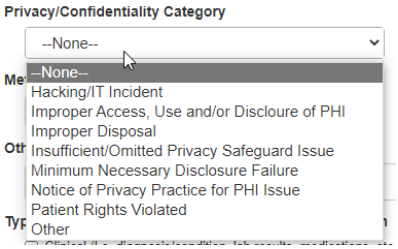

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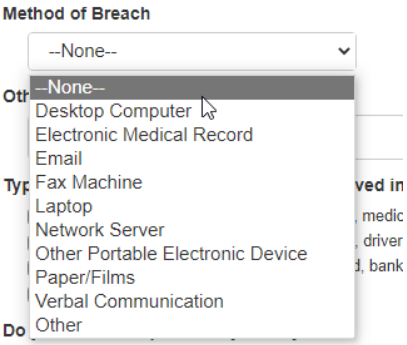

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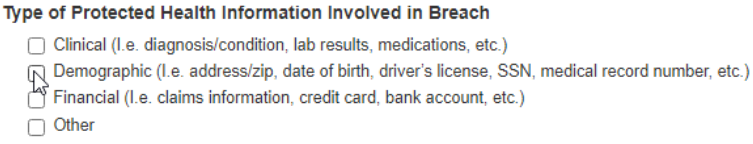
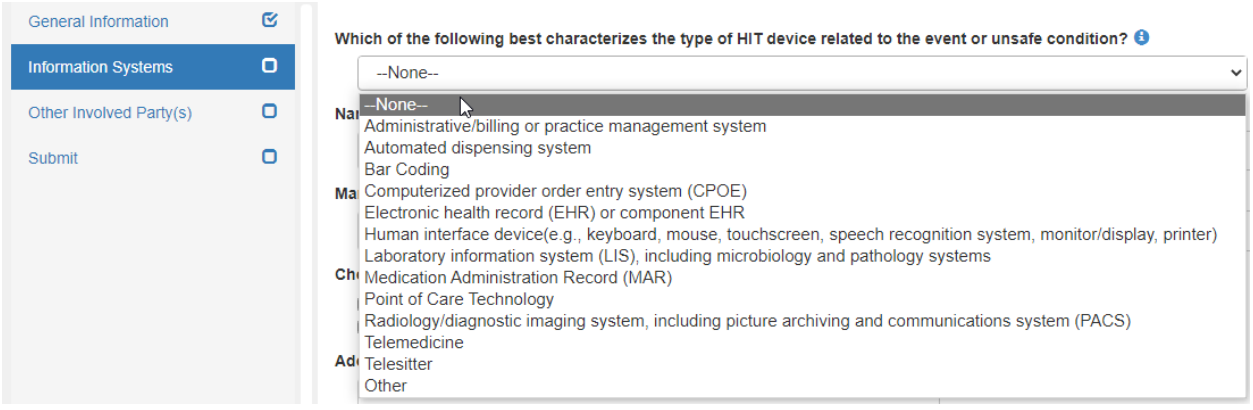


Information Systems

Health Information Systems such as EHR/EMR (defect, malfunction, operational/error, etc.)



Other

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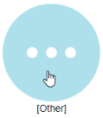
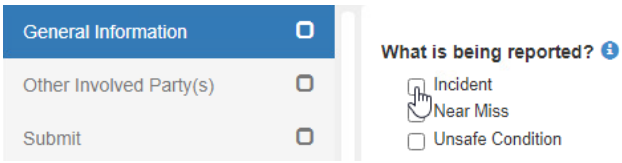
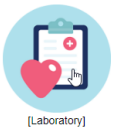
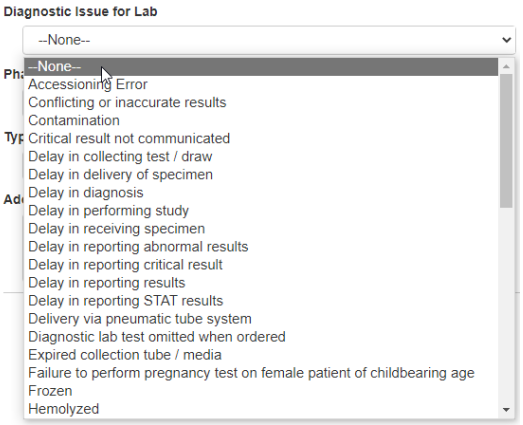


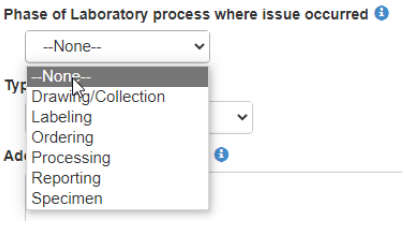


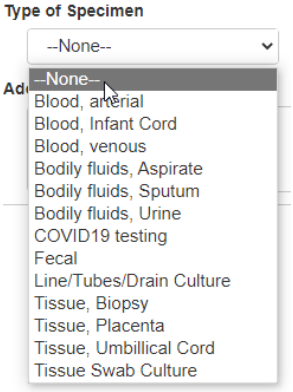
Laboratory

Lost/mislabeled/unlabeled, wrong patient/specimen/test performed, critical/abnormal results not reported, no/wrong order, etc.



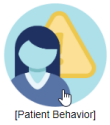
1. 

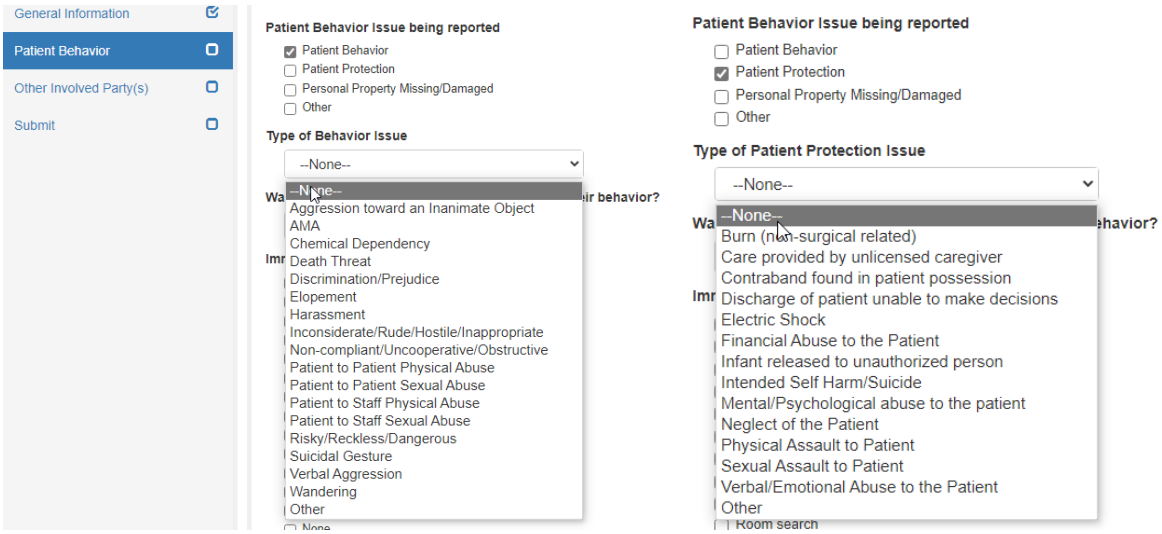
2. 

3. 

Patient Behavior

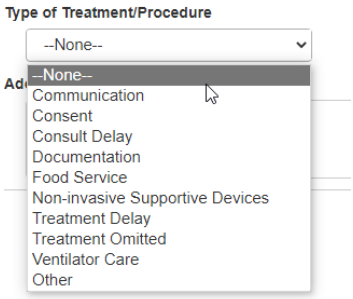
Behavior by the patient (harassment, verbal aggression, wandering, etc.)





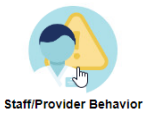
Treatment/Procedure

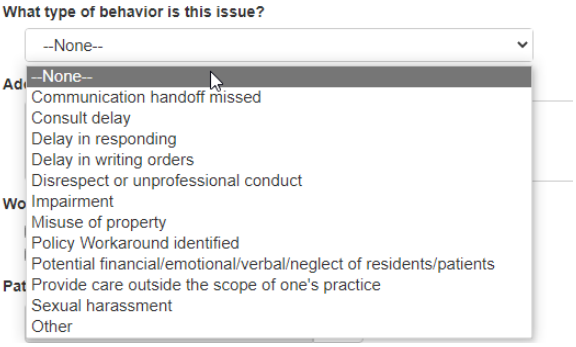
Consent/Documentation issues, nutrition, other.



Staff/Provider Behavior

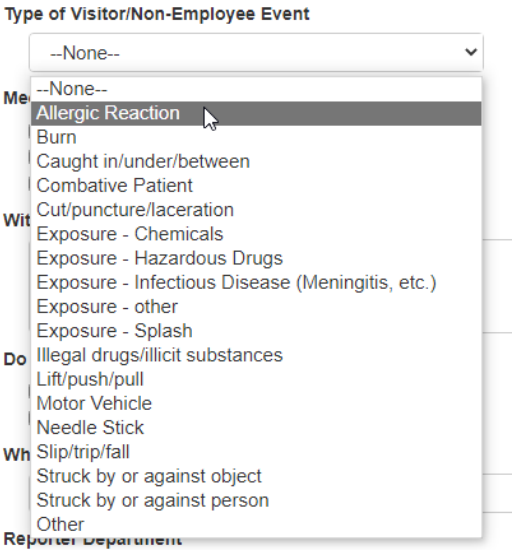
Staff conducts concerns involving: MD, OD, resident/fellow, NP, RN, etc. and other similar positions.





Visitor Event

Report incidents involving visitors.



Controlled Substance Event

Narcotic events involving loss/missing medication, not charted, dispensing cabinet discrepancy, wrong patient.