




Anonymous Reporting

All information submitted is confidential. Under the MCARE Act of 2002, Section 308(c), Healthcare workers who report serious events to the Patient Safety Authority through the anonymous reporting process are protected by the Whistleblower Law (P.L. 1559).

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Optional Follow-up

It is not necessary to identify yourself to submit a report, but doing so will enable us to get more detail if there are any follow-up questions. **We will not disclose your name to anyone.** May we contact you to clarify any aspect of your report?

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____
Email: _____
Cell: _____

Provide as much information as possible. Print or type in black ink in the spaces provided. If you need more space, print or type on an additional page and attach it to the form for submission.

	Yes	No
Are you a healthcare worker who works in the facility where the event occurred?		
Did the patient suffer harm or death resulting from clinical care given in your facility?		
Did you or someone else file a report in your facility in accordance with your facility's Patient Safety Plan?		

If you answered "No" to any of the above questions, do not use this form. You can submit a complaint to the Department of Health at <http://www.health.pa.gov/facilities/Consumers/Complaints/Pages/default.aspx>.



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Who was harmed?

Patient's Gender: Male Female

Patient's Age: Years
(Infants only) Months

When?

Date: Time:

Where?

Facility Name:

City:

Location in Facility (e.g., ED, OR, NICU, patient room):

What was the outcome?

This event contributed to or resulted in which of the following (select one)?

Temporary Harm

Permanent Harm

Near-death Event

Patient Death

What happened?

Describe the event. If necessary, continue onto an additional page and attach it to the final submission. When the report is complete, submit by mail or email to the Patient Safety Authority.