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Leading Practice Library
An online library of solutions to help with safety and quality challenges
The Leading Practice Library is a complimentary tool available to organizations that are currently accredited or certified by The Joint Commission. The documents in the Library are real life solutions that have been successfully implemented by health care organizations and reviewed by Joint Commission standards experts. The Library is built from solutions that organizations have contributed that support safety and quality care. By accessing the Library link, which is located on each accredited organization’s extranet page, users can browse through specific topics of interest. The documents are cross-referenced to the corresponding chapters in the Joint Commission manuals.

The Library’s information is ever-changing as documents are continuously posted. Topics run the gamut of health care issues and cut across many care settings. To help us make the library even better, we are encouraging organizations to contribute their own leading practices.

Sample topic ideas:

- suicide risk or trauma screening
- treatment planning
- home visit staff safety
- staff training
- medication self-administration education
- emergency preparedness
- children and youth parent involvement
- managing waiting lists
- your topic?
There’s even a tutorial function that allows organizations to walk through the Library with guided steps for utilizing the tool.

Download ideas that are appropriate for your organization.
Accessing the Library
Go to your organization’s secure extranet site and click on Leading Practice Library

Questions?
We’re here to help.
Email us at leadingpracticesupport@jointcommission.org

Submitting Your Organization’s Leading Practice
We welcome the opportunity to add your organization’s leading practices. This is an opportunity to share with your peers the efforts your organization has made and accomplishments you’ve achieved. Click on “Submit A Document” on the Leading Practice Library site and you’ll be able to send your submission(s) for review.

We thank you for contributing to the success of this tool!

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