



Common Areas For Improvement in ASCs

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List of common errors / deficiencies

1. **Compliance Program** – no one has been identified as the compliance officer and no education provided.
2. **Operating Room Register** - incomplete.
3. **Infection Control Program** - no one is identified as the IC officer and no education provided
4. **Quality Assessment / Performance Improvement** - lack of committee, function
5. **Contract Services** – not included in the quality program
6. **Financial Interest** – patients not notified prior to day of procedure
7. **Flash Sterilization** – over use due to lack of instruments
8. **Pain Assessment and Reassessment** - not always documented using the pain scale
9. **Competencies** - have not been completed.
10. **Patient Rights Document** - often missing some of the required rights and may not be posted or given to the patient.

QUESTIONS?

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