

# How missing diagnoses are impacting emergency departments



## THE BIG 3

Just 3 diagnostic errors account for nearly 75% of all serious harm to patients

Misdiagnosed Cancers  
**37.8%**

Vascular Events  
**22.8%**

Infections  
**13.5%**

Half of the most-severe harm cases ended in adverse impact

What's the cost of a diagnostic error?

**\$1.8B**

2015



\$1.8 billion in malpractice payouts between 2006 and 2015

2006

What if documentation guidance could help improve the emergency department risk profile?



Real-time advice and guidance can help to align physician practice patterns and compliance.



Clinical alignment around the highest risks is proven to result in a reduction of medical claims and errors.

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