

## Introduction

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**Patient Safety Research Center as the first and the only safety center in Iran has received the principle approval from the health ministry on the first day of November in 2012**

**The patient safety research center`s goal is to eliminate preventable harm to patients and to achieve the best patient outcomes at the lowest cost possible, and then to share knowledge of how to achieve this goal with the world. This center is contributing to improving patient safety and the quality of healthcare services.**