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| Definition: | Any harmful event befalling a patient while in the care of the health system. Such an event may be the result of professional negligence, systems failure, mistakes, fatigue or other causes. |

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| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Reference documents: | Harris P, Nagy S, Vardaxis N (editors) 2010. Mosby’s Dictionary of Medicine, Nursing & Health Professions, 2nd Australian and New Zealand Edition. NSW: Mosby Elsevier page 49 |
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angiography](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/612081)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 12/09/2016  [Adverse event grade](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/467445)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 04/02/2015  [Bowel cancer diagnostic assessment adverse event code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/532866)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/08/2014  [Cancer treatment—treatment complication outcome](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/581128)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 06/02/2015  [Cancer treatment—treatment complication outcome, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/467416)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 04/02/2015  [Date of adverse event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/594093)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 04/02/2015  [Health service event—adverse event grade](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/467447)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 04/02/2015  [Health service event—adverse event grade, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/467449)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 04/02/2015  [Immediate/short term treatment complication indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/581057)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 14/05/2015  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2014-18](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/529201)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 06/09/2018  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2018–19](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/694107)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2019–20](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/707481)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 16/01/2020  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2020–21](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/715323)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2021  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2021–22](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/727407)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 17/12/2021  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2022–23](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/742048)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 09/12/2022  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2023–24](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/756105)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 09/12/2022  [National Bowel Cancer Screening Program performance indicators 2014–2018](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/533361)  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