

OUR SAFETY CULTURE: POWERED BY MEERKATS

National Patient Safety Goals #2 - Improve Staff Communication



This month, our purple meerkats are on a mission: Make every message count. NPSG #2 reminds us that clear, timely, and accurate communication is essential to patient safetyespecially during handoffs and test result reporting.

In our latest video, the meerkats show us how SBAR, read-back, and repeat-back tools help everyone stay on the same page (and avoid near misses).

> **Use SBAR** Confirm test results Double-check critical info

Because when it comes to safety-missing a word can mean missing a step.

Safety isn't solo. It takes every one of us.



Meerkats Don't Miss a Word

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