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More than a test for illicit drugs: Utilization of urine drug tests to guide patient care

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Clinicians are faced with a number of challenges on a daily basis. When treating patients, they are tasked with evaluating medication safety and effectiveness, assessing medication adherence and identifying medication diversion. In some cases, the effectiveness of medications can easily be observed by simple physical assessment e.g., ACE inhibitors and blood pressure. In other instances, however, treatment relies heavily on patient response to subjective rating scales. Treatment with analgesics and anti-depressants are prime examples.

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Safety in Numbers: Improving Diagnosis Through Teamwork

Laura M. Cascella, MA, CPHRM

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Written by Brett Morgan

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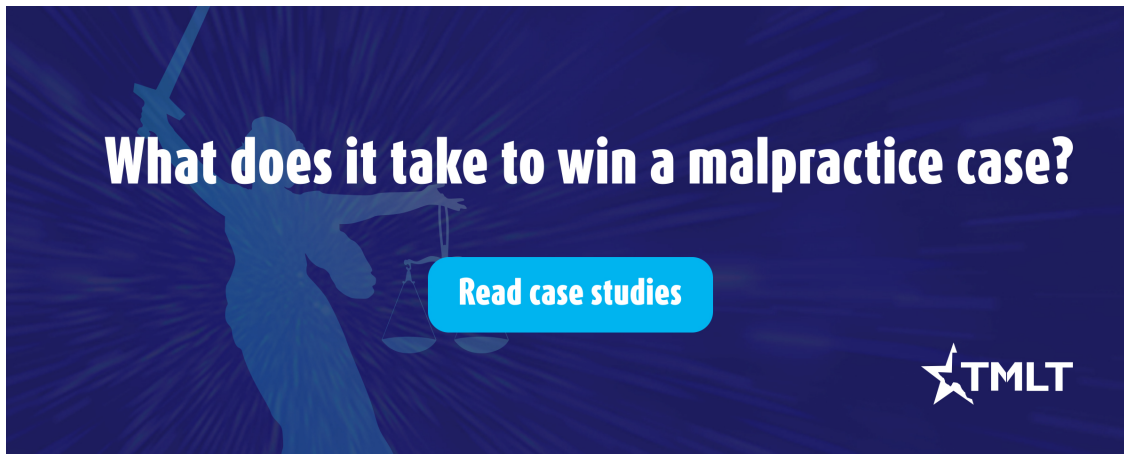
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