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## Commitment to Action Letter – Patient Safety Movement Foundation

The Society for the Advancement of Blood Management, Inc. (SABM®) is happy to announce their support of the Patient Safety Movement Foundation (PSMF) and mission to eliminate preventable deaths by 2020 (0X2020).

SABM is a multi-disciplinary professional society comprised of a global network of medical practitioners and healthcare administrators committed to improving health outcomes, increasing patient safety, and reducing healthcare costs through the advancement of scientific knowledge and practice in Patient Blood Management. SABM advances best practices to thousands of healthcare providers through continuing medical education programs and development of learning tools and evidence based clinical pathways.

As a committed organization, the Society for the Advancement of Blood Management will demonstrate alliance with PSMF by the following:

- Spread the mission of eliminating preventable patient deaths in hospitals
- Annually disseminate Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS) to Society for the Advancement of Blood Management members
- Ask hospital organizations working with the Society for the Advancement of Blood Management to make their own commitments to a patient safety initiative or process, whether it can be aligned with the Patient Safety Movement Foundation's 13 Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS) or an alternative challenge they wish to share with the Movement's network of likeminded individuals.
- Determine expert participants from the Society for the Advancement of Blood Management team to be involved in APSS workgroups (*i.e. Anemia and Transfusion workgroup*)

We at the Society for the Advancement of Blood Management, Inc are excited to announce this commitment.

On behalf of the SABM Board of Directors,

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