

**Applied Medical
Commitment to Action**

Applied Medical is pleased to announce our support of the Patient Safety Movement Foundation (PSMF) and its mission to eliminate preventable deaths by 2020 (OX2020).

Our unyielding commitment to improve patient safety and outcomes is driven by our mission to make a meaningful, positive difference. Achieving this mission begins with a consistent commitment to innovation and the belief that we are responsible for satisfying healthcare's most fundamental needs:

- Enhanced clinical outcomes
- Improved value
- Unrestricted choice


To demonstrate our alliance with PSMF, Applied Medical will commit to the following:

1. Spread the mission of OX2020 to Applied Medical team members.
2. Be open to participating in the PSMF's Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS) workgroups and help to identify subject matter experts who may be able to contribute on synergistic topics.
3. Maintain stopsurgicalsiteinfection.com, which provides free access to research, resources, data and education beneficial to help stop surgical site infections.
4. Maintain tamissurgery.com, which provides educational content for patients regarding less-invasive surgical treatment for rectal conditions.
5. Further the reach of our GRIPSM Quality Improvement Program, which provides guidance and project management for hospitals in their implementation of quality improvement programs to reduce preventable harm.
6. Continue to develop and invest in our line of Alexis[®] wound protectors and systems, which reduce superficial surgical site infections following colorectal surgeries.
7. Continue to develop and invest in our Simsei[®] Simulation training platforms and hands-on clinical education courses, which facilitate surgical skills development for improved patient safety and enhanced clinical outcomes.
8. Continue to develop and invest in surgical technologies that advance minimally invasive surgery, which is associated with increased patient safety and better patient outcomes.

Applied Medical strongly supports the mission of the PSMF and our joint commitment to improve patient safety.

Signed,

Applied Medical



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