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## Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation Commitment to Action

The Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation is pleased to announce their support of the Patient Safety Movement Foundation (PSMF) and mission to eliminate preventable deaths in-hospitals.

Our mission is to help prevent medical errors by ensuring that patients and families have the knowledge they need to promote a safe hospital experience for their loved ones, and to support innovative advancements in patient safety. Our greatest hope is that families, patients, and caregivers will work together as a team to improve safety in our hospitals.

As a committed organization, the Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation will demonstrate alliance with PSMF by:

1. Spreading the PSMF's mission and vision to Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation members and network.
2. Participating in the PSMF's Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS) workgroups and helping to identify subject matter experts to contribute to the development of aligned topics. Examples include but are not limited to:
  - a. *Culture of Safety*
  - b. *Medication Safety*
  - c. *Hand-off Communication*
  - d. *Person & Family Engagement*
3. Annually disseminating the PSMF's APSS to Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation members and network.
4. Asking members of the Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation who are leaders working in hospitals to implement APSS, or share their own successful processes, to eliminate preventable deaths. And, make their own commitments to action to the PSMF.
5. Encouraging Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation members and network to submit their own stories to help drive the PSMF's narrative forward.
6. Jointly partnering and supporting projects around related patient safety topics of interest.
7. Staying in touch regarding upcoming events, educational opportunities and speaking engagements pertaining to either parties.

We at the Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation are excited to announce our commitment to improve patient safety.

Signed,

Louise H. Batz Patient Safety Foundation

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