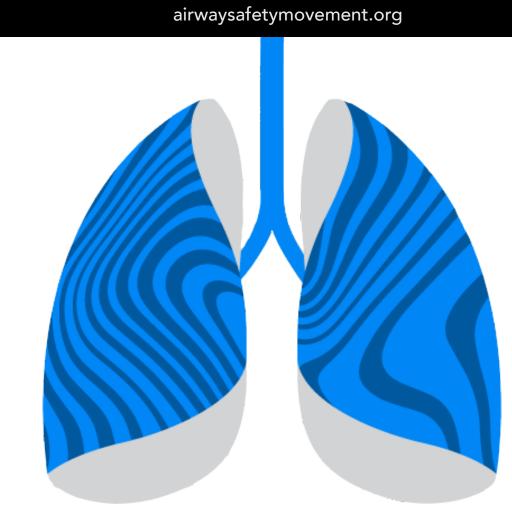
# The True Impact Of Unplanned Extubation



There are

# 33.000 deaths that occur in the U.S. every year that are completely preventable.

These deaths occur as a result of unplanned extubation (UE).

### Unplanned extubation leads to... 33,000 preventable deaths every year

The Impact Of Unplanned Extubation

121,000 unplanned extubation events annually in adult U.S. ICUs alone

Deaths from Firearms\*

36,000 cases of ventilator-associated pneumonia

2x length of stay in ICU

\$4.9 billion in unnecessary healthcare costs

\$41,000 additional cost per unplanned extubation

39,000 /yr

<b>Deaths from Unplanned Extubation</b>	33,000 /yr
Deaths from Catheter Associated Urinary Tract Infections*	13,000 /yr
Deaths from Medication Errors*	7,000 - 9,000 /yr
Deaths from Surgical Site Infections*	8,200 /yr
Deaths from Central Line Associated Blood Stream Infections*	3,600 - 7,800 /yr
Deaths from Opioid Induced Respiratory Depression in Hospital*	3,000 - 5,000 /yr



### Drew Hughes was one of the 33,000 who unnecessarily lost his life in 2013.

The Case That Sparked

### On June 28, 2013, 13-year-old Drew suffered a head injury while skateboarding.

But Drew's legacy lives on. His story inspired a movement...

In 2018...

**A Movement** 

Drew's breathing tube was accidentally removed during transport and not replaced properly. His oxygen levels fell and his heart rate slowed.

In the ER he was awake, alert and appeared to be fine. The doctor ordered a CT scan of his

the Level I Trauma Center and a breathing tube was placed for the transfer by ambulance...

brain and found a possible basilar skull fracture. For Drew's safety, he was to be transferred to

By the time they diverted to a nearby hospital, it was too late. Drew suffered anoxic brain injury and lost his life.

# the campaign to zero.

airway safety movement

 The Patient Safety Movement created the Actionable Patient Safety Solutions (APSS) #8B

In 2015...the Do It For Drew Foundation forms.

to establish best practices for hospitals to use to improve their rate of unplanned extubation.

The Airway Safety Movement forms.

 A Core Data Set for tracking unplanned extubation rates is created.

American College of

Emergency Physicians®

Nurses

In 2019... 19 medical and patient safety and quality improvement organizations joined forces to target preventable deaths from unplanned extubations.

National Association of Neonatal

airway safety

movement



Healthcare

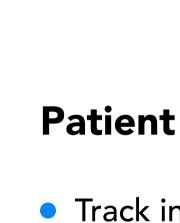
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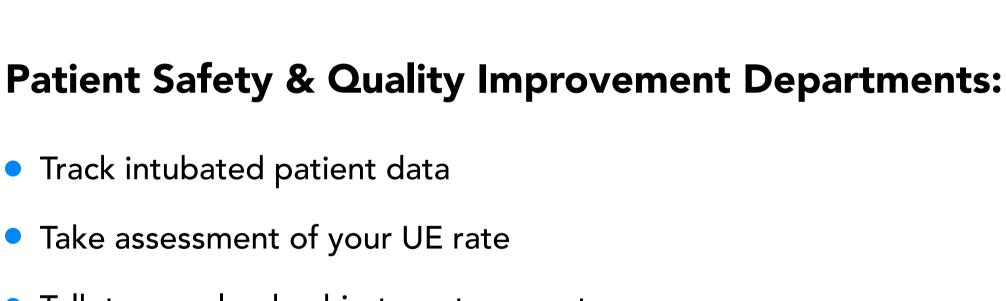


Patient Safety &

**Quality Improvement** 

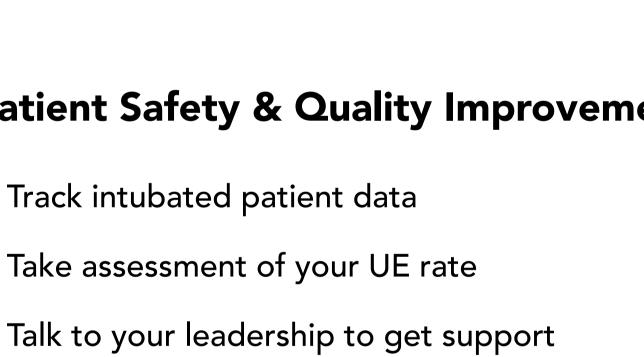
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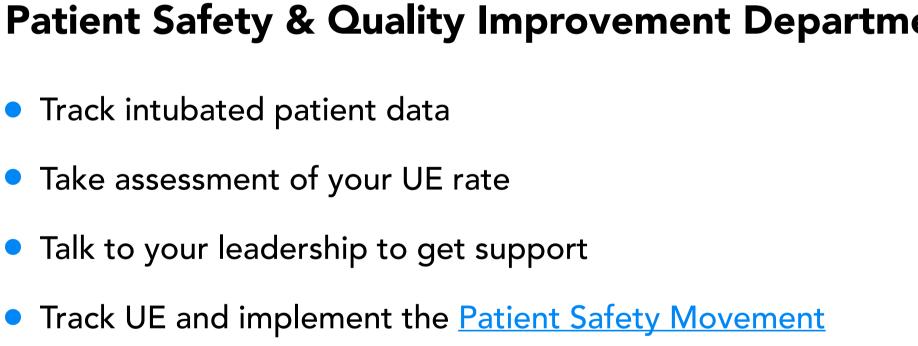
Foundation's APSS #8B

**Providers** 



**Patients & Patient** 

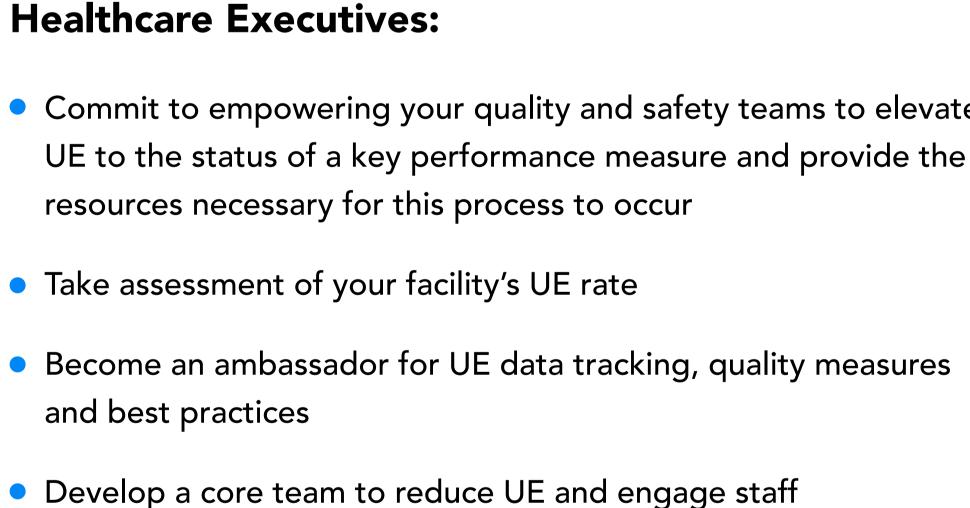
**Advocates** 



**Electronic Health** 

Record (EHR)

**Companies** 



### Commit to empowering your quality and safety teams to elevate

Become a cheerleader of UE best practices and data tracking

- Talk to EHR companies about integrating UE data tracking
- Advocate for the IHI model for improvement

**Providers:** 



### **Electronic Health Record (EHR) Companies:**

Ask your hospital providers how important UE is to them

Ask what quality measures they have in place and how they

**Patients and Patient Advocates:** 

prevent UE from occurring

- Add the Unplanned Extubation Core Data Set to your software Educate system users about UE data tracking and its importance

### Learn more and get involved at <u>airwaysafetymovement.org</u> airway safety

**UE-related deaths.** 

Let's Commit to end

to zero.

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movement

the campaign



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