



MISSED ANTIBIOTIC ORDERS DRAMATICALLY REDUCED WHEN TWO NURSES REVIEW PATIENT CHECKLIST

WHAT THEY DO

Before patients at the surgery center in Colorado are sent to an operating room, a pre-operative nurse and an OR nurse together review a checklist that includes last-minute orders from physicians. Previously, only one nurse reviewed the list. The team rarely misses antibiotic orders now that two nurses review the list.

Missed antibiotic orders

10%



BEFORE

<1%



AFTER

