



Join the SAFEST Project

Improving Patient Safety in Perioperative Care

Introduction

As part of the **EU-funded SAFEST Project**, we are excited to launch the **open phase of the self-evaluation process**—inviting hospitals across Europe and beyond to participate in this important initiative to enhance **patient safety throughout the perioperative journey**.

Participating hospitals will engage in a comprehensive self-evaluation to assess their alignment with perioperative patient safety standards. The process is entirely voluntary and fully supported through expert guidance, training webinars, and a user-friendly interactive digital platform. It also includes performance benchmarking, allowing hospitals to gain insights by comparing their results with peer institutions.

Join our webinar to learn more

Interested in taking part? Start by joining our **introductory webinar** (held in English), where we'll cover:

- Technical requirements
- Key steps for participation
- How to make the most of the SAFEST self-evaluation

Register here & choose the date that works best for you

Several sessions are available, and **additional dates may be scheduled based on interest and demand** to ensure broad participation.

Following your hospital's confirmation, you'll be invited to a second webinar with detailed guidance and tools to complete the self-evaluation.

Scan here



Or click here

Why Participate?

By joining SAFEST, your hospital will:

Assess and strengthen patient safety practices in perioperative care

? Are hospitals using evidence-based systems to identify high-risk surgical patients needing further preoperative assessment?

? Are risk factors like smoking, obesity, diabetes, or anaemia being addressed in primary care before surgery?

Receive **personalized feedback** and **expert recommendations**

Benchmark performance against other hospitals across Europe

Contribute to setting **new safety benchmarks** in healthcare

Learn what works—and what doesn't—to **create** safer surgical environments

See How Other Hospitals Have Benefited

Curious about the impact of participating in the SAFEST project? Explore real-life success stories from hospitals that have already taken part in the initiative.

🔍 **Read the Innovation Spotlights:** <https://safestsurgery.eu/standalone/innovation-spotlights>

These stories highlight the tangible benefits hospitals have experienced through SAFEST—from enhanced safety practices to increased staff engagement and valuable organizational insights.

Learn more

Visit the official SAFEST website for additional information:
<https://safestsurgery.eu/>

We look forward to working with you and your team to improve patient safety across Europe and beyond!



Funded by
the European Union