

Deep learning the psychology of concealing medical accidents and errors.

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The medical community is rife with the practice of hiding accidents and mistakes.

Why does the psychology of hiding accidents/mistakes occur?

- 1) Punishment**
- 2) Compensation**
- 3) Guilt**
- 4) White eyes of those around them**
- 5) Denial of high self-esteem**
- 6) Honor issues**
- 7) Others**

Money and openness in the workplace (= psychological stability) are not enough to fundamentally solve the problem.

In a workplace of strict professionalism and a strong hierarchy, how can we solve the problems of guilt, professional self-esteem, and honor? This is a challenge for all medical education and counseling.

A deeper understanding of the psychology behind the concealment of accidents and errors will help to change the culture of abhorrence in the medical community.