Report calls on doctors to improve care in office-based practices

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American College of Physicians says physicians and other healthcare professionals should work to address physician stress, burnout and organizational culture. More needs to be done to improve patient safety in the outpatient setting, the American College of Physicians says in a new policy paper that offers a set of recommendations aimed at improving patient care in office-based practices. READ MORE

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The finalized Quality Payment Program rule issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services recently maintains its leniency on EHR upgrades for 2018 and
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