Supplemental Digital Content

Table 2: Key Themes Identified in Studies that Connect Workplace Bullying to Patient Safety

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| Theme | Total | 2014  Canada35 | 2013  United States29 | 2013  United States32 | 2012  United States2 | 2010  Australia4 | 2009  United States28 | 2008  United States30 | 2007  United Kingdom27 | 2006  Australia6 | 2005  United States31 | 2005  United States37 |
| Patient satisfaction/ complaints | 2 | X |  |  | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Silences or inhibits communication | 5 |  | X | X | X |  | X |  |  |  |  | X |
| Altered thinking/ concentration | 2 |  |  |  | X |  |  |  | X |  |  |  |
| Adverse event/ patient mortality | 4 | X |  |  | X |  |  | X |  |  | X |  |
| Delayed care | 1 |  |  |  |  | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Error in treatment or medication | 6 |  | X | X |  | X |  | X |  | X | X |  |
| Patient falls | 1 |  |  |  |  | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |