Table 2 Physicians' practice concerning medical error reporting in their hospital Statement Don't know Don't agree Agree The practice in this hospital allow for a fair treatment when reporting medical errors 60.8 13.7 25.5 I do not report the error if I think the patient is not harmed 49.0 8.8 42.2 I try to report a medical error because reporting might prevent further complications to the patient 84.6 2.8 12.6 I feel comfortable to ask for help or support from my colleagues or peers concerning medical errors 69.9 11.7 18.4 I have the opportunity to discuss and receive feedback about my work performance with other staff 77.0 14.0 9.0 The system in my hospital including policy and procedure is good at minimizing occurrence of medical errors 72.412.415.2 Expectations of medical staff in my workplace subject them to constant pressure that increases chances of errors 23.1 20.2 56.7 Medical staff feel like their mistakes are held against them when an event is reported 30.5 14.3 55.2 Reporting medical errors has led to positive changes 56.4 19.8 23.8 Chairman and directors provide adequate support when problems arise 67.9 15.1 170 Chairman and directors encourage staff to find positive solutions when problems arise 10.3 68.9 20.8 We are given feedback about changes put into place based on event and errors reported 50.0 25.0 25.0We have effective mechanisms of reporting medical errors 57.6 21.7 20.7 When it comes to reporting medical errors, things are quite disorganized in my workplace 25.229.1 45.7 Staff roles and responsibilities in responding to medical errors and other

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safety related issues are clearly laid out in their job descriptions

errors and other safety-related issues

This hospital promotes itself as an organization that responds to medical

This hospital is receptive to staff ideas and suggestions regarding medical errors