Interviews, rounds and checklists play a key role in maintaining a safe and pleasant environment of care. Environment of care is comprised of the following three main areas:

1. The building or space, including how it is arranged and the special features that protect patients, visitors and staff.
2. Equipment used to support patient care or to safely operate the building or space.
3. People, including those who work within the hospital, other patients and anyone else who enters the environment, all of whom have a role in minimizing risks.

SAMPLE EOC ROUND ON PATIENT ROOM

(If patient is present) Hi. My name is _____ and I am the _____ here at _____. I am rounding today to ensure that we are providing a very good room for you. Please complete the checklist below.

Other EOC checklists examples: Medications, Safety and Confidentiality, Crash Carts/Emergency Carts, Infection Control, Security, etc. Open an issue and assign to the appropriate person if you cannot fix the issue at this point in time.

QUESTION SET

1. Call light functional
2. Clock functional
3. Phone functional
4. TV functional
5. Internet connection functional
6. Room tidy
7. Bathroom tidy
8. Call bell in bathroom functional
9. Medical equipment plugged into electrical outlets
10. Emergency outlets used for critical equipment
11. No tubes or drains touching the floor
12. Hand sanitizer in room
13. No linen on floors
14. Trash bins not full
15. Housekeeping chemicals appropriately stored, labeled and contained