

Navigating the complex terrain of the behavioral health patient

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Limiting violence by behavioral health patients requires understanding of the causes along with planning, leadership, and training. Many helpful resources are available.

United States, one in five adults

people [2]. Although a signif

He finally grabs a nurse in the

ROOTS OF VIOLENCE

Industry Guidelines Handbook,

*Security Design
Guidelines for Healthcare Facilities* includes specific design

ED and areas designed specific

*IAHSS Industry Guidelines
Handbook*

*Guidelines
to Preventing Workplace Violence for Healthcare and Social
Service Workers.*

**PROPER PLANNING
IS FOUNDATIONAL**

References

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Modern Healthcare.

security officers are included