

UpToDate Anywhere for Institutions



Why is UpToDate the leading choice for clinical decision support?

UpToDate is the premium evidence-based clinical decision support resource, used in more than 32,000 institutions worldwide, accessible online by computer or mobile device. Over the past 20 years, it has become one of the most used medical information resources in the world.

Ask a hospital why UpToDate is the most widely used clinical decision support resource and you'll likely learn UpToDate has a proven positive impact on outcomes and clinician adoption rates are high. UpToDate is associated with reducing the cost of care and improving hospital quality across several key metrics, including shorter length of stay, reduced complication rates and increased patient safety.

Ask a doctor why UpToDate is the most widely used resource and you'll likely be told that UpToDate gives them fast, easy access to the highest quality clinical information to make diagnosis and treatment decisions at the point of care.

UpToDate Anywhere gives clinicians access to UpToDate medical content through award winning Mobile Apps, their EHR system, or their clinical portal. Clinicians may also accrue continuing education credits with every clinical question researched onsite or remotely.

More than **32,000**
medical institutions worldwide
use **UpToDate**

*"Having UpToDate is
of great value for
Seoul National
University Hospital.
Our clinicians have
really embraced
it — to the benefit
of our patients."*

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Physicians in
180 countries
use UpToDate regularly

*Our authors are
experts in their fields.*

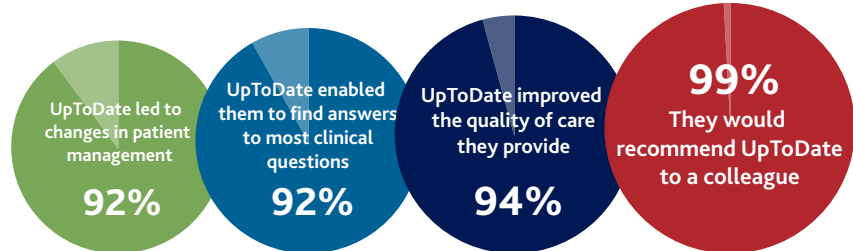
*Dr. Stuart Spechler,
who writes our topic on
Barrett's Esophagus, is world
renowned for his expertise
in this condition and has
published over 120 studies on
Barrett's Esophagus alone.*

*Our authors are both
academic leaders and
practicing clinicians.*

Doctors around the globe trust UpToDate to answer their clinical questions quickly.

Doctors understand the power and knowledge that UpToDate offers. Show a doctor who has never used UpToDate how to find answers to a clinical question and their excitement is obvious. In multiple surveys and studies, doctors have reaffirmed that UpToDate is a trusted resource that helps them provide better patient care.

Subscriber survey respondents said:



UpToDate Individual Subscriber Survey, October 2014, N=15,992

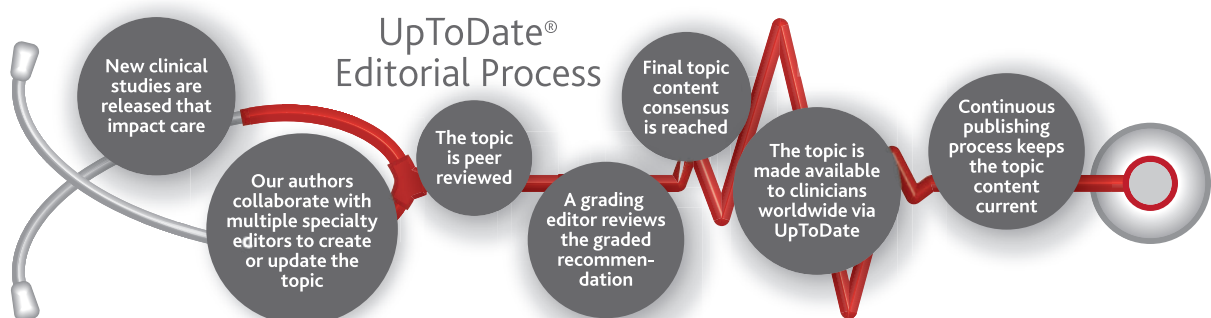
Before UpToDate, finding the highest quality, evidence-based clinical information at the point of care was difficult.

Doctors need help sifting through all the evidence and keeping up with new information.

That is where UpToDate comes in: we synthesize the evidence and provide original topic reviews. Other clinical decision support systems merely provide bulleted summaries of individual studies or an electronic library of texts and journals, which are not useful at the point of care. In contrast, UpToDate places the new information in context and provides graded, evidence-based treatment recommendations.

More than 6,300 doctors from 49 countries, all of whom are leading experts in their fields, serve as UpToDate authors and editors. They seek out and evaluate the latest evidence presented in more than 460 peer-reviewed journals, online medical resources, and guidelines published by major international societies. The editorial team updates content continuously and is transparent about the rigorous editorial process: all topics include the authors' and editors' names, specialties and academic affiliations. In addition, UpToDate accepts no advertising or sponsorships.

With UpToDate, doctors can quickly answer even their most difficult clinical questions and determine how to best care for their patients.



Proof: Measurable benefits for hospitals demonstrated by more than 60 research studies.

Because it is so widely used, UpToDate is one of the most studied clinical decision support resources. In fact, more than 60 studies from around the world demonstrate the benefits of using UpToDate, which include improved patient care and hospital performance. All of our research can be reviewed at www.uptodate.com/research.

Following are three examples:

- **A 2011 study by researchers at Harvard University**, published in the *Journal of Hospital Medicine*, showed an association between the use of UpToDate and improved outcomes. UpToDate hospitals demonstrated:
 - Lower mortality — 11,500 lives saved over a three-year period
 - Shorter lengths of stay — 372,500 hospital days saved per year
 - Improved hospital quality — better quality performance for every condition on the Hospital Quality Alliance metrics¹
- **Researchers at Singapore's National University Hospital** found that use of UpToDate led to changes in investigations, diagnosis or management 37% of the time.²
- **A study conducted by the Mayo Clinic** is of particular interest to academic medical centers committed to training the next generation of doctors: the researchers found that use of UpToDate for 20 minutes a day resulted in knowledge acquisition equivalent to the benefit of a year of residency training, as measured by a standardized examination (Internal Medicine In-Training Examination (IM-ITE)).³

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“UpToDate is not a commercial product for me. UpToDate is a new way of practicing medicine.”

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More than 20 Specialties

Allergy and Immunology
Anesthesiology*
Cardiovascular Medicine
Dermatology
Emergency Medicine (Adult and Pediatric)
Endocrinology and Diabetes
Family Medicine and General Practice
Gastroenterology and Hepatology
General Surgery
Geriatrics
Hematology
Hospital Medicine
Infectious Diseases
Nephrology and Hypertension
Neurology
Oncology
Obstetrics, Gynecology and Women's Health
Palliative Care
Pediatrics
Primary Care (Adult)
Primary Care Sports Medicine (Adolescents and Adults)
Psychiatry
Pulmonary and Critical Care Medicine
Rheumatology
Sleep Medicine*

*specialties in development

Now with UpToDate Anywhere, clinicians at your healthcare organization can get the evidence-based clinical content they need when and where they need it — at a patient's bedside, through the EHR system, at home, or in the office.

The subscription-based model includes:

- The ability to embed UpToDate directly into the hospital's EHR system with minimal development effort. User surveys demonstrate that having UpToDate embedded into the EHR system increases both satisfaction and usage of the EHR.
- Direct access to UpToDate from any Internet browser or through the award-winning UpToDate Mobile App for iOS® and Android™. Users can now download UpToDate MobileComplete for access offline*
- Potential accrual of CME credits whenever and wherever clinicians research a clinical question: both onsite and remotely via a computer or mobile device.

Users have direct access to:

- ✓ Comprehensive coverage of more than 10,500 clinical topics
- ✓ More than 30,000 graphics, presented in easy-to-search thumbnail format
- ✓ More than 9,700 graded recommendations
- ✓ Fully referenced topics with more than 425,000 Medline abstracts
- ✓ Continuously updated content

Join those using the premium clinical decision support tool:

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