

# 4 reasons clinicians choose UpToDate

An expert evidence-based clinical decision support solution saves you time and enables excellent care.

UpToDate® is like having a trusted advisor by your side—one who understands the challenges clinicians face in today's healthcare environment. These include the need to treat more patients and the desire to easily access the best information to help patients throughout their respective care journeys. Address these realities by efficiently providing evidence-based clinical recommendations and guidance developed and reviewed by experts in the field. Integrated into clinical workflows, it minimizes the time it takes for you to obtain insights to care for your patients.

## How does UpToDate do all of this?



### Supports quick and safe decision-making

- Clinicians can standardize care and follow best practices with UpToDate's evidence-based information. This information provides trusted support when making diagnostic decisions, developing treatment plans, and conducting clinical evaluations.



### Provides answers for you even when evidence is not clear

- An editorial team critically evaluates available medical literature to produce evidence-based, synthesized information—even where the evidence is uncertain or unclear—and grade recommendations based on what's available.
- Other tools won't provide recommendations unless they're supported by published evidence, while our rigorous editorial processes provide answers to more of your questions even when the evidence is evolving.



### Developed with input from clinicians with deep domain expertise

- Created by doctors for doctors who understand your thought process and decision-making flow and structured to reflect both. UpToDate anticipates and answers the questions clinicians would ask in a situation.
- 7,400 of the world's experts across 25 specialties contribute to UpToDate, making it a source you can trust.
- With 12,400 topics covered, 540,000+ references, and 7,300 unique drug entries, UpToDate is a comprehensive and detailed source for all your answers.



### Widely used, making it ideal for cross-team and cross-institution communication

- More than 2 million clinicians and other healthcare professionals in more than 190 countries use UpToDate as part of their regular clinical practice, making it a tool clinicians need to be familiar with.
- Integration with UpToDate® Lexidrug™ allows pharmacists and prescribers to make the right medication choices the first time around without having to go back and forth repeatedly.

## UpToDate increases productivity at Inha University Hospital, Incheon, South Korea



About **97.5%**  
of specialists  
and teachers use  
UpToDate every day.



Hospital medical staff  
use UpToDate to search for  
clinical information about  
**500,000**  
times each year.



*"UpToDate helps me at the patient's bedside to quickly obtain relevant and actualized information on the diagnosis and treatment of pathologies that are less in my field of expertise."*

**Dr. Olivia Boyer, MD, PhD, Professor of Pediatrics, Pediatric Nephrology, Imagine Institute, Paris-Descartes University, Hôpital Necker-Enfants Malades, Paris, France**

*"UpToDate is how textbooks should be—authoritative, exhaustive, and completely up to date. I use it myself regularly to check on issues outside of my own specialist area and always find it easy to use and the information invaluable."*

**Dr. Andrew Weeks, MD, MRCOG, Professor of International Maternal Health, Sanyu Research Unit, University of Liverpool, United Kingdom**

