



**Indirizzi di vari tipi di risorse**

MedlinePlus Directories - Microsoft Internet Explorer

Indirizzi | http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/directories.html

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**Directories**

MedlinePlus provides links to directories to help you find health professionals, services and facilities. NLM does not endorse or recommend the organizations that produce these directories or the individuals or organizations that are included in the directories.

Doctors and Dentists—General | Doctors and Dentists—Specialists | Hospitals and Clinics—General | Hospitals and Clinics—Specialized | Other Healthcare Facilities and Services | Other Healthcare Providers | Libraries

**Doctors and Dentists—General**

- AMA Physician Select: Online Doctor Finder (American Medical Association)
- DocFinder (Administrators in Medicine)
- Find a Dentist (Academy of General Dentistry)
- Find a Dentist: ADA Member Directory (American Dental Association)
- Find a Family Doctor (American Academy of Family Physicians)
- Medicare Participating Physician Directory (Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services)

**Hospitals and Clinics—General**

- Find a Hospital (American Hospital Association) - Information on over 6,000 hospitals in the United States, including driving directions
- Hospital Compare (Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services) - CMS database of Medicare participating hospitals comparing quality measures of Heart Attack (AMI), Heart Failure, Care and Readmissions, etc.

MedlinePlus go Local  
Selected services and providers in your area.  
Select Location

**Le FAQ di MedlinePlus**

MedlinePlus: Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) - Microsoft Internet Explorer

Indirizzi | http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/faq/faq.html

MedlinePlus: Frequently Asked ... + Add Tab

**MedlinePlus**  
Trusted Health Information for You

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**MedlinePlus Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)**

**General questions**

- What is MedlinePlus? [Answer](#)
- Can you give me some statistics on MedlinePlus? [Answer](#)
- Can you tell me how to cite MedlinePlus pages? [Answer](#)
- How often is MedlinePlus updated? [Answer](#)
- Is the material on MedlinePlus copyrighted? [Answer](#)

**Using MedlinePlus**

- How can I get my library listed on the MedlinePlus libraries page? [Answer](#)
- How do I find information about my disease or condition? [Answer](#)
- How do I find the most current research information on my disease/medical condition? [Answer](#)
- I have a topic on MedlinePlus, but I really need treatment information and there wasn't any listed. Where should I look now? [Answer](#)
- I'm not sure how to spell the name of my disease/medical condition. How do I find it in MedlinePlus? [Answer](#)

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**MedlinePlus Quality Guidelines**

**MedlinePlus Quality Guidelines - Microsoft Internet Explorer**

MedlinePlus is designed to help you find appropriate, authoritative health information. To do this, we provide access to inter-medical products by the National Library of Medicine and the National Institutes of Health, such as searches of MEDLINE/PubMed, our database that indexes medical research literature, and ClinicalTrials.gov, the database of research studies from the National Institutes of Health. We also provide you with a database of full-text drug and supplement information, an electronic medical encyclopedia, a medical dictionary, interactive health tutorials, and the latest health news.

In addition, MedlinePlus contains pages that link to other Web sites. For example, we have Health Topic pages on about 700 diseases and conditions from Alzheimer's Disease to West Nile virus. We focus on organizing the full-text publications produced by the NLM Institute and other Federal Government organizations. We also link to other Web sites. The quality guidelines we use in evaluating links to Web pages are listed below.

- Quality, authority and accuracy of health content
  - The organization's mission must relate to the goals of MedlinePlus.
  - The organization must provide accurate, science-based information that complements or enhances the government information found on MedlinePlus.
  - The source of the content is established, respected and dependable. The organization publishes a list of advisory board members or editors.
  - The information provided is appropriate to the audience level, well-organized and easy to use.
  - MedlinePlus links to original content. MedlinePlus does not link to information reproduced from other Web sites.
  - Lists of links are evaluated/reviewed/quality-filtered.
- The educational purpose of the Web page is educational and not to sell a product or service. Most content is available at no charge.
  - MedlinePlus does not accept advertising or coordinate advertising. There should be an advertising policy on the site.
  - MedlinePlus will exclude organizations and Web resources if presentation or content could lead a reasonable user to infer advertising products or services.
  - MedlinePlus provides links to databases to help you find health professionals, services, and facilities. NLM does not endorse or recommend the organizations that produce these directories, or the individuals or organizations that are included in the directories.

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**I Tutorials interattivi di MedlinePlus**

**MedlinePlus Interactive Health Tutorials - Microsoft Internet Explorer**

MedlinePlus  
Trusted Health Information for You

A service of the U.S. NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE and the NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH

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Interactive Health Tutorials

The tutorials listed below are interactive health education resources from the Patient Education Institute. Using animated graphics each tutorial explains a procedure or condition in easy-to-understand language. You can even listen to the tutorial.

**NOTE:** These tutorials require a special Flash plug-in, version 6 or above. If you do not have Flash, you will be prompted to obtain a free download of the software before you start the tutorial.

Diseases and Conditions

- [Arthritis and Arthritis](#)
- [Asthma](#)
- [Cancer](#)
- [Alzheimer's Disease](#)
- [Alzheimer's Disease](#)
- [Amniotic Fluid Embolism \(AFE\)](#)
- [Anemia](#)
- [Anorectal and Rectal Diseases \(ARD\)](#)
- [Anovia](#)
- [Anuria](#)

Tests and Diagnostic Procedures

- [Abdominal Ultrasound](#)
- [Blood Pressure](#)
- [Bone Density Test](#)
- [Breast Lumps - Bloody](#)
- [Breast Lumps - Nonbloody](#)
- [Colonoscopy](#)
- [Endoscopy](#)
- [Gastroscopy](#)
- [Lung Function Test](#)
- [Mammogram and Mammography](#)
- [Skin Biopsy](#)

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## I Tutorials interattivi di MedlinePlus...

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer window with the title bar "Evaluating Internet Health Information: A Tutorial from the National Library of Medicine - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar shows the URL "http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/webeval/webeval.html". The page content is titled "Evaluating Internet Health Information: A Tutorial from the National Library of Medicine". It contains a bulleted list of instructions:

- This tutorial teaches you how to evaluate the health information that you find on the Web. It is about 16 minutes long.
- You need a Flash plug-in, version 6 or above, to view it. If you do not have Flash, you will be prompted to obtain a free download of the software before you start.
- The tutorial runs automatically, but you can also use the navigation bar at the bottom of the screen to go forward, backward, pause, or start over.

Below the list is a large button labeled "Start the tutorial".

At the bottom of the page, there is a note: "Banche dati per non specialisti" with a small hand cursor icon pointing towards it.

## Lo stress sull'educazione alla navigazione in Internet in tema di salute...

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer window with the title bar "MedlinePlus Guide to Healthy Web Surfing - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar shows the URL "http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/healthywebsurfing.html". The page content is titled "MedlinePlus Guide to Healthy Web Surfing". It contains a section titled "Consider the source—Use recognized authorities" with the following text:

What should you look for when evaluating the quality of health information on Web sites? Here are some suggestions based on our experience.

Consider the source—Use recognized authorities

Know who is responsible for the content.

- Look for an "About us" page. Check to see who runs the site. Is it a branch of the Federal Government, a non-profit institution, a professional organization, a health system, a commercial organization or an individual?
- There is a big difference between a site that says, "I developed this site after my heart attack" and one that says, "This page on heart attack was developed by health professionals at the American Heart Association."
- Websites should have a way to contact the organization or webmaster. If the site provider no contact information, or if you can't easily find out who runs the site, use caution.

Focus on quality—All Web sites are not created equal

At the bottom of the page, there is a note: "Banche dati per non specialisti" with a small hand cursor icon pointing towards it.

**Le condizioni per partecipare a MedlinePlus...**

**Go Local**  
MedlinePlus's Go Local project links MedlinePlus users to health services in their local community and directs users of the Go Local site to MedlinePlus health topics. For example, users get medical services and directed from MedlinePlus and then visit a Go Local site for nearby health programs, relevant local services on the Go Local site. Go Local sites receive this user traffic from each MedlinePlus health topic and route it to a page listing matching Go Local records or to a page explaining the site contains no matching local services. To see how these sites work, choose a Go Local area from the pull-down list or map link on any MedlinePlus health topic page.

**Background**  
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (UNC) developed the first Go Local site, NC Health Info (http://www.nchealthinfo.org). Since it debuted in February 2000, additional areas have become publicly available Go Local areas (see http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/golocal/index.html), and more are under development.

For background on Go Local, please see The NLM-Hosted Go Local System: An Opportunity for Medical Libraries (PDF, 1.4 MB) at <http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/golocal/docs/nlmhostedsystem.pdf> (January 2000).

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**Alcune condizioni-chiave per partecipare a MedlinePlus...**

**Here are some key questions to ask. Do you have:**

- An institutional commitment to create and continue the site?
- At least a half-time salaried person to coordinate the project?
- Staff to do outreach and publicity?
- Staff to index and maintain the local records with the vocabulary and geographic mapping?
- Staff to handle customer questions?
- An existing Web site or database to serve as a starting point?

**Funding**  
One time grants of up to \$25,000 per Go Local project are available from the National Network for Libraries of Medicine for full network members. These funds do not take the place of the requirement for

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**Gli argomenti piú richiesti in MedlinePlus...**

**2) Cancer.gov del NCI, USA**

**Ma ancor prima...**

- ✓ IL National Cancer Institute(NCI), USA
- ✓ Impegno verso l'informazione quale elemento chiave nella strategia di prevenzione già nel "National Cancer Act", 1971
- ✓ PDQ: la banca dati che fornisce informazioni "speculari" per pazienti e per specialisti: attiva negli USA e accessibile via Telnet a livello internazionale, già dal 1984

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National Cancer Institute - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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Convegno Biblosan, Bologna, 5 luglio 2005

National Cancer Institute U.S. National Institutes of Health | www.cancer.gov

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**PDOQ**

Quick Links: Director's Corner Dictionary of Cancer Terms NCI Drug Dictionary Funding Opportunities NCI Publications Advisory Boards and Groups NCI Calendar of Events E-mail

**NCI Highlights**: 2005 Annual Report to the Nation National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, 2005 NCI Offers Support After Trauma and Trauma Related Announcements NCI Announces Plan to Fight Lung Cancer NCIAN Workshop Group Report on Biomedical Technology The Nation's Investment in Cancer Research FY 2005

**PDOQ (Physician Data Query)**: PDOQ - NCI's Comprehensive Cancer Database Full Description of the NCI PDOQ database.

**Cancer Information Summaries**: PDOQ Cancer Information Summaries: Adult Treatment Treatment options for adult cancers. PDOQ Cancer Information Summaries: Pediatric Treatment Treatment options for childhood cancers. PDOQ Cancer Information Summaries: Survivorship Care Side effects of cancer treatment, management of cancer-related complications and pain, and psychosocial concerns. PDOQ Cancer Information Summaries: Screening/Detection (Testing for Cancer) Tests or procedures that detect specific types of cancer. PDOQ Cancer Information Summaries: Prevention Risk factors and methods to increase chances of preventing specific types of cancer. PDOQ Cancer Information Summaries: Genetics Genetics of specific cancers and inherited cancer syndromes, and ethical, legal, and social concerns. PDOQ Cancer Information Summaries: Complementary and Alternative Medicine Information about complementary and alternative forms of treatment for cancer patients

**Clinical Trials**

Search: Go

www.cancer.gov

National Cancer Institute - Cancer Topics - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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**Cancer Topics**

**Types of Cancer**: Bladder Cancer → Breast Cancer Colon and Rectal Cancer Endometrial Cancer Kidney Cancer (Renal Cell) Leukemia Lung Cancer Melanoma Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma

**Common Cancer Types**: Pancreatic Cancer Prostate Cancer Skin Cancer (Non-melanoma) Throat Cancer

**All Cancer Types**: A to Z List of Cancers Cancers by Body Location/Symptom Childhood Cancers Women's Cancers

**Treatment**: Types of Treatment Drug Information New/Approved Treatments How to Find Treatment More...

**Coping with Cancer**: Managing side effects and complications caused by cancer or its treatment

**Support and Resources**: Support organizations, finances, insurance, home care, and hospice care

**Feature**: NCI Cancer Bulletin Get the latest news from NCI View Bulletin | Subscribe

**NO RESPONDERS TO HURRICANE**: Resources for Displaced Cancer Patients, Their Families, and Physicians

**NCI 2015 Goal**: Eliminating suffering and death due to cancer

**3) Un sito di riferimento per le biblioteche per "consumatori di salute": CAPHIS, USA**

The screenshot shows the CAPHIS website homepage. At the top, it says "Welcome to the CAPHIS website!". Below that, there's a banner for "Hurricane Katrina" and another for "Congratulations to our new CAPHIS Officers for 2005-2006". On the right side, there's a sidebar titled "FOR HEALTH CONSUMERS" with links like "Consumer Health Website Spotlight" and "National Health Information Center". The left sidebar has sections for "About Us", "Managing a CHIS", and "Contact Us". The bottom of the page has a "Consumer Connections" section.

**Da CAPHIS si può scaricare un manuale per condurre le biblioteche per pazienti e cittadini...**

This screenshot shows the same CAPHIS website as above, but with a different main content area. It features a large box titled "How do you set up and run a Consumer Health Library?". Below this box, there's a bulleted list of items related to library management, such as "History and growth of consumer health information services", "Focus in providing information to patients and consumers", and "Planning for local consumer health needs". The rest of the page layout is identical to the first screenshot.