

Mobile MedlinePlus Meets the Health Information Needs of an On-the-Go Public

Wondering what the side effects are for your new prescription? Go to Mobile MedlinePlus (<http://m.medlineplus.gov>) while you're waiting for the pharmacist to fill your order!

Or, instantly look up the symptoms of H1N1 flu if you're at the supermarket and your child's school calls you to tell you he doesn't feel well.

The National Library of Medicine's Mobile Medline Plus builds on the NLM's MedlinePlus Internet service, which provides authoritative consumer health information to over 10 million visitors per month.



Mobile MedlinePlus is available in English and Spanish

(<http://m.medlineplus.gov/spanish>) and includes a subset of content from the full Web site. It includes summaries for over 800 diseases, conditions and wellness topics, the latest health news, an illustrated medical encyclopedia, and information on prescription and over-the-counter medications.

For instance, you could visit the "Talking With Your Doctor" page on Mobile MedlinePlus to learn how to get the most out of your doctor's visit.

Mobile MedlinePlus can also help you when you're trying to choose an over-the-counter cold medicine at the drug store.

And if you're traveling abroad, you can use Mobile MedlinePlus to learn about safe drinking water.

Wherever you are, Mobile MedlinePlus puts reliable health information at your fingertips.

