

## Sources for Patient Education Handouts

	<b>Searching for specific handouts</b>	<b>Particular audience for handouts</b>	<b>Customization and non-English languages</b>
<b>Patient Education Institute Tutorials &amp; Handouts</b>	Keyword; browse; can limit to category (medical specialty)	Relatively easy reading level	Non-customizable; most available in Spanish
<b>Lexi-Comp Online - includes PediPals</b>	Keyword; can limit search term to specific subtopic; can browse individual databases (e.g. Pediatric Lexi-Drugs)	Adult and pediatric	Some customization; some handouts only available in English, others in many languages
<b>McKesson Handouts through ClinicalResource@Ovid</b>	Keyword and natural language; browse by topic	Adult, pediatric, seniors, women	Minimal customization; some handouts available in Spanish
<b>MDConsult Patient Education</b>	Keyword; browse by topic or category	Adult, pediatric, seniors, women	Non-customizable; Spanish available for key topics
<b>Micromedex Care Notes &amp; Drug Notes</b>	Keyword; browse care and condition titles alphabetically or by category; browse drug titles alphabetically; can create hot lists of most-used handouts	Care and condition titles include gerontology and pediatrics; several categories of handouts (Precare, DrugNotes, etc.)	Highly customizable; all handouts available in Spanish
<b>MedlinePlus</b>	Can search or browse	Many special categories by gender, age, ethnic group, literacy level, and so on	Non-customizable; some handouts available in Spanish
<b>UpToDate Patient Handouts</b>	Keyword; organized by subject area	Relatively high-level of health literacy required	Non-customizable; English only

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