Accessing UpToDate from IHIS

Role(s) affected: Providers, Nurses

You can now access UpToDate, the clinical reference tool, from directly within IHIS.

1. You can access UpToDate in two ways:
   
   A. In the main toolbar, click the References button to expand the drop-down menu and then select UpToDate.
   
   B. From the patient’s Problem List, right click on a problem and select ClinKB Search from the menu that appears.

2. The UpToDate window opens. The first time you open it, you’ll see the following screen:
   
   A. If you do not have a personal UpToDate subscription, register on the right side.
   
   B. If you have an active personal subscription to UpToDate, log in on the left side.
   
   C. If you do not see the screen, click My Account to register.

3. If you’re registering, complete all fields and click Submit Registration. This is a one-time registration, and after you register, you’ll receive an email with your UpToDate username and password.

   - **Important**: You do not need the username and password each time you access UpToDate. You will use them to redeem your earned CME credits and to access the My Account section of UpToDate.

4. You are now registered and ready to begin earning CME while searching UpToDate.
Frequently Asked Questions

Who can earn CME?

MDs, DOs, NPs and PAs can all earn CME with UpToDate.
RNs in Ohio can convert UpToDate AMA CME credits to CEU credits.

Can I access this feature remotely?

Remote access for the hospital UpToDate subscription is tied to the hospital network. You need to access UpToDate remotely by using a VPN if you are outside the network.

What if I have additional questions about UpToDate?

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