Medical Social Media

This list includes useful and interesting pages relating to medicine and medical education. The pages are from renowned Medical Journals, Institutions, Residency Programs, Physicians, and Training/Educational techniques and practices. Though only a few Twitter resource pages are listed here, students can find accomplished physician, institution, research, or residency pages from nearly every specialty on Twitter with little effort. Please note that these accounts are not endorsed by or connected with UW Medicine or UWSOM.

Twitter Accounts:

- **Institutions, Organizations and Hospitals:**
  - **UW Medical Resources:**
    - UW Medicine - @UWMedicine
    - UW Family Medicine - @uwfm
    - UW Department of Surgery - @UWSurgery
    - UW Global Health - @uwdgh
    - UW Health Sciences Library - @UWHSL
    - UW Underserved Pathway - @UWSOM_UP
    - Seattle Children’s Hospital - @seattlechildren
    - Seattle Cancer Care Alliance - @SeattleCCA
    - Swedish Hospital in Seattle - @Swedish
    - Virginia Mason Hospital in Seattle - @VirginiaMason
    - Harborview Medical Center Seattle - @harborviewmc

- **Other Renowned Institutions/Resources**
  - Yale School of Medicine - @YaleMed
  - Yale Medicine - @YaleMedicine
  - World Extreme Medicine Conference and Expo - @extremeexpo
  - The Mayo Clinic - @MayoClinic
  - American College of Surgeons - @AmCollSurgeons
  - Denver Health - @DenverHealthMed
  - PoCUS FOA Med (Ultrasound Education Page) - @pocusfoamed
  - Harvard Medical School - @harvardmed
  - Harvard Health - @HarvardHealth
  - Society of American Gastrointestinal and Endoscopic Surgeons - @SAGES_Updates
  - Center for Disease Control - @CDCgov
  - The Cleveland Clinic - @ClevelandClinic
  - Stanford Medicine - @StanfordMed
  - Johns Hopkins Medicine - @HopkinsMedicine
  - Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) - @AAMCtoday
AAMC for Medical Students - @AAMCMedStudent
The American Medical Association - @AmerMedicalAssn
Institute of Healthcare Improvement (IHI) - @TheIHI
The World Health Organization - @WHO
US Dept of Health & Human Services - @HHSgov
National Institutes of Health - @NIH
NHS England - @NHSEngland
US Surgeon General - @Surgeon_General
American Red Cross - @RedCross

Journals:
The New England Medical Journal - @NEJM
The Lancet Medical Journal - @TheLancet
Journal of the American Medical Association - @JAMA_current
The British Medical Journal (BMJ) - @bmj_latest
BMJ Open - @BMJ_Open
Annals of Surgery - @AnnalsofSurgery
Annals of Oncology - @Annals_Oncology
Nature Medicine Biomedical Journal - @NatureMedicine
Journal of Trauma - @JTraumAcuteSurg
Academic Medicine - @AcadMedJournal

Physicians:
Adil Haider (Trauma Surgeon) - @AdilHaiderMD
Andrew M. Ibrahim (Surgeon) - @AndrewMIbrahim
Helen M. Farrell (Psychiatrist) - @HelenMFarrellMD
Lanie Spaedy (Internist) - @Dr_Lanie
Sam Ghali (Emergency Med) - @EM_RESUS
Nick Johnson (EM and Intensivist) - @NickJohnsonMD
Amal Mattu (EM Cardiology/Geriatrics) - @amalmattu
Sanjay Gupta (Neurosurgeon) - @drsanjaygupta
Atul Gawande (General Surgeon) - @Atul_Gawande

Note: There are millions of doctors on Twitter. Some pages are incredibly informative and others are not so use your best judgment. If you follow people in the specialty(ies) you are interested in, you will probably see more relevant suggestions for others to follow as well.
• **Special Interest Groups and Chats:**
  - Women In Medicine Chat - @womeninmedchat
  - Women Physicians - @physicianwomen
  - Women Surgeons - @WomenSurgeons
  - Student National Medical Association - @SNMA
  - National Hispanic Medical Association - @NHMAmd
  - Crystal R. Emery - @BlackWomenMDs
  - MedEd Chat - @MedEdChat
  - TEDMED - @TEDMED

• **Residency Programs and Resources:**
  - Denver Emergency Medicine Residency - @DenverEMed
  - University of Colorado Internal Medicine - @MedicineCU
  - Tulane Surgery - @Tulane_Surgery
  - Emory Surgery - @EmorySurgery
  - Emergency Medicine Residents’ Association - @emresidents
  - UWFM Residency - @uwfmres

• **Health News**
  - Wall Street Journal Health News - @WSJhealth
  - NPR Health News - @NPRHealth
  - UW Medicine Newsroom - @uwmnewsroom
  - STAT - @statnews
  - BBC Health News - @bbchealth

**Important:** Residency programs and educational pages for various specialties are numerous and often very informative about the program, as well as its research projects, patient interactions, and academic focuses. A rather comprehensive list for EM, Family, and Internal Residency pages can be found on the cite ALiEM under the search for “Residency Programs on Twitter and the following URL will pull up that page:


**Figure 1 App:** Free. Much like a Medical Instagram in which medical professionals from various parts of the world post cases with pictures and descriptions. Sometimes the cases are posted because a doctor, nurse, Paramedic, PA, etc. needs an expert opinion, and other cases are put up to illustrate certain pathologies, quiz students, or for other educational purposes.