

Selected Web Sites for Information About Diarrhea

(See Chapter 17, “Diarrhea,” for detailed information about this topic.)

<http://www.gastro.org/wmspage.cfm?parm1=928> (*American Gastroenterologic Association*; “Clinical Practice” center provides medical position statements; “Patient Center” provides patient information on digestive conditions)

<http://www.aegastro.es/> (*Asociación Española de Gastroenterología*; patient information in Spanish)

<http://www.acg.gi.org/patients/patientinfo/cgp.asp> (*American College of Gastroenterology*; patient information on “Common GI Problems”)

<http://www.aboutkidsgi.org/> (*International Foundation for Functional Gastrointestinal Disorders*; patient information about pediatric gastrointestinal disorders)

<http://www.aboutgimotility.org/> (*International Foundation for Functional Gastrointestinal Disorders*; patient information about gastrointestinal motility disorders)

<http://www.aap.org/healthtopics/discond.cfm/> (*American Academy of Pediatrics*; A-Z list of health topics: diarrhea)

<http://www3.niaid.nih.gov/healthscience> (*National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases*; A-Z Health and Science Topic Index: foodborne diseases)

Search A-Z topic lists at following Web sites for: *diarrhea, foodborne diseases*; search A-Z drug lists for: *bismuth subsalicylate, lactase, loperamide*.

<http://www.merck.com/mmpe/index.html> (*The Merck Manual Medicine Library*; professional information on medical conditions, grouped by A-Z index, “Sections” [body systems], and “Symptoms,” as covered in the *The Merck Manual*, 18th ed.)

<http://www.guideline.gov/> (*National Guideline Clearinghouse*; clinical guidelines covering medical conditions and their treatment; “Search” function by keyword is quickest access to information; several “Browse” lists are provided)

<http://www.healthfinder.gov/> (*healthfinder* [*Health and Human Services Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion*]; A-Z list of disorders and injuries and drug database; patient information)

<http://digestive.niddk.nih.gov/ddiseases/a-z.asp> (*National Institute of Diabetes & Digestive & Kidney Diseases*: A-Z list of digestive diseases)

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/hinfo.html> (*National Library of Medicine*; A-Z list of health information)

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/healthtopics.html> (*MedlinePlus*; A to Z list of health topics)

<http://www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/druginformation.html> (*MedlinePlus*; A to Z list of Drugs & Supplements)

http://www.webmd.com/diseases_and_conditions/default.htm (*WebMD.com*; A to Z list of Disease and Condition Health Centers, Health Topics A-Z, Drugs A-Z, Healthy Videos A-Z)

<http://www.mayoclinic.com/> (*MayoClinic.com*; FIND IT FAST [A-Z list of diseases and conditions]; Symptom Checker; First-Aid Guide)

<http://www.emedicinehealth.com/script/main/hp.asp> (*Emedicine.com*; click on Alphabetical Index of Topics; patient information)

<http://familydoctor.org/> (*American Academy of Family Physicians*; Conditions A-Z; patient education materials)

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