

ORGANIZATION	WEBSITE	WHAT THEY DO?
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality	https://www.ahrq.gov/	Provides national statistics on population, poverty levels and related topics
Alliance for Continuing Education in the Health Professions (Alliance)	https://www.acehp.org/About/About-the-Alliance	The Alliance is the leading community for healthcare continuing professional development (CPD) professionals. We connect, support and empower those who design, deliver and improve education for health professionals - driving better outcomes for learners, organizations, and patients.
American Cancer Society	https://www.cancer.org/	Provides information on health policies and issues affecting minority racial and ethnic communities
American Health Quality Association	https://www.ahqa.org/	LHI addresses important factors that impact major causes of death and disease in the United States, and they help organizations, communities, and states across the nation focus their resources and efforts to improve the health and well-being of all people. Healthy People 2030 includes 23 LHIs
American Medical Association	https://www.ama-assn.org/	American Medical Association (AMA) is the largest and only national association that convenes 190+ state and specialty medical societies and other critical stakeholders.
Carilion Clinic Quality and Patient Safety	https://www.carilionclinic.org/quality#measuring-your-quality-care	Carilion regularly reviews data, outcomes and processed to set goals that help to continuously improve.
Center for Disease Control and Prevention	https://www.cdc.gov/index.html	The Virginia Department of Health (VDH) is dedicated to protecting and promoting the health of Virginians. The VDH is made up of a statewide Central Office in Richmond and 35 local health districts. These entities work together to promote healthy lifestyle choices that can combat chronic disease, educate the public about emergency preparedness and threats to their health, and track disease outbreaks in Virginia.
Healthy People 2030 - Leading Health Indicators (LHI)	https://odphp.health.gov/healthypeople/objectives-and-data/leading-health-indicators	Health services research (HSR) is the field of study that examines the quality, safety, and affordability of healthcare delivery from the perspectives of patients, caregivers, and clinical professionals. HSR examines many facets of healthcare, including organizational structures and processes, health technologies, and financing.
Institute for Health Improvement	https://www.ihl.org/	A leading cancer-fighting organization with a vision to end cancer as we know it, for everyone. We are improving the lives of people with cancer and their families as the only organization combating cancer through advocacy, research, and patient support, to ensure that everyone has an opportunity to prevent, detect, treat, and survive cancer.
Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations	https://www.jointcommission.org/en-us	The world's largest biomedical library, NLM maintains and makes available a vast print collection and produces electronic information resources on a wide range of topics that are searched billions of times each year by millions of people around the globe.

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Leapfrog Group	https://www.leapfroggroup.org/	Medscape is the leading online global destination for physicians and healthcare professionals worldwide, offering the latest medical news and expert perspectives; essential point-of-care drug and disease information; and relevant professional education and CME. Medscape membership is free and gives you unlimited access to the entire network of sites and services.
Medline Plus	https://medlineplus.gov/	MedlinePlus is an online health information resource for patients and their families and friends. It is a service of the National Library of Medicine (NLM), the world's largest medical library, which is part of the National Institute of Health (NIH).
Medscape	https://www.medscape.com/	UpToDate is one of the most trusted brands in healthcare, providing key clinical and drug information at the point of care, and advanced technologies to educate and engage patients and members. Explore the different elements of the UpToDate suite of solutions that can help support better patient care.
National Academy of Medicine	https://nam.edu/	The Leapfrog Group is a national nonprofit organization driving a movement for giant leaps forward in the quality and safety of American health care. The flagship Leapfrog Hospital Survey collects and transparently reports hospital performance, empowering purchasers to find the highest-value care and giving consumers the lifesaving information they need to make informed decisions. The Leapfrog Hospital Safety Grade, Leapfrog's other main initiative, assigns letter grades to hospitals based on their record of patient safety, helping consumers protect themselves and their families from errors, injuries, accidents, and infections.
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)	https://www.nami.org/your-journey/frontline-professionals/health-care-professionals/	NAMI works to educate, support, advocate, listen and lead to improve the lives of people with mental illness and their loved ones.
National Center for Health Statistics	https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/index.html	Provides national statistics on natality, mortality, and related areas
National Institute of Health	https://www.usa.gov/agencies/national-institutes-of-health	The National Institute of Health (NIH) is the primary Federal agency for conducting and support medical research.
National Library of Medicine	https://www.nlm.nih.gov/	CDC serves the American public—individuals, families, and communities—who rely on accurate data, health guidance, and preventive measures.
National Organization for Rare Disorders	https://rarediseases.org/	Our team of 8000+ professionals includes the world's leading public health experts, including doctors, epidemiologists, scientists and managers. Together, we coordinate the world's response to health emergencies, promote well-being, prevent disease and expand access to health care. By connecting nations, people and partners to scientific evidence they can rely on, we strive to give everyone an equal chance at a safe and healthy life.

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United States Census Bureau	https://www.census.gov/	The Institute for Healthcare Improvement (IHI) is a leading, globally recognized not-for-profit health care improvement organization that has been applying evidence-based quality improvement methods to meet current and future health care challenges for more than 30 years. IHI provides millions of people in health care with methods, tools, and resources to make care better, safer, and more equitable; convenes experts to enable knowledge sharing and peer-learning; and advises health systems and hospitals of all sizes in improving their systems and outcomes at scale.
UpToDate	https://www.wolterskluwer.com/en/solutions/uptodate	The American Health Quality Association (AHQA) is an educational, not-for-profit national membership association dedicated to promoting and facilitating fundamental change that improves the quality of health care in America.
US Dept of Health & Human Services Office of Minority Health	https://minorityhealth.hhs.gov/	We support clinicians and researchers so they can advance research and treatment that will enable people living with rare diseases to live healthier and fuller lives
Virginia Department of Health - Data Portal	https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/data/	This data portal was developed to provide a convenient access point for health-related data for Virginia. This portal is a comprehensive source for community health assessment, public, and population health data. Each data portal page provides interactive data at the most granular level available.
Virginia Department of Health	https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/	Our mission is to enable and affirm the highest standards of healthcare quality and patient safety for all. We do this by evaluating healthcare organizations and inspiring them to excel in providing safe and effective care of the highest quality and value. We are trusted by over 24,000 organizations globally to uphold standards that improve patient outcomes. Through continual engagement for continuous improvement, we provide innovative solutions and resources to build resilient healthcare organizations around the world.
Virginia State Office of Rural Health (VA-SORH)	https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/health-equity/state-office-of-rural-health/	VA-SORH is dedicated to partnering with rural communities across Virginia to identify opportunities and develop sustainable solutions that enhance health outcomes and support the prosperity of all Virginians.
World Health Organization	https://www.who.int/	Founded in 1970 as the Institute of Medicine, the National Academy of Medicine is one of three academies that make up the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine in the United States. The National Academies are private, nonprofit institutions that work outside government to provide objective advice on matters of science, technology, and health.