

## Mayo Clinic Minute

### Amazon Alexa offers Mayo Clinic First Aid

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|  | <i>Sound of a cucumber being chopped on a cutting board</i>  |
|  | "Ouch!"  |
|  | Need first-aid advice in your home? Now you can ask Alexa.   |
|  | "Alexa, open Mayo First Aid."  |
| <b>Title:</b><br><b>Sandhya Pruthi, M.D.</b><br><b>General Internal Medicine</b><br><b>Mayo Clinic</b>                                   | "And you could say open up Mayo First Aid, and I have just cut myself, and I need to know how to treat my cut."  |
|  | Internal medicine specialist Dr. Sandhya Pruthi says Alexa then delivers self-treatment ideas ...  |
| Alexa  | "Apply gentle pressure with a clean bandage or cloth."   |
| Sandhya Pruthi, M.D.   | "What are the steps you might need to know about self-treatment and, then, when to seek emergency help."   |
|  | <i>Sound of running water</i>  |
| <b>Graphic:</b><br><b>For everyday issues:</b><br><b>Cuts</b><br><b>Burns</b><br><b>Fevers</b><br><b>Not for life-threatening issues</b> | Dr. Pruthi says the Mayo First Aid skill is for everyday issues like treating a cut, a burn or child's fever and other medical situations that are not life-threatening. " |
| Sandhya Pruthi, M.D.   | "The opportunity to be able to take this content that we already have on our website and deliver it using the Amazon Alexa was exciting for us."                           |
|  | It's fast, easy access to first aid.   |
| Sandhya Pruthi, M.D.   | "And it is reliable, trusted Mayo Clinic information."   |
|  | For the Mayo Clinic News Network, I'm Jeff Olsen.  |

