

Mayo Clinic Minute

2019's top Mayo Clinic web searches

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| Sandhya Pruthi, M.D. Chief Medical Editor mayoclinic.org 00:03:44 | In 2019, mayoclinic.org was visited more than 1 billion times by people looking for reliable answers to health-related questions and concerns. "You don't want to be swayed by incorrect information, and that's why it's really important to have a trusted resource. And mayoclinic.org is one of the No. 1-rated websites for health information." |
| | So what kind of health information did people search for? |
| | When it comes to diseases, diabetes was once again the most-searched term, followed by pneumonia, lupus, diverticulitis and fibromyalgia. |
| | The most popular symptoms people looked up were cholesterol, hypothyroidism, headache, lower-back pain and weight loss. |
| | Colonoscopy is among the top procedures people searched for, along with hysterectomy and knee-replacement. |
| | The information found on mayoclinic.org is regularly reviewed by specialty medical editors. |
| Dr. Pruthi 00:08:30 | "If there's some new late-breaking news on some new condition or disease, the experts are brought in right away to, again, update the information to make sure it reflects the most current information. And that's what makes us more trusted." |
| | For the Mayo Clinic News Network, I'm Vivien Williams. |
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