

## **Health Resources Digest**

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### **Medical Images on the Web**

#### Anatomy of the Human Body

The Bartleby.com edition of Gray's Anatomy of the Human Body features 1,247 vibrant engravings - many in color - from the classic 1918 publication, as well as a subject index with 13,000 entries.

URL: <http://www.bartleby.com/107/>

#### The Atlas of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy

All endoscopic photographs were taken by Drs. Martin and Lyons at the Gastrointestinal Diagnostic Unit of Tenet South Fulton Medical Center, East Point, Georgia. Now featuring 727 endoscopic images.

URL: [http://www.endoatlas.com/atlas\\_1.html](http://www.endoatlas.com/atlas_1.html)

#### Bristol Biomedical Image Archive

The Bristol Biomedical Image Archive is an online collection of about 8500 medical, dental, and veterinary images for use in teaching and learning. All the images have been donated by academics working in the biomedical fields in different countries. As a general rule, the images can be used free of charge in learning and teaching. There are several ways of finding images in the archive. The different options include basic search, advanced search, browsing by keywords, browsing by terms derived from the image descriptions, and thesaurus search. To aid searching, the images have been catalogued using Medical Subject Headings (MeSH). To be able to see the full-size images and download them, you need to register. The registration is free of charge and consists of filling in an online form.

URL: <http://www.brisbio.ac.uk/>

#### DOIA

Dermatology Online Atlas contains over 4500 images. You can search the database by dermatological diagnoses or find images by localization (using body map). The DOIA quiz mode is for students, as well as physicians, who want to test and/or widen their knowledge of dermatology. The images are specified using localization but the diagnosis is not given after clicking the thumbnails. After clicking on the "Check your diagnosis(es)..." button a message box appears in which you can check your answers.

URL: <http://www.dermis.net/doia/mainmenu.asp?zugr=d&lang=e>

#### Digital Atlas of Ophthalmology

The Digital Atlas of Ophthalmology is a database of images drawn from the vast clinical experience of The New York Eye and Ear Infirmary specialists and their colleagues around the world. The Digital Atlas is intended to serve as a visual reference and educational supplement for ophthalmologists, general physicians, and medical students. Contributions from ophthalmologists, pathologists and radiologists are welcome and encouraged.

URL: [http://www.nyee.edu/page\\_deliv.html?page\\_no=50](http://www.nyee.edu/page_deliv.html?page_no=50)

### HONmedia Medical Images

HONmedia is a unique repository of over 3,000 medical images and videos, pertaining to 1,700 topics and themes. This peerless database has been created manually by HON and new image links are constantly being added from the world-wide Web. HONmedia is a free service offered by the Health On the Net Foundation, a non-profit, non-governmental organisation. All the images from the HONmedia database have been selected and indexed according to the MeSH medical classification system. Each image's origin is clearly identified and the images are never saved locally on the HON server. HONmedia accesses all images directly from the server of origin HON encourages users to make their own image links available via the "Submit an image" service

URL: <http://www.hon.ch/cgi-bin/HONmedia>

### MedPix

MedPix is a fully web-enabled and cross-platform database, integrating images and textual information. Primary target audience includes physicians, medical students, graduate nursing students and other post-graduate trainees. The material is organized by disease category, disease location (organ system), captions, and by patient profiles. MedPix can be searched through multiple internal image and text search engines. In addition, search formulations can be sent directly to PubMed, or to other outside search engines with just a single click. Registered users may browse thumbnails of the image database through a 'slide sorter' module.

URL: <http://rad.usuhs.mil/medpix/radpix.html#top>  
(thanks to Natalia Puchkina)

### Public Health Image Library

Created by a Working Group at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), PHIL offers an organized, universal electronic gateway to CDC's pictures. They welcome public health professionals, the media, laboratory scientists, educators, and the worldwide public to use this material for reference, teaching, presentation, and public health messages. The content is organized into hierarchical categories of people, places, and science, and is presented as single images, image sets, and multimedia files. The images have been catalogued using Medical Subject Headings (MeSH)

URL: <http://phil.cdc.gov/phil/default.asp>

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