

# GIDEON:

## Global Infectious Diseases and Epidemiology Online Network

GIDEON, a unique resource dedicated to the detection, prevention, and education of infectious diseases, is ideal for anyone working in this critical, fast-paced field, including: clinicians, educators, policymakers, drug makers, and researchers. Now available through Ovid, this multimedia resource features up-to-date information and visual tools for diagnosing diseases and following the latest trends in epidemiology and treatment.

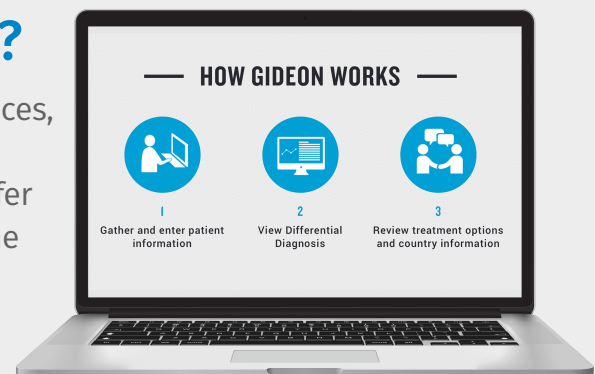
*Quick and Easy  
Disease Diagnosis  
and Epidemiology  
Reference*

### Benefits of GIDEON:

- Make accurate disease diagnoses quickly
- Uncover new infectious diseases and pathogens in nearly every country around the globe
- Keep up on the latest global outbreaks as they evolve and spread
- Dig deep into the epidemiology and underlying organisms of every disease
- Train students and others using interactive tutorials

### Why GIDEON?

- Over 430,000 references, 30,000 graphs, and 4,000 images that offer a visual context to the information
- Describes more than 370 drugs and vaccines, including drugs not FDA-approved but in use in other countries as well as drug trade names from around the world
- Uses evidence-based, peer reviewed content—with links to the source in the reference notes
- Covers more than 400 diseases documented in over 200 countries
- Updated nearly every day with news on the latest outbreaks
- Includes—at no extra cost—video tutorials on how to use each section of each module
- More than 350 global maps to help illustrate position and scope of outbreaks



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## Organized into Two Online Modules:

### Infectious Diseases

- ◆ **Drugs**—Pharmacology and use of various drugs
- ◆ **Diagnosis**—Country-specific diagnoses based on symptoms, signs, and other data
- ◆ **Travel**—Pre-travel information on diseases for travelers and healthcare professionals
- ◆ **Disease**—Epidemiological profiles of selected diseases
- ◆ **Vaccines**—Pharmacology and use of vaccines

### Microbiology

Lists common lab tests and phenotypic characteristics for a wide range of:

- ◆ **Bacteria**
- ◆ **Mycobacteria**
- ◆ **Yeasts**

## Who Uses GIDEON?

- **Nurses, doctors, and residents in clinical/hospital situations**—Diagnose diseases and review the latest therapy options for treatment; save time with global notes.
- **Faculty, instructors, and students in public health, medicine, and biology**—Provide an interactive teaching tool that students can really respond to; tutorials help, too!
- **Researchers and drug makers**—Search information on a global scale, and gather together vast amounts of data efficiently.
- **Policymakers and officials**—Get instant updates on the latest outbreaks, and monitor and map out outbreaks.

## Resources:

GIDEON is updated on a continual basis using all relevant citations appearing in PubMed searches, periodic publications of the World Health Organization, abstracts of major international meetings, user feedback and latest additions from the following resources:

- National Health Ministry Reports
- Technical Reports of the World Health Organization
- Texts and Monographs
- Journals and Periodicals

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