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Sharing best practices among healthcare professionals is helpful in any practice. But it can be crucial for those caring for patients with neuromuscular diseases (NMDs), which are rare and varied.

MDA invites healthcare professionals who manage and treat individuals with NMD or are looking for more information on NMDs to join MDA's discussion groups on MedShr. Participants can post cases for discussion, ask questions, share knowledge, and connect with other providers, including physicians, occupational therapists, and other allied healthcare professionals.

"I have found MedShr useful in connecting with colleagues both in my local area and across the globe," says Dr. Anushka Mehrotra, a family medicine physician.

MedShr is a global network for secure clinical discussion between verified medical professionals (HIPAA, GDPR, and GMC compliant). It provides an easy and safe way for providers to discover, discuss, and share clinical cases and medical images on a live, interactive platform.

"Many providers will gain consent from a patient to snap a picture through the app — so it isn't stored on their phone — and share it immediately with a community of other providers," Dr. Mehrotra says. "I find it useful to share my own cases and get feedback on more complex or rare presentations, which my colleagues in clinic may not always have the experience to support directly. Writing cases for educational purposes also supports my own professional development, making me reflect on my practice and consider how I might practice differently in the future."

To join MDA's discussion groups, download the MedShr App free or register at <u>medshr.net</u>. The <u>Neuromuscular Disorders Discussion Group</u> supported by MDA is open to all verified medical professionals. MDA Care Center team members can send an <u>email request</u> to join the MDA Care Center Discussion Group.

